



Conservation of Plants and Animals

Grade VIII

Worksheet

Multiple Choice Questions

1. Why are trees in the forest cut?
 - A. procuring land for cultivation
 - B. building houses and factories
 - C. making furniture or using wood as fuel
 - D. all of these
2. Survival of some animals has become difficult because of _____.
 - A. disturbance in rainfall
 - B. disturbance in their natural habitat
 - C. afforestation
 - D. none of these
3. Migratory birds fly to faraway places because of _____ changes.
 - A. physical
 - B. natural
 - C. climatic
 - D. environmental
4. A place in the environment where an organism lives is called a _____.
 - A. home
 - B. resort
 - C. habitat
 - D. reservoir
5. Fauna is _____.
 - A. plants
 - B. animals
 - C. microorganism
 - D. both plants and animals
6. Sanctuary is a place where _____.
 - A. animals are protected
 - B. plants are protected
 - C. office of forest department
 - D. a tribal village is protected

Fill in the Blanks

7. A place where animals are protected in their natural habitat is called _____
8. Species found only in a particular area is known as _____
9. Migratory birds fly to faraway places because of _____ changes.

Answer the Following

1. Give any two examples of a biosphere reserve
2. Give any two examples of flora.
3. Give any two examples of fauna.
4. Give any two examples of endemic species.
5. Give any two examples of endangered species.
6. Give any two examples of wildlife sanctuaries.
7. Give any two examples of national parks.
8. Give any two examples of migratory birds.
9. Define deforestation.
10. What do you mean by a drought?
11. How are forests important for life on earth?
12. Why do humans trade in wildlife? Explain with examples why such trade is dangerous to animals.
13. Explain how introduction of new species can lead to loss of biodiversity.
14. What are the different categories of organisms included in the Red Data Book? Give examples of each.