



## Geography

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**Grade 8**

### Part- 0I

Underline the correct answer.

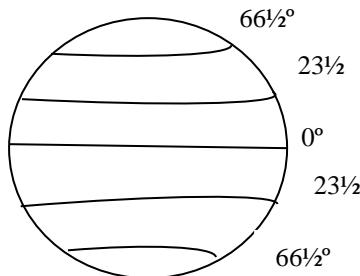
- 1) It is believed that the solar system has been formed ..... million years.  
i) 4600                    ii) 6400                    iii) 3400                    iv) 6500
- 2) The main body of the solar system is,  
i) Earth                    ii) Planets                    iii) Sun                            iv) Asteroid
- 3) The Asteroid belt is between,  
i) Earth and Venus    ii) Saturn and Jupiter    iii) Mars and Earth    iv) Jupiter and Mars
- 4) The surface Temperature of the sun is,  
i) 6000 °E                    ii) 6000 °C                    iii) 15 million °C                    iv) 51 million °C
- 5) The planets inside the asteroid belt are called as,  
i) Inner planets                    ii) Mercury                            iii) Venus                            iv) Outer planet
- 6) The closest planet to the sun is,  
i) Venus                            ii) Mercury                            iii) Neptune                            v) Earth
- 7) No satellites for,  
i) Venus and Jupiter    ii) Saturn and Mercury    iii) Mercury and Venus    iv) Mars and Jupiter
- 8) The planet with highest surface temperature is,  
i) Venus                            ii) Jupiter                            iii) Mars                                    iv) Neptune
- 9) The main gas in Venus is,  
i) Nitrogen                            ii) Oxygen                            iii) Carbon dioxide                    iv) Hydrogen
- 10) The satellites of Mars are,  
i) Moon and Phobos    ii) Eris and Deimos    iii) Moon and Eris    iv) Deimos and Phobos
- 11) The largest planet in the solar system is,  
i) Jupiter                            ii) Mars                            iii) Venus                                    iv) Neptune
- 12) Galileo Galilee used the,  
i) Thermometer                    ii) Telescope                            iii) Telephone                            iv) Printed Machine
- 13) The equatorial diameter of the earth is,  
i) 12714 km                            ii) 12471 km                            iii) 12756 km                            iv) 12657 km
- 14) The 0° latitude is called the,  
i) Tropic of Cancer    ii) International Date Lineiii) Greenwich line    iv) Equator
- 15) The city of Greenwich is in,  
i) England                            ii) Japan                            iii) France                                    iv) Rome

- 16) The Earth's axis tilts at an angle of,  
     i)  $25.3^\circ$                    ii)  $23.5^\circ$                    iii)  $66.5^\circ$                    iv)  $65.5^\circ$
- 17) "Makemake" is a,  
     i) Star                       ii) Planet                   iii) Dwarf Planet           iv) Asteroid
- 18) The rings of the Saturn are formed of,  
     i) Hydrogen               ii) Iron particles           iii) Dust particles           iv) Ice particles
- 19) Uranus has ..... satellites.  
     i) 27                       ii) 72                       iii) 67                       iv) 62
- 20) Earth and Mars are called as,  
     i) Blue and Red planets                                   ii) Evening star and Red planet  
     iii) Morning star and Red planet                       iv) Dwarf planet and Red planet

(2x20=40)

**Part- II****Answer all the questions.**

- 1) i) How do the sun and other celestial bodies bind together? (2 marks)  
    ii) Write **two** special features of a star. (2 marks)  
    iii) Name **two** celestial bodies of the solar system. (2 marks)  
    iv) Name **four** inner planets. (4 marks)
- 2) i) Write **two** especial features of the sun. (2 marks)  
    ii) Define what is a planet. (2 marks)  
    iii) What are the two categories of planets. (2 marks)  
    iv) Name the **eight** planets in the solar system (4 marks)
- 3) i) Give **two** other names of "Venus". (2 marks)  
    ii) Write **two** special features of "Jupiter". (2 marks)  
    iii) How many natural satellites are there for the planet "Jupiter". (2 marks)  
    iv) Write **four** beliefs connected with the solar system and explain. (4 marks)
- 4) i) Write time taken for rotation and revolution. (2 marks)  
    ii) Define the word "Latitudes". (2 marks)  
    iii) Name the longest longitude. (2 marks)  
    iv) Name main latitudes on the following diagram. (4 marks)



- 5) i) What is the "Longitude". (2 marks)  
    ii) Name  $0^\circ$  longitude. (2 marks)  
    iii) How many longitudes are there in the globe. (2 marks)  
    iv) Draw a globe and shade Eastern hemisphere in green and Western hemisphere in brown. (4 marks)
- 6) i) What is rotation?. (2 marks)  
    ii) Write **two** results of rotation. (2 marks)  
    iii) Name **two** gases in the Atmosphere. (2 marks)  
    iv) Write **four** uses of water. (4 marks)