



Indian School Al Wadi Al Kabir

Post -Midterm Examination (2025-26)

Class: IX

Sub: Skill Subject

Max. Marks: 50

INTRODUCTION TO TOURISM (406)

Date: 23/11/2025

Set – I

Time: 2 hours

ANSWER KEY

SECTION A-OBJECTIVE TYPE QUESTIONS-EMPLOYABILITY & SPECIFIC SKILLS	
Q.1	Answer any 4 out of the given 6 objective type questions. (1x4=4 marks)
i.	(b) Information and Communication Technology
ii.	(a) Google Drive
iii.	(c) A is true, but R is false
iv.	(b) Waste segregation and recycling
v.	(a) Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A.
vi.	(b) Solar panel technician
Q.2	Answer any 5 out of the given 6 questions. (1x5=5 Marks)
i.	(b) Tour guide
ii.	(a) Transport, hotels, and travel agencies
iii.	(b) Because railways improve accessibility
iv.	(b) Planning and organizing complete tours for tourists
v.	(b) A traditional cultural trip by European aristocrats
vi.	(b) Pilgrimage and religious travel
Q.3	Answer any 5 out of the given 6 questions. (1x5=5 Marks)
i.	(b) Railways
ii.	(b) An intermediary between tourists and service providers

iii.	(c)Textile factories
iv.	(b) Ministry of Tourism

v.	(d) All of the above
vi.	(a) Cultural exchange

Q.4 Answer any 5 out of the given 6 questions. (1x5=5 Marks)

i.	(b)To attract tourists and promote destinations/services
ii.	(a) Promoting destinations
iii	(c) Hsuang Tsang
iv.	(a) Berlin, Amsterdam, London, Paris
v.	UNITED NATIONS WORLD TOURISM ORGANIZATION
vi.	(c) Thomas Cook

Q.5 Answer any 5 out of the given 6 questions. (1x5=5 Marks)

i.	(b) Increasing employment and revenue
ii.	(b) Taj Mahal
iii.	Maharaja Express, Golden Chariot
iv.	(b) Promote the image of India globally
v.	(b) Mumbai
vi.	(b) Providing online booking and tourism information

SECTION-B-SUBJECTIVE TYPE QUESTIONS

Answer any 3 out of the given 5 questions on Employability Skills. (2 x 3 = 6 Marks)

Answer each question in 20-30 words.

Q.6	Any appropriate answer (using 4Rs)
Q.7	A green economy is an economy that results in improved human well-being and social equity, while significantly reducing environmental risks and ecological scarcities. It focuses on sustainable practices, clean technologies, and responsible consumption
Q.8	Green skills help individuals make responsible choices in their everyday life that reduce harm to the environment. Examples: 1. Switching off lights and fans when not in use (energy conservation). 2. Using cloth bags instead of plastic. 3. Segregating household waste for recycling. 4. Choosing public transport or cycling instead of personal cars. 5. Using solar energy for heating or lighting.
Q.9	Apps, short for applications, are software programs designed for specific tasks, running on devices like smartphones, tablets, and computers,
Q.10	Hardware refers to the physical, tangible components of a computer (like the CPU, keyboard, monitor) that you can touch, while software is the intangible set of instructions, programs, and data that tells the hardware what to do (like operating systems, apps).

Answer any 4 out of the given 6 questions on Specific Skills in 20-30 words each (2 x 4 = 8 Marks)

Q.11	The Grand Tour was a cultural trip undertaken by European aristocrats in the 16th–18th centuries to learn about art, culture, and history. It promoted the idea of tourism for education and cultural exposure rather than just leisure. It influenced modern tourism concepts, emphasizing sightseeing, cultural appreciation, and travel experiences.
Q.12	Any appropriate answer.
Q.13	A travel intermediary connects tourists with tourism service providers. Travel agencies sell tickets, tour packages, and arrange services for tourists. Tour operators plan, organize, and execute complete tours. Together, they simplify travel for tourists and ensure smooth experiences.
Q.14	Railways revolutionized Indian tourism by making travel faster, safer, and more affordable. It connected major cities to hill stations, beaches, and heritage sites , enabling middle-class

	and elite travelers to explore India easily. Railways also facilitated group tours, package tours, and seasonal tourism, laying the foundation for modern tourism.
Q.15	Domestic tourism: Tourists travel within India. Example: Visiting Jaipur from Delhi. Inbound tourism: Foreign tourists visit India. Example: International visitors to Taj Mahal. Outbound tourism: Indian tourists travel abroad. Example: Indians visiting Dubai or Thailand.
Q.16	Globalization has increased international tourist arrivals. Technology (online bookings, GPS, apps) simplifies travel planning. Social media spreads awareness of destinations. These developments boost tourism business and create employment opportunities.

Answer any 3 out of the given 5 questions on Specific Skills in 70-80 words each (4 x 3 = 12 Marks)

Q.17	The Silk Route connected Asia, the Middle East, and Europe, facilitating trade, culture, and knowledge exchange. Travelers explored new cultures, architecture, and traditions while trading goods. Cities along the route, like Samarkand, Kashgar, and Xi'an , became tourist attractions due to their historical and cultural significance.		
Q.18	Key factors include:- Infrastructure: Better roads, railways, airports, and hotels. Government Policies: Promotion campaigns, incentives for private investment, visa facilitation. Marketing: Campaigns like Incredible India , social media promotions, and participation in global tourism fairs.		
Q.19	Railways: Connect cities and tourist destinations affordably. Roads: Provide local connectivity and access to remote areas. Air Travel: Speeds up travel, supports business and international tourism. Together, they make India accessible and encourage more visitors		
Q.20	Economic Benefits: Revenue generation, foreign exchange, employment opportunities. Social Benefits: Cultural exchange, preservation of heritage, awareness of environmental conservation. Tourism also encourages infrastructure development.		
Q.21	Feature	Travel Agency	Tour Operator
	Main Function	Sells tickets, bookings	Plans & organizes complete tours
	Example	Thomas Cook	Cox & Kings
	Service	Connects tourists to providers	Creates packages combining transport, hotels, sightseeing

	Scope	Usually local/domestic	Local & international
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