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1	Choose the correct option: -	
1	The Amazon Basin is the largest river basin in	
	a) America b) <b>World</b> c) Africa d) Australia	
2	What is the staple food of the people in the rainforests?	
	a) Manioc b) Rice c) Wheat d) None of these	
3	Which cash crop is grown in the areas of Ganga-Brahmaputra basin?	
	a) Sugarcane and rubber b) Coffee and jute c) Coffee and rice d) Sugarcane and jute	
4	What is the main occupation of people living in the Ganga-Brahmaputra basin?	
	a) Fishing b) Mining c) <b>Agriculture</b> d) Industry	
II	Fill in the blanks: -	
5	The Ganga-Brahmaputra basin area has monsoon climate.	
6	<u>Terraces</u> are built on steep slopes to grow crops.	
7	Rice and fish are the staple diet of the people living in the Brahmaputra plain.	
8	Kolkata is an important port on the River Hooghly.	
Ш	Very Short Answer Questions: -	
9	In which Continent the Amazon Basin is located?	
	The Amazon Basin is in South America.	
10	Where are Kaziranga and Manas wild life sanctuaries located?	
	Kaziranga and Manas wild life sanctuaries are located in Assam.	
11	What is "Maloca"?	
	Large apartment-like houses are called "Maloca" with a steeply slanting roof.	
12	What is Ganga-Brahmaputra basin?	
	The tributaries of rivers Ganga and Brahmaputra together form the Ganga-Brahmaputra basin in the	
	Indian subcontinent.	
13	What is meant by 'Tributaries'?	
	Tributaries are small rivers that join the main river. The main river along with all its	
	tributaries that drain an area forms a river basin or the catchment area. For example, the Amazon	
	Basin is the largest river basin in the world.	
IV	Answer in detail: -	

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#### 14 What is the type of climate in Amazon basin?

- The Amazon Basin stretches directly on the equator and is characterized by hot and wet climate throughout the year.
- Both day and nights are almost equally hot and humid. The skin feels sticky.
- It rains almost every day, that too without much warning.
- The day temperatures are high with very high humidity. At night the temperature goes down but the humidity remains high.

## 15 Describe the wildlife found in the Ganga Brahmaputra Basin.

- There is a variety of wildlife in the basin. Elephants, tigers, deer and monkeys are common.
- The one-horned rhinoceros is found in the Brahmaputra plain.
- In the delta area, Bengal tiger, crocodiles and alligators are found.
- Aquatic life abounds in the fresh river waters, the lakes and the Bay of Bengal Sea.
- The most popular varieties of the fish are the rohu, catla and hilsa.

#### 16 | Give reasons:

## All the four ways of transport are well developed in the Ganga-Brahmaputra basin.

All the four ways of transport are well developed in the Ganga-Brahmaputra basin because-

- In the plain areas the roadways and railways transport the people from one place to another. The waterways, is an effective means of transport particularly along the rivers.
- Kolkata is an important port on the River Hooghly.
- The plain area also has a large number of airports.

#### V Observe the given picture and Answer the following questions: -

A.



#### **Questions:**

## 1.Identify and name the above picture.

Ans: The Amazon Forest
2. What is it rich in?
Ans: It is rich in fauna.
3. What are bromeliads?

Ans: Bromeliads are special plants that store water in their leaves. Animals like frogs use these pockets of water for laying their eggs.

В.



## 1.Identify and name the above picture.

Ans. Paddy Cultivation

#### 2. Where is it grown?

Ans: Cultivation of paddy requires sufficient water, it is grown in the areas where the amount of rainfall is high.

3. Name two cash crops grown in Ganga Brahmaputra Region?

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Ans: Cash crops like sugarcane and jute are grown here.

C.



1.Identify and name the above picture.

Ans: Tea garden in Assam.

2. What are the types of tress grown in Ganga Brahmaputra region?

Ans: Teak, Sal and Peepal.

3.How is tea grown?

Ans: Tea is grown in plantations.

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