

GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE, PRAYAGRAJ.

WORK SHEET NO.3

Class 7 (A, B, C, D, E, F)

Session- 2020-2021

SUBJECT-GEOGRAPHY

INSTRUCTIONS – Parents are expected to ensure that the student spends two days to read and understand the chapter according to the book and website referred and thereafter answer the given questions.

Reference book - AROUND THE WORLD a textbook of Geography for ICSE schools - RATNA SAGAR

Link: - <https://simple.wikipedia.org/wiki/Antarctica>

Chapter- Antarctica

Topic

Discovery and exploration

Physical features

Climate

Natural Resources

The future of Antarctica

Q1. Fill in the blanks:-

1. Antarctica is roughly _____ in shape.
2. Antarctica lies in the _____ hemisphere
3. In Antarctica, testing of _____ is prohibited.
4. The _____ mountain range divides the continent in East Antarctica and West Antarctica.
5. Antarctica experiences _____ from November to February.

Q2. Answer in one word:-

1. The strong cold winds of Antarctica.
2. The explorer who planted his nation's flag at the South Pole in 1911.
3. They are the first to welcome ships which come during the early summer.
4. The highest point in Antarctica located in Ellsworth Land.
5. A very small shellfish that are eaten by whales.

Q3. Match the following:-

A

1. Penguins
2. Robert F Scott
3. First Indian expedition
4. Antarctica treaty was signed
5. Admiral Byrd

B

1. First to fly over the South Pole
2. December 1959
3. A British Naval officer
4. Symbol of the continent
5. 9 January 1982

Q4. Answer the following Questions:-

Q1. Why is Antarctica known as the White Continent?

Q2. Name the research stations that were established by India in Antarctica.

Q3. How was the Southern Ocean formed?

Q4. Antarctica is called the 'Continent of Science'. Why?

Q5. State two reasons that discourage the human settlement in Antarctica.

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