

Grade 7

GEOGRAPHY

First Term (Second Week)

Latitudes and Longitudes

- Select the most suitable answer for the following questions
1. What is the false statement regarding the latitudes and longitudes
(A) They are imaginary lines.
(B) They are drawn for the convenience of study
(C) They are used to identify the specific location of a country
(D) They are used as the boundaries of countries.
 2. The latitude that divide the model globe into two equal halves is called.....
(A) The Equator (B) The Greenwich line
(C) The Tropic of Cancer (D) The International Date Line
 3. The maximum number of longitudes that can be drawn on the model globe are
(A) 180 (B) 360 (C) 90 (D) 365
 4. Sri Lanka is located between
(A) Northern latitudes and western longitudes
(B) Southern latitudes and Eastern longitudes
(C) Northern latitudes and Eastern longitudes
(D) Southern latitudes and Western longitudes
 5. The longitude of 180° is known as
(A) The Equator (C) The Greenwich line
(B) The International Date line (D) The Tropic of Cancer

- Say whether the following statements are TRUE or FALSE

6. Sri Lanka is located in the Southern Hemisphere.
7. The International Date Line is a direct line
8. The North Pole and the South Pole are marked as points
9. Longitudes are divided as East and West longitudes
10. The number of maximum latitudes that can be drawn on the Model globe are 360

- Give short answers to the following questions

11. What are meant by the latitudes?
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12. What are meant by the longitudes?
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13. Why isn't the international date line seen as a direct line?
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14. Give two uses of latitudes and longitudes when studying the world.
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15. Draw a model globe and mark and name the main latitudes with their values.



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