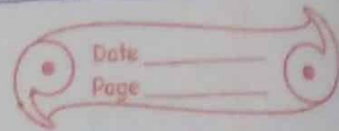


The Great INDIAN DESERT



Chapter - 5

Worksheet

- 1) An area in the desert with water and greenery is called an Oasis.
- 2) The camel is still an important means of transport in the desert.
- 3) The nomads of the Thar desert are called Banjaras.
- 4) The Indira Gandhi Canal which starts from Sutlej river provides water to the parts of Thar Desert.
- 5) The traditional dress of Rajasthan men is dhoti kurta and the colorful turban.

Multiple choice questions:

- 1) Camel is used to carry loads, pull carts and plough fields.
- 2) The Great Indian Desert is also known

as Thar Desert.

- 3) Jaipur is also known as: Pink city
- 4) The Western Desert lies mostly in the state of Rajasthan.
- 5) People from all over the world come to Jaisalmer in Rajasthan during the Desert festival.
- 6) Animals that do not live in desert:
Polar bear
- 7) Rajasthan is the hottest state in India.
- 8) Some of the features that make camel ideally suitable to live in a desert are:
Ans → A camel can survive without food and water for several days.

Write one word for the following:

- 1) Hot and dry winds blowing at very high speed carrying clouds of sand. Sand Storms



- 2) The capital of Rajasthan. Jaipur
- 3) The Nomads of the Thar desert are called. Banjaras
- 4) The Pushkar fair is held in this state Rajasthan
- 5) The canal which is fed by the Satluj river and provides water to Thar desert. - Indira Gandhi Canal
- 6) The only river that flows in the Thar desert. Satluj River
- 7) Most of the plants in the Thar desert belongs to - thorny shrubs