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Answer the following questions.

Q1. Where do the Himalayas get their name from?

Ans- The word Himalayas has been taken from the Sanskrit word - Himalaya (Hima (snow) + Alaya (house)).

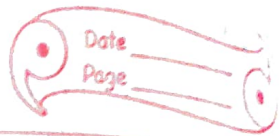
As a large part of Himalayan Range is covered with snow throughout the year, it is named as Himalayas.

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Q. If you save paper then you will save trees. How? write in your notebook.

Ans - Paper is made from tree. If we will save paper then no need to cut down the trees. So we will save the tree.

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Answer the following questions:

Q2. Name the ranges that make up the Himalayas which is the highest, and which is the lowest.

Ans- The Himalayas consists of three mountain ranges that run parallel to each other:

- The Himadri or the Greater Himalayas - Highest range
- The Himachal or the Middle Himalayas
- The Shiwalik or the outer Himalayas - Lowest range

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Answer the following questions.

Q3. How do rivers originate in the Himalayas?

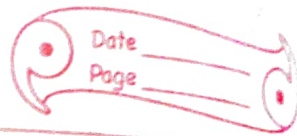
Ans - They arise from moving sheets of ice called glaciers, as the glaciers move down to warmer regions, the ice melts, and gives rise to rivers.

Q4. What is being done to reduce the damage caused by deforestation in the Himalayas?

Ans (a) The Government has made several protected forest areas such as the Corbett National park and the Kaziranga National Park to stop deforestation and protected animals.

(b) Planting of trees is also being taken up.

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Answer the following.

Q5. What kind of climate does the Northern Mountain region have?

Ans - The Northern Mountain has extreme cold climate.

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Ans - The mountains ranges protects the cold winds and it stop the monsoon winds further going out and brings heavy rainfall to the country. So in this way the mountain ranges influence a country's climate.

c. Answer the following questions.

6. What kind of climate does the Northern mountain region have?

Ans- The climate of the Northern Mountain region have extremely cold climate.

7. How do the people of Kashmir keep themselves warm during winters?

Ans- To keep warm in winters, people in Kashmir keep an earthen pot with burning coal, known as a kangri, beneath their pheran,

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8. Name two states in the Northern Mountain region where tea is a major crop.

Ans- The two states in the Northern Mountain region where tea is a major crop are West Bengal and Assam.

9. What are the 'seven sisters'? Name them.

Ans- Towards the east, the Himalayan Ranges run across the seven states of

- Arunachal Pradesh
- Assam
- Meghalaya
- Mizoram
- Nagaland
- Manipur
- Tripura