

A. Tick the correct answer.

1. The wearing or getting away of soil by the action of water or wind is called.

a. storm

b. Flood

c. soil erosion

d. deforestation.

8. This may lead to soil erosion.

a. terrace farming

b. growing of crops

c. Afforestation

d. Deforestation

3. Soil is mostly consumed by

a. Afforestation

b. Deforestation

c. making dams

d. overgrazing

4. The tundra has rivers which change

if course every year is in.

a. Holland

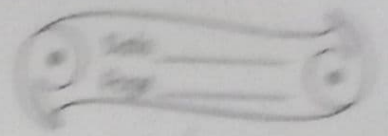
- b. China
- c. India
- d. Sri Lanka

5. Afforestation is a term which means

- a. Felling of trees
- b. Overgrazing
- c. Growing of trees
- d. Making dams
- B. Filling the banks.

1. Running water washes away soil of hill slopes (Hill slopes / plains)

2. Natural (artificial / natural)



1) Forces like wind, rain and running water help in soil formation.

3) Plants and trees hold the soil together by their roots (roots etc. - ms.).

4) At places where strong wind blows, Marble (marble / sands) topsoil is blown away along with topsoil.

C. Match the columns.

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| 1. Loss of soil | a. Afforestation |
| 2. Sinks of china | b. Deforestation |
| 3. Cutting down trees | c. Hoarding |
| 4. Protection of soil | d. Soil erosion |
| 5. Planting more trees | e. Soil conservation |