



SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT - FIRST TERM

READY STEADY KNOW

Max. Marks: 50

Std - VIII

Time: 2 Hr

Name of the School: _____	Name of the Student: _____
Place: _____	Roll No.: _____

I. Fill in the blanks:

10 x 1 = 10

1. T.Rex is one of the popular _____.
2. _____ are called as the ancient remains of the plants and animals.
3. Dragons are called _____ characters.
4. The flesh-eating animals are called _____.
5. The tallest grass grown in India is _____.
6. Coffee plantations are grown in _____ state.
7. _____ rice is the long-grained soft rice used across India.
8. Alphonso mango was first introduced in _____.
9. Fresh cream strawberries are abundant in _____ state.
10. A person who deals with plant genetics, physiology and soil science is called an _____.

II. Write True or False:

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11. Green manure helps the plants to grow.
12. Volcanic eruptions give out water.
13. Earth's orbit path travels around the Sun.
14. Temperatures are more in Andes mountains.
15. In 2015 there was a conference held in Paris for the global warming.
16. The large artificial lake is Lake Volta.
17. The Pyramids of Egypt were built by Khufu.
18. The expansion for IOM is International Organization for Migration.
19. Calcium is another name for limestone
20. Electric cars are powered by diesel.

III. Match the following:

10 x 1 = 10

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| 21. Country below sea level | - | Aral Sea |
| 22. Rachel Carson's book | - | Zooks |
| 23. Largest mass of ice | - | 1.7 mm |

- 24. 37 inches of rainfall - Larsen B
- 25. Kyoto Protocol - 12,000 years
- 26. Cooling period - USA
- 27. Fracturing - Mumbai
- 28. Sea levels - East Antarctica
- 29. Nickname of algae - Silent Spring
- 30. Two mighty rivers - Netherlands

IV. Choose the best answer:

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- 31. Strawberries are grown in the hill station of _____ in India.
 - a) Panchgani
 - b) Kodaikanal
 - c) Saputara
- 32. In the 20th century the sea levels rose by _____.
 - a) 1.7mm
 - b) 1.8 mm
 - c) 2.1 mm
- 33. _____ was a programme towards better agricultural production.
 - a) Seed revolution
 - b) Green revolution
 - c) Green agriculture
- 34. The largest mass of ice on Earth is in _____.
 - a) Greenland
 - b) East Antarctica
 - c) Arctic
- 35. Spotted Lake is a part of _____ in Canada.
 - a) Manitoba
 - b) Alberta
 - c) British Columbia.
- 36. The ancient Indian text of _____ discusses the agriculture in India.
 - a) Atharvana Veda
 - b) Sama Veda
 - c) Rig Veda
- 37. To clear debts and earn money, the farmers from Vidarbha are being encouraged to grow.
 - a) GM Cotton
 - b) BT cotton
 - c) LM cotton
- 38. On a tiny limestone island of _____ was built the lighthouse of Alexandria.
 - a) Los
 - b) Samos
 - c) Paros
- 39. _____ was the play written on the Indigo farmers rebellion in Bihar and Bengal during British India.
 - a) Neel Darpan
 - b) Neelam Prakash
 - c) Peela Darpan
- 40. The _____ variety of rice is grown in Maharashtra.
 - a) Surti Kolam
 - b) Ambemohor
 - c) Jasmine

V. Answer the following:

5 x 2 = 10

- 41. What are the impacts on the Indian farmers?
- 42. What is a Basmati Rice?
- 43. Write a brief note on Alphonso mango.
- 44. What are agro-based industries?
- 45. Where do strawberries grow more in India?