



## BAL BHARATI PUBLIC SCHOOL, NAVI MUMBAI

### SOCIAL SCIENCE – (2020-21)

#### L-2 Parallels and Meridians

##### I. FILL IN THE BLANKS;-

1. The end points on the axis are called \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Parallels are also called as \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The net work of parallels and meridians on the globe is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The imaginary lines running from east to west around the earth are called \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ passes through Greenwich.
6. The portion of the earth lying above the equator is called the \_\_\_\_\_.
7. To locate a place on the earth, we must know its \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_.
8. Meridians are also known as \_\_\_\_\_.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ is the longest parallel.
10. The maximum distance between two meridians is at the \_\_\_\_\_.
11. The \_\_\_\_\_ cut the parallels at  $90^\circ$  right angle.
12. Parallels neither \_\_\_\_\_ nor \_\_\_\_\_ one another.
13. \_\_\_\_\_ is the starting line for all longitude.
14. The city \_\_\_\_\_ in Madhya Pradesh was taken as the prime meridian by the early geographers and astrologers.
15. The word 'MERIDIAN' comes from the Latin word \_\_\_\_\_ which means \_\_\_\_\_.
16. Parallels are drawn at an interval of \_\_\_\_\_.
17. There are \_\_\_\_\_ parallels in the northern hemisphere and in the southern hemisphere.
18. There are \_\_\_\_\_ meridians on the globe.

19. \_\_\_\_\_ are the imaginary lines running from North Pole to South Pole.

**II. NAME THE FOLLOWING: -**

1. The full circle which move from east to west.

Ans : - \_\_\_\_\_ .

2 . The hemisphere above the equator is called.

Ans : - \_\_\_\_\_ .

3 . The longitude are also called.

Ans : - \_\_\_\_\_ .

4 . The longest line of latitude.

Ans : - \_\_\_\_\_ .

5 . The network of parallels and meridians on the globe.

Ans : - \_\_\_\_\_ .

6 . The hemisphere below the equator.

Ans : - \_\_\_\_\_ .

7. The prime meridian passes through.

Ans : - \_\_\_\_\_ .

8.  $23\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  N is called.

Ans : - \_\_\_\_\_ .

9.  $66\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ S known as .

Ans : - \_\_\_\_\_ .

10. Starting line for all other meridians .

Ans : - \_\_\_\_\_ .

11. The year in which it was decided to fix Greenwich near London as the starting point for numbering meridians.

Ans : - \_\_\_\_\_ .

**III. In the puzzle given below, search and colour the answers that you have filled in the blanks provided. Use a different colour for each word you find.**

1. Imaginary lines running north to south are called \_\_\_\_\_ or lines of \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The earth rotates on its \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The Prime Meridian passes through \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The Tropic of \_\_\_\_\_ is above the equator.
5. A network of imaginary lines on the globe is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Imaginary lines running east to west are called \_\_\_\_\_ or lines of \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Each half of the earth is known as a \_\_\_\_\_.
8. The Tropic of \_\_\_\_\_ is below the equator.
9.  $66\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  N parallel is the \_\_\_\_\_ Circle.

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T	P	R	C	I	A	X	I	S	N
I	H	C	E	D	L	P	T	K	W
C	E	T	R	I	L	B	U	M	I
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**IV. Mark and label the following:**

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|---------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Equator    | 2. Arctic Circle    | 3. Antarctic Circle |
| 4. South Pole | 5. Tropic of Cancer | 6. North Pole       |
|               |                     | 7. South Pole       |

