Chapter-3

Worksheet-2

- 1. Penguins stick together to fight the cold polar climate. State true or false.
- 2. Tropical rain forests are cool and humid throughout the year because of heavy rains all the time. State true or false.
- 3. Name the characteristic that enables the animals to blend with surroundings like skin color is ______.
- 4. Name the climate of tropical region ______.
- 5. During which time of the year you expect the sun to rise late and set early in your city/town?
- 6. Name the thermometer used to measure the maximum and minimum temperature of the day.
- 7. Read the following environmental conditions of tropical rainforests.
 - (i) Hot and humid climate
 - (ii) Unequal lengths of day and night
 - (iii) Abundant rainfall
 - (iv) Abundant light and moisture

Identify the conditions from the above list that are responsible for the presence of large number of plants and animals in tropical rainforests.

- (a) (i) and (ii)
- (b) (i) and (iii)
- (c) (i), (iii) and (iv)
- (iv) (d) (ii) and (iv)

- 8. Choose the odd one from the following options.
 - (a) Thick layer of fat under the skin
 - (b) White fur
 - (c) Long grasping tail
 - (d) Wide and large feet with sharp claws
- 9. Humidity in climate is due to
 - (a) rainfall
 - (b) amount of water vapour in the air
 - (c) snowfall
 - (d) wind
- 10. Out of the given definitions, which is the most appropriate definition of climate?
 - (a) Changes in weather conditions in a year
 - (b) Average weather pattern of many years
 - (c) Change in weather pattern in a few years
 - (d) Weather conditions during summer
- 11. There is a colourful bird that has a long and large beak, and lives in the tropical rainforest. Which bird is this?
- 12. A fish dies when taken out of water, whereas a wall lizard will die if kept under water. Mention the term used to describe such abilities that allow fish and lizard to survive in their respective habitats.
- 13. Which is the most important factor in determining the climate of a place?

- 14. Give one example of an animal that can live both in water and on land.
- 15. Match the animals mentioned in Column I with their characteristic features given in Column II.

Column I	Column II
(a) Red- eyed frog	(i) Very sensitive hearing
(b) Penguin	(ii) Streamlined body
(c) Tiger	(iii) Silver-white mane
(d) Lion-tailed macaque (iv)	(iv) Sticky pads on feed

- 16. Differentiate between:
 - (a) humidity and rainfall
 - (b) climates of polar region and tropical rainforest
- 17. Define Adaptation.
- 18. Why is it difficult to predict the weather of a place while it is easy to predict its climate
- 19. The sun plays a major role in the change of weather. How can you explain it?
- 20. Write in detail about the adaptations in any two animals living in tropical rainforests.