

Chapter 16

MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

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| 1. (d) | 2. (a) | 3. (a) | 4. (b) |
| 5. (c) | 6. (a) | 7. (d) | 8. (c) |
| 9. (d) | 10. (a) | | |

VERY SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

11. (a) True (b) False, snow is also a solid form of water.
(c) True (d) True
12. (a) change "above" with "below"
(b) change "evaporation" with "seeping"
(c) change "vapour" with "water"
13. (a) from ground water
(b) rain
(c) evaporation
14. (a) False, it is called infiltration
(b) False, it is 71% not 51%.
(c) True
(d) True

SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

15. water, soil, infiltration
16. hot, scarcity, workers, dry, rivers, harvesting.
17. (c), (b), (a), (d)
18. **Hint:**
(i) Nature - Snow, water, water vapour
(ii) Home - Ice, water, steam

19. (a) Condensation and melting; water bodies like rivers, lakes, etc.
(b) Freezing; Cold regions like high mountains, poles, etc.
(c) Evaporation; atmosphere.
20. (a) (v); (b) (iv); (c) (i); (d) (iii); (e) (ii)
21. (a) freshwater (b) recharge
(c) aquifer (d) snow
22. (a) land; liquid form (droplet of water).
(b) soil; liquid form.
(c) atmosphere; solid form.
(d) rain; underground water.
(e) water bodies; liquid.

LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS

23. (a) solid (b) gaseous (c) well (d) lake (e) ice

Note: For (c) and (d) other sources of water (such as pond, spring, etc.) may also be given.

24. **Hint:**

Water present underground; well, lake, pond, spring, hand pump, etc.

25. **Hint:**

There will be scarcity of water and we will not be able to do various activities where water is required. It will also affect life on earth.