Things I have learnt

- There are 28 states and 8 union territories in India.
- There are five types of landforms in India. These are mountains, plains, plateaus, deserts and islands.
- The land in the Northern Plains is very fertile.
- The land in the Southern Plateaus is rocky and hard. It is not fertile.
- In the north-western part of India is the Thar Desert.



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Communication

A. Answer the following questions orally.

- 1. Name the Capital of India. Delhi
- 2. Which physical division of India is also known as the Gangetic Plain? Northern Plain
- 3. Name the highest mountain in the world. Mt. Everest

B. Tick (/) the correct answers.

- 1. Chandigarh is the capital of which of the following states?
 - a. Punjab

b. Haryana

- & Both of these
- 2. Which of the following rivers rise in the Himalayas?
 - a. Ganga

- b. Brahmaputra
- Both of these

- 3. Andaman and Nicobar Islands are in the
 - a. Arabian Sea

- Bay of Bengal
- c. Indian Ocean

- 4. The southern part of India is a/an
 - a. Island

b. Peninsula

c. Delta

C. Fill in the blanks. Choose words from the box.

Central India

Arabian Sea

Thar Desert

- 1. The Indian Peninsula has the Arabian & Q on the Western side.
- 2. Satpura hills are in Central India
- 3. In the north-western part of India is the Thor Desext

Write T for the True and F for the False statements.

- 1. India is a small country.
- 2. The Himalayas are the world's highest mountain range.
- 3. People lead a very easy and comfortable life in the Thar Desert.
- 4. The Northern Plains are very fertile. The Northern Plains are very fertile.

Match the following.

- 1. Thar Desert b
- 2. Mount Everest C
- 3. Nilgiri Hills d

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4. Lakshadweep Islands — C

- a. Himalayas
- **b.** Rajasthan
- c. Arabian Sea
- d. South India

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Answer these questions.

- 1. How many states and union territories are there in India?
- 2. What is the difference between a State and a Union Territory?
- 3. Name the mountain ranges found in south and central India.
- 4. Why is India named Bharat? VALUE BASED QUESTION
- 5. How do the northern mountains influence the climate of India?



Analysis based question.

What happens when snow in the mountains melts?





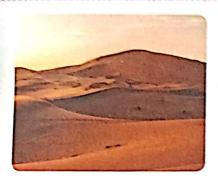


H. On the physical map of India, mark and label the following physical divisions.

- Northern plains (green)
- Northern mountains (brown)
- Plateau (red)

- Desert (yellow)
- Coastal plains (dark green)

Identify the following landforms.







Desert

Island

Morentain

If you are given a chance, in which of the landforms would you like to live? Give the reason also.

The floins are the most suitable landform for survival because the plains provide a flat region to construct homes, easy for transportation and cultivation.



Life skills

Spiritual Development

India is a vast country with great diversity. Like India, the classroom is also full of diversity. Each of us is special in our own way. Let's write down three things we love about ourselves that make us unique. Everyone's uniqueness is different, and we should celebrate these differences instead of judging others.



Beyond the Book

Experiential Learning

Locate your district/town on a political map of India. Collect information about various landforms present in your district/town.