

# CLASS NOTES

**Class:**

**VIII**

**Subject:**

**Social science**

**Topic: Worksheet**

**Geo.ch.2.Land,soil,water ,natural vegetation and wildlife**

**Pol sc.ch.3.Why do we need a Parliament?**

**For practice only.**

**Tick the correct answer.**

a)An organic matter that determines the fertility of soil is.....(humus/silt).

b)\_\_\_\_\_are the densely populated lands.(Plains/Plateaus)

c)The country that has the highest percentage of forest is \_\_\_\_\_(Brazil/Japan).

d)One of the major threat to lands is \_\_\_\_\_(Land degradation/Land reclamation).

e)The highest percentage of land under crop is in \_\_\_\_\_(India/China).

f)\_\_\_\_\_are the major and widely spread natural disaster.(Floods/Landslides)

g)Forests that shed their leaves in a particular season are called \_\_\_\_\_(Evergreen/Deciduous).

h)The suitable method of soil conservation in hilly areas is \_\_\_\_\_(Terrace farming/Mulching).

**Fill in the blanks.**

a)The right mix of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ make the soil fertile.

b) Ninety per cent of the world population occupies only \_\_\_\_\_ of land area.

c) The breaking up and decay of exposed rocks is called \_\_\_\_\_.

d) \_\_\_\_\_are simply defined as the mass movement of rock, debris or earth down a slope.

e) In dry regions with high rates of evaporation, \_\_\_\_\_ is very useful.

**Answer the following questions.**

a)Name any two National Parks.

b)Which scheme is launched by the government to promote tree plantation?

c)What is Rain Water Harvesting?

d)Define Land Use.What are the factors that determines the Land use?

e)Suggest some methods of soil erosion.

### Ch.3.Why do we need a Parliament?

#### Fill in the blanks.

a)EVM's were used through out the country for the first time in\_\_\_\_\_.

b)The Parliament of India is known as\_\_\_\_\_.

c)The Presiding Officer of Loksabha is\_\_\_\_\_.

d)The executives are the group of persons working together to implement laws made by the\_\_\_\_\_.

e)The Parliament of India consists of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,and\_\_\_\_\_.

f)When the Parliament is in session ,it begins with\_\_\_\_\_.

g)The\_\_\_\_\_parties play a crucial role in the healthy functioning of the democracy.

#### Define the following terms.

a)Sedition Act b)Coalition c)Constituency

#### Find answers by unscrambling the jumbled words.

a)\_\_\_\_\_ is a body of voters in certain area who elect their leaders.(Citenncytuso)

b)Situations in which there is no easy solution to a problem.(Dsolveerenu)

Answer the following questions.

a)Why do we a Parliament?

b)How does the Parliament control, guide and inform the government?

c)Differentiate between Loksabha and Rajyasabha.

d)How does a bill becomes a law?

