

DRAINAGE // CH 3

- 1.** What is the significance of the term “water divide?” Give an example.
- 2.** Explain the terms, “drainage,” and “drainage basin.”
- 3.** Write a note on the Drainage Systems in India.
- 4.** Explain the perennial and non-perennial rivers. Why do the Himalayan Regions consist of perennial rivers? State reasons.
- 5.** Write a note of the Indus River System.
- 6.** Write a note of the Brahmaputra River System.
- 7.** Give any three features of the Himalayan Rivers.
- 8.** What are the factors on which the drainage patterns depend?
- 9.** Give the name of the river also known as the “Dakshin Ganga?”
- 10.** Define a lake. Explain how they are formed.
- 11.** Name the biggest waterfall in India.
- 12.** Write a note on the National River Conservation Plan.
- 13.** Rivers play an important role in the economy of the country. Yes or No? Justify your answer with reason.
- 14.** Describe briefly the Ganga River System.
- 15.** Which is the largest river basin in India?
- 16.** Name the two headstreams of the Ganga. Where do they meet to form the Ganga?
- 17.** Why does the Brahmaputra in its Tibetan part have less silt, despite a longer course?
- 18.** State some economic benefits of lakes and rivers.
- 19.** Discuss the significant difference between the Himalayan and the Peninsular rivers.

20. Compare the east-flowing and the west-flowing rivers of the Peninsular plateau.

21. What is the type of drainage pattern made by the Narmada River?