



• Underline the most correct answer from question number 16 - 20.

16) Dumbara is famous for,

1. brassware      2. tile & bricks      3. mats      4. masks

17) Which can be considered as a major crop grown in Jaffna?

1. Tobacco      2. Onion      3. Chillies      4. Potatoes

18) When you stand facing rising sun, stretching your hand, what is the direction of your right hand?

1. Northern      2. Southern      3. Eastern      4. Western

19) What is the religious symbol of Hindus

1. Dharma chakra      2. The holy cross      3. half moon and star      4. Om symbol

20) Which ethnic group has the second largest population in Sri Lanka

1. Sinhala      2. Sri Lankan Tamil      3. Indian Tamil      4. Muslim  
(2×20=40)

Part II

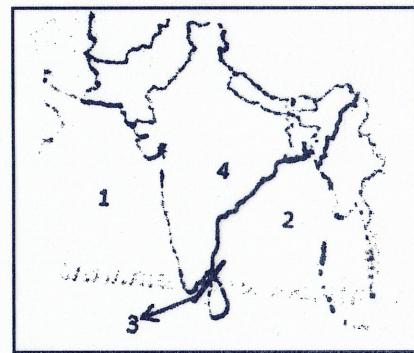
01) a. Answer the questions based on the given model map showing the location of Sri Lanka.

i. Which country is indicated by number 4. (2m)

ii. Indicate the oceanic zone numbered n number 1 and 2 respectively. (2m)

iii. What is the strait indicated by number 3 ? (2m)

iv. Name 2 other countries apart from the country shown in number 4. (2m)



b. i. Mention two important things in city of Galle. (2m)

ii. Name 2 other islands apart from Sri Lanka. (2m)

iii. Mention two highways in Sri Lanka. (2m)

iv. Mention the relative location of Sri Lanka. (2m)

02) i. Define 'weather' (2m)

ii. Mention the weather conditions of Puttalam, Nuwara Eliya, Galle and Anuradhapura according to the weather conditions given in brackets (dry, wet, rainy, misty, windy) (3m)

iii. Write a hypothetical weather report including at least 3 elements of weather conditions. (3m)

iv. Write 3 advantages of knowing the weather information. (3m)

03) i. Name 3 sources from which we get water. (3m)

ii. Write 2 reasons why water is considered as scarce resource. (4m)

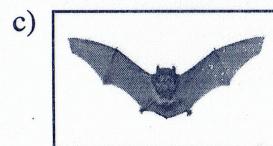
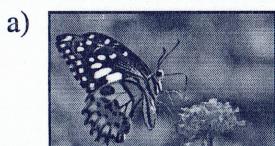
iii. Copy the following table and fill in the blanks given. (4m)

The problems arising with water shortage	Methods of water conservation
1.	1.
2.	2.

04) i. Name 2 migratory birds. (2m)

ii. Create a table and mention 3 benefit of a plants to the environment and 3 benefit to humans in it. (3m)

iii. Write 2 uses of the each animal indicated in figures below.



iv. State one benefit of the following animals.

- a. Crow - pheasant
- b. Dragon fly
- c. Earth worm

(4m)

05) i. Name 2 uses of energy used in a home. (2m)

ii. Copy the table below and complete it with the given information.  
(lakes, rivers, fields, roads, desert, rocks, gardens)

Natural features	Man made features

iii. Write two reasons that affected to

- a. the rise in energy demand. (2m)
- b. state 3 methods that can be used to minimize wastage of power of energy. (3m)

06) i. Mention the religions represented by the following religious symbols A, B, C and D. (2m)

ii. Indicate the major ethnic group living in the following areas.

A - Northern province

B - Central province

C - Southern province

(3 m)

iii. a. Create a table and include the unique crop grown in the

northern area, mountainous area and dry zone. (3m)

b. Mention the information about a cottage industry based on traditional technological knowledge under the given topics.

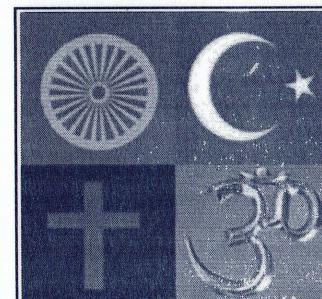
1. Distribution

2. Raw material

3. Products

(3m)

A B



C D

07) i. What are the two types of geographical features. (2m)

ii. Classify the following features according to the above classification. (7i)

(forests, roads, farmlands, rivers, highlands, parks, playgrounds, beaches) (4m)

iii. Compare the difference between a picture and a sketch map. (5m)

**Geography - Grade 6**  
**Answers**

**Part I**

1) Anemometer	6) Kegalle	11) x	16) 3
2) Brassware	7) E2	12) x	17) 4
3) Arabian Sea	8) Trincomalee	13) x	18) 2
4) On a plateau	9) To the north	14) ✓	19) 4
5) The pacific	10) Light Emitting Diode	15) ✓	20) 2

**Part II**

01) a.i. India      ii. Arabian Sea      iii. Palk strait      iv. Sri Lanka, Nepal, Bhutan, Bangladesh, Pakistan

b.i. Location of Dutch Fort, Galle Fort, Cricket Stadium etc.

ii. Madagascar, Taiwan, Cuba, Sicily, Greenland

iii. Southern Expressway (E2), Colombo

Katunayake Expressway (E1), Outer

Circular Expressway (E3), Central

Expressway (E5)

02) i. Weather is the state of the atmosphere over a short period of time.

ii.	Area	Weather condition
	Puttalam	Windy Weather
	Anuradapura	Dry Weather
	Nuwara Eliya	Misty Weather
	Galle	Rainy Weather

iii.a. In the last 24 hours that ended at 6.00 am, there may be some occasional showers in the south and south - west parts of the island. There may be some strong winds in the coastal areas in the northwestern and western parts. The rest of the island is dry. Maximum temperature is recorded from Jaffna and the minimum temperature is recorded from Nuwara Eliya.

b.- It makes easier for the people to plan their work. - Fishermen can save their lives, boats and equipment. - Plan the air port operations etc.

03) i. Sources like precipitation, springs, streams, rivers etc.

ii. Two facts like most of the earth's water is salted, small amount of fresh water is lefted.

Problems due to lack of water	Steps to maintain water in sustainable manner
1. Spread of diseases	1. Prevention of wastage
2. Interruption of hydro power generation	2. Reduction of pollution
3. Lack of drinking water	3. Minimizing the use of agrochemicals

04) i. Indian pitta, paradise fly catcher, Sivuru Hora etc.

ii.

Benefits to the Environment	Benefit to man
- Purification of the atmosphere - Minimize soil erosion - Provide food & shelter for animals	- Provide food and medicine - Provide wood - Provide fuel

iii. a. Butterfly adds beauty to the environment, contribution to the pollination etc. , Bees pollinate flowers and produce honey , Bat propagates seeds of plants and fertilizes the soil by their stool

b. Crow - pheasant - destroy smalls that harm the crop.

Earthworm - contributes to loosen the soil and to enrich it.

Dragonfly - Destroy insects that harm paddy fields.

05) i. Firewood, gas, electricity, petroleum, solar energy, biogas etc.

ii.

Natural features	Man made features
Lakes	fields
Rivers	roads
Deserts	gardens
Rocks	

iii. a. Complexity of needs, improvement of transportation, use of machinery in agriculture etc.

b. Use of LED bulbs, Stop wastage of energy, use of efficient wood stoves etc.

06) i. 1. Buddhism      2. Islam      3. Catholicism      4. Hinduism

ii. Northern      - Sri Lankan Tamil  
Central      - Indian Tamil  
South      - Sinhalese

iii. a.

Northern region	Mountainous region	Dry zone
Grapes	Leeks	Moringa
Banana	Carrot	Long beans
Onion	Potatoes	Bitter gourd
Chili	Beetroot	ridge gourd

b. Brassware      - Pilimatalawa , Copper , Vases , Lamps etc.  
Care products      - Radawadunna , Cane , House hold goods  
Furniture      - Moratuwa , Timber , Furniture

07) i. Physical features and manmade features

ii. Physical - Forests , rivers , highlands , beach  
Manmade - Roads , croplands , gardens , play ground

iii. - Drawing shows overview

- But map is two dimensional  
- Drawing use many colours but map uses conventional colours and symbols