

**A Multiple Choice Questions.**

1. Gaurav Jani's motorcycle name \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Lonely                      b. Viber                      c. Friend                      d. Loner
2. It took \_\_\_\_\_ days to cover 1400 kilometres from Mumbai to Delhi.  
a. Four                      b. Three                      c. Five                      d. Six
3. In which direction does one have to travel while going from Mumbai to Leh?  
a. East                      b. West                      c. North                      d. South
4. Changpa's life depends on \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Animals                      b. Vegetables                      c. Snakes                      d. Fish
5. Manali is situated in \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Plain area                      b. Hilly area                      c. Sandy area                      d. None
6. Pashmina shawl is made from \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Sheep                      b. Mountain goat                      c. Natural gas                      d. Petrol
7. What kind of roof do the house in mountains have?  
a. Mansard                      b. Butterfly                      c. Sloppy                      d. Plain
8. Which animal's hair is used to make Rebo?  
a. Sheep                      b. Goats                      c. Camel                      d. Yak
9. Which of the following is not a type of house?  
a. Dab                      b. Houseboat                      c. Donga                      d. Rebo
10. Bakarwal people live in houses made of  
a. Mud and Lime                      b. Stones and Mud  
c. Bamboos                      d. Mud and Hay

**B Write true or false for the following statements:**

1. Ladakh gets a very heavy rainfall.
2. The roads to reach Leh were difficult to travel on.
3. Changthang is at height of almost 6000 metres.
4. Distance between Mumbai and Delhi was 1400 km.
5. Changpa tribe has only 5000 people.
6. The roof is the most important part of houses in Leh.
7. There were houses of different colours in Leh.
8. The design of Rebo is more than a thousand years old.
9. Many families in Srinagar live in a Donga.
10. Every lane in Kashmir has a bakery which sells roties.

**C Give reason.**

1. Roof is the most important part of the houses of Tashi.

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. Goats are a treasure for the Changpa tribe people.

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. It is difficult to breathe at high places.

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. During winter, Tashi and his family live on the ground floor.

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**D Match the following.**

Column A	Column B	Ans.
1. The coolest place in Ladakh	i. 5000 meters	1. ____
2. Himachal Pradesh	ii. 250 hours	2. ____
3. Height of Changthang	iii. Leh	3. ____
4. It takes to weave a plain Pashmina shawl	iv. Snow capped mountains	4. ____
5. Types of mountains are there in Leh	v. Manali	5. ____

**E Answer the following questions.**

1. What all things did Gaurav Jani carried with him?

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Why does weaving of Pashmina Shawl takes so much time?

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Which lake and river are situated near Srinagar? What kind of houses are seen near the lake?

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

4. What is the meaning of the word "Changthang?"

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

## Answer

A.

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|---------------|--------------------|-----------|------------|
| 1. Loner      | 2. Three           | 3. North  | 4. Animals |
| 5. Hilly area | 6. Mountain goat   | 7. Sloppy | 8. Yak     |
| 9. Dab        | 10. Stones and Mud |           |            |

B.

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|----------|----------|----------|---------|----------|
| 1. False | 2. True  | 3. False | 4. True | 5. True  |
| 6. True  | 7. False | 8. True  | 9. True | 10. True |

C.

1. Over these roofs Tashi and other families of Leh put their fruits and vegetables to dry in summers so that can use it in winters when they do not get fresh food.
2. The people of Changpa tribe get milk, meat, skin for tents and wool from their goats only.
3. At high attitudes, that is, as we go up the mountains, the level of oxygen in the air becomes less. As a result the breathing becoming more difficult and one has to rapidly draw more oxygen with force.
4. As there were no windows on the ground floor hence, the ground floor was protected from the cold winds. Thus, in order to protect them, from the icy cold winds of the winter season, they live on the ground floor.

D.

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| 1. iii | 2. v | 3. i | 4. ii | 5. iv |
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E.

1. Gaurav Jani packed a small tent, sleeping bag, plastic sheet, warm clothes and food that would remain fresh for some days. He also took his camera and extra cans for petrol.
2. The fine hair cannot be woven on machines and so weavers of Kashmir make these shawls by hand. This is a long and difficult process. After almost 250 hours of weaving, one plain Pashmina shawl is made.
3. Many families in Srinagar live in a 'Donga'. These boats can be seen in Dal Lake and Jhelum river. From inside the 'Donga' is just like a house with different rooms. Some old houses have a special type of window which comes out of the wall.
4. In the language of the Changpa 'Changthang' means a place where very few people live.