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Based on N.C.E.R.T pattern

**CHAPTER: 6: THE LAND OF SNOW** 

#### A. Tick the correct answer:

Ans 1: C , 2. D , 3. D , 4. B , 5. A

### **B. True and False:**

Ans: 1.True, 2.False, 3. True, 4. False, 5. True

## C. Answer these questions:

Ans: 1. The plains of the Greenland are covered with snow. The majority of its land area is covered by an ice cap which naturally makes it look white. That's why the island looks white.

Ans: 2. Five sentences on climate of Greenland are:

- 1. it has a very cold climate.
- 2. habitation of plants are very low.
- 3. animals like snow leopard are some animals present here .
- 4. it is also the largest island.

5. it had a very hot climate on January.

Ans: 3. The sea around Greenland affect the climate on land. The stretches of coastline close to the open sea in particular are cooled by the sea. Therefore during the summer months it is warmest and driest on land to the ice sheet.

Ans: 4. Polar bears, humpback whales, musk oxen, walruses, reindeer and white-tailed eagles are just some of the many animals you can experience on land, at sea and in the air around Greenland.

Ans: 5. An igloo (or igloos) is a shelter (a place for people to stay warm and dry) made from blocks of snow placed on top of each other, often in the shape of a dome (like half of a hollow ball). They were used in winter as temporary shelters by hunters when they were away from their regular homes.

### D.Think and answer:

Ans: The sun is visible for 24 hours in Greenland, which means that the sun does not rise or set for a few months each year. Greenland is also located north of the Arctic Circle. As a result, it's known as the "Land of the Midnight Sun."

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# **REVISION WORK (LEARN IT ALSO)**

#### Tick the correct answers:

1	The earth is a unique planet because a.it is the only planet in the solar system
	b.it has land masses and water bodies
	c. It is the coldest planet
	d. It is the hottest planet

- 2. The Explorer who sailed around the world was a Vasco De Gama......
- b. Christopher Columbus......
- c.Gerardus Mercator.....
- d. Ferdinand Magellan......

3.Political map show	<b>'S</b>		
a .countries and capi	tals		
b.rainfall and tempe	rature		
c.physical features	•••••		
d.population			
4 The ratio between the distance on a map and the actual distance on the ground is called			
a direction			
b sphere			
c.scale			
d.symbol			
5. The symbol used t	o show a city on a map is a		
a.dash	b. small circle		
c.triangle	d. rectangle		

6. The two endpoints of the	he earth Axis are called
a .dot	b. lines
c. poles	d. Cap
7. The part of the earth al	bove the equator is called
a.north pole	
b South pole	
c.Southern hemisphere	•••••
d. Northern hemisphere.	••••••
8. If Place are drawn at in be	iterval of 1 Degree there will
a 181 parallels	
b. 90 parallel	
c. 360 parallel	
d. 180 parallel	

9. The Prime Meridian passes through a place called a. Sandwich		
b. Greenwich		
cNorwich		
d.London		
10. To locate a place on a globe we must know its		
a latitude		
b.longitude		
c. latitude and longitude		
d. time zone		
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