

NCERT Class 6 Geography Syllabus

CLASS VI : THE EARTH - OUR HABITAT

Topics	Objectives
Planet: Earth in the solar system.	To understand the unique place of the earth in the solar system, which provides ideal condition for all forms of life, including human beings; (Periods-8)
Globe: the model of the earth, latitudes and longitudes; motions of the earth rotation and revolution.	To understand two motions of the earth and their effects; (Periods-12)
Maps: essential components of maps distance, directions and symbols.	To develop basic skills of map reading; (Periods-10)
Four realms of the earth: lithosphere, hydrosphere, atmosphere and biosphere: continents and oceans.	To understand interrelationship of the realms of the earth; (Periods-12)

Themes	Objectives
<p>Major relief features of the earth.</p> <p>India in the world: physiographic divisions of India – mountains, plateaus and plains; climate; natural vegetation and wild life; need for their conservation.</p>	<p>To understand major landforms of the earth; (Periods-10)</p> <p>To comprehend broad physiographic divisions of India; To describe the influence of land, climate, vegetation and wildlife on human life; To appreciate the need for conserving natural vegetation and wild life. (Periods-13)</p>
<p>Project/Activity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make a chart showing distance of the planets from the sun. • Draw a sketch of your school and locate the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the principal's room (ii) your classroom (iii) playground (iv) library • Show the major wildlife sanctuaries of your region on a political map of India. • Arrange for a trip to a wildlife sanctuary or zoo. <p>Note: Any similar activities may be taken up.</p>	