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1. THE EARTH 7

MCQs, fill in the blanks, mark true or false answer the questions. Brain Power, map-work

Life skill - thinking skill (make a map of your school)

2. LINES OF LATITUDE AND LINES OF LONGITUDE 14

MCQs, mark true or false, fill in the blanks, answer the questions. Brain Power, map-work, finding longitude and latitudes of metro cities

3. MAJOR LANDFORMS 19

MCQs, fill in the blanks, answer the questions, Brain Power, map-work, making a project

Life skill - thinking skill (place to spend summer vacation)



4. OUR NATURAL WEALTH 25

MCQs, fill in the blanks, answer the questions, Brain Power, making a posters

Life skill - thinking skill (source of power used for activity)

5. WEATHER AND CLIMATE 30

MCQs, mark true or false, answer the questions, Brain Power, map work

Life skill - thinking skill (knowing about the temperature, humidity)



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MCQs, mark true or false, match the columns, Brain Power, map-work, picture collection

Life skill - social skill (all men are equal)

7. GREENLAND - THE LAND OF ICE AND SNOW 45

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map-work, knowing about the lifestyle of people in the deserts

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MCQs, fill in the blanks, match the columns, answer the questions, Brain Power, learning terms related to farming, making a project

Life skill-emotional skill (making chapatis)



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MCQs, fill in the blanks, answer the questions, Brain Power, time taken by things to biodegrade

11. POLLUTION AND ITS PREVENTION

MCQs, fill in the blanks, answer the question, Brain Power, making smog in a glass jar

Life skill - thinking skill (holding a cleanliness work)

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making a chart and a model, making a project

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MCQs, fill in the blanks, mark true or false, answer the questions, Brain Power,
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the paper

Life skill - thinking and social skill (starting a monthly newsletter in school)

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Life skill - thinking skill (yoga is good for health)

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MCQs, answer the questions, Brain Power,
preparing a time line, picture collection

Life skill - social and emotional skill (contribution to society)

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MCQs, fill in the blanks, mark true or false, answer the questions, Brain Power,
enacting, a play, picture and information collection, learning to sing Vande Mataram

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MCQs, answer the questions, Brain Power,
creative writing, making a project

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scrapbook work, holding an election in class

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MCQs, fill in the blanks, match the columns, answer the questions, Brain Power,
knowing about Secretary General of the UN, chart making

Life skill - thinking and social skill (making your own UNO)

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