

**Worksheet**

**Chapter: The Desert**

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Q 1. Answer the following in short.

- a) What is an Oasis?
- b) How do desert plants and animals differ from most plants and animals?
- c) How do Sand Dunes form?
- d) Which Animal is called the “Ship of the Desert”? Write some special features of this animal.
- e) Why the temperature do rise during the day and fall at night in a desert?

Q2. Based on the chapter and your general knowledge write true or false against each of the following sentences.

- a) Ladakh is the cold desert.
- b) The Camel stores water in his hump.
- c) According to the specialists the desert is home of a variety of animals and plants which have learnt to live under hot and dry conditions.
- d) Sand Dune can disappear after some days.
- e) Cactus is succulent inside.

Q 3. Answer the following in detail.

A) Prepare a write up or a PPT on the lifestyle of people in the desert area focusing on their food, cloth, work, and social customs.

**OR**

Prepare a write up or a PPT on flora and fauna in any kind of the desert.