



-ANSWER SHEET-
NATIONAL GEOGRAPHY CHALLENGE - 2022

Grade 2 Contest

TIME: 35 Minutes

DATE: April 25 through May 6, 2022

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Note: In questions #9, #10, #11, #12 and #13, what is the word that does not belong?

9. A. Equator B. North Pole C. Europe D. Arctic Circle
10. A. plains B. mountains C. hills D. rivers
11. A. streams B. oceans C. gulfs D. seas
12. A. Miami B. Chicago C. Boston D. Mexico
13. A. ship B. plane C. road D. train

Note: Mr. Lynn wants to know how well his students understand landforms. He gives them these clues. He asks them to match each clue in Column A with the correct landform in Column B.

Column A
Clue

Column B
Landform

14. This place is very dry. It is not a beach but often has a lot of sand. A. mountain
15. This is a piece of land that sticks out into the ocean, There is water on three sides. It is not an island. B. desert
16. This is bigger than a hill. It is more than a thousand feet high. Sometimes it has snow on top. C. plain
17. This is a large flat area. Sometimes grasses grow on it. It is often used as farm land. D. peninsula
18. The best tool for finding a friend's house is _____.
- A. a globe B. a map
- C. an atlas D. a dictionary

19. Most maps have a drawing like this one. It shows directions. It has an arrow that always points north. The drawing is called _____.



- A. the scale of miles
- B. the Equator
- C. a map key
- D. a compass rose

20. Ms. Boyd asked her second graders to name a continent. Which student gave the right answer?

- A. Mia said, "The South Pole."
- B. Emily said, "India."
- C. Cal said, "Africa."
- D. Hank said, "The Atlantic Ocean."

21. People in cities live _____.

- A. on farms
- B. in neighborhoods
- C. in villages
- D. on house boats

22. The coldest place on Earth is _____.

- A. the Atlantic Ocean
- B. Canada
- C. North America
- D. Antarctica

23. Which one of these street names tells about the physical or natural feature of where the street is located?

- A. School House Road
- B. Lincoln Avenue
- C. Ocean Drive
- D. Market Street

24. This map shows the largest country in Asia. The country is _____.



- A. India
- B. Japan
- C. China
- D. Vietnam

25. When you write your home address, you give your ZIP code. A ZIP code is most helpful to _____.

- A. your friend for finding your house
- B. the telephone company for listing your phone number
- C. your school principal for knowing where you live
- D. the post office for delivering your mail