

20. Whose Forests?

Very short answer questions-

- I. Choose the correct answer to fill in the blanks.

fallen, ash, bamboo, tin, adivasis, contractors, developers, Suryamani, Cheraw, tins, Jharkhand, Torang, 25, rice, three-fourth, parrot, jungle

- a) The cut weeds are turned and their _____ is mixed with the soil to make ready for sowing.
- b) _____ are forest dwellers.
- c) _____ cut down forests.
- d) Forest _____ have a right on the forest.
- e) Baskets are woven from _____ and leaf plates are made from _____ leaves.
- f) _____ is called the daughter of the jungle.

- g) Suryamani lives in _____ state.
- h) 'Mirchi' is Suryamani's pet _____.
- i) Suryamani opened a centre named _____ to promote Kuduk language and adivasi culture and traditions.
- j) 'Torang' means _____ in Kuduk language.
- k) According to 'Right to Forest act' people who have been living in the forests for at least _____ years have a right over the forest land and what is grown on it.
- l) In Mizoram, a _____ is used as a standard unit to measure paddy and other grains.
- m) In Mizoram, farm land is measured in _____.
- n) Mizo people do their special _____ dance in celebrations.
- o) The main crop of Mizoram is _____.
- p) About _____ people in Mizoram are linked to the forests.