

**ST. THOMAS SCHOOL, SAHIBABAD**  
**ANNUAL EXAMINATION (2025-2026)**  
**CLASS- VIII**  
**GENERAL KNOWLEDGE WORKSHEET**

**TIME: 1 HOUR**

**MARKS OBTAINED: \_\_\_\_\_ MM:25**

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| <b>1.</b> | <b>Choose and tick (✓) the correct answer.</b>   |             |              |              |
| (a)       | The first genetically engineered drug that was approved; used to treat diabetes- 1   |             |              |              |
|           | (A) Glucagon   | (B) Insulin | (C) Glycogen | (D) Glycimax |
| (b)       | Which of the following country is the largest emitter of Carbon? 1   |             |              |              |
|           | (A) US   | (B) India   | (C) China    | (D) England  |
| (c)       | Which of the following is the national animal of England? 1  |             |              |              |
|           | (A) Tiger  | (B) Lion    | (C) Jaguar   | (D) Kangaroo |
| (d)       | The only South American nation with English as the official language- 1  |             |              |              |
|           | (A) Suriname   | (B) Uruguay | (C) Guyana   | (D) Chile    |
| <b>2.</b> | <b>Fill in the blanks.</b>   |             |              |              |
| (a)       | Salamanders that spend most of their time on land are called _____. 1  |             |              |              |
| (b)       | _____ is a high-tech, soil-free cultivation method where plant roots are suspended in the air and periodically misted with a nutrient-rich solution. 1 |             |              |              |
| (c)       | _____ is also called Star-fingered toad. 1   |             |              |              |
| (d)       | Certain bacteria are associated with the roots of _____ and help to make soil more fertile. 1  |             |              |              |
| <b>3.</b> | <b>Write True or False.</b>  |             |              |              |
| (a)       | Courtney Walsh was first to take 500 wickets in Tests. ( ) 1   |             |              |              |
| (b)       | India's oldest football club is Mohun Bagan AC. ( ) 1  |             |              |              |
| (c)       | In ancient times cowrie shells were used as currency in many places. ( ) 1   |             |              |              |
| (d)       | Orchid is the national flower of Thailand. ( ) 1   |             |              |              |
| <b>4.</b> | <b>Answer the following questions.</b>   |             |              |              |
| (a)       | Which country's cricket team is known as Proteas? _____ 1  |             |              |              |
| (b)       | Which Country had adopted The Star-Spangled Banner as its national anthem? _____ 1   |             |              |              |
| (c)       | Which US State is known as the Lone Star State? _____ 1  |             |              |              |
| (d)       | Who invented Vacuum flask? _____ 1   |             |              |              |

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| 5.  | <b>Identify the pictures.</b>  | 4  |
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|     | (a) _____  | (b) _____  |
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|     | (c) _____  | (d) _____  |
| 6.  | <b>Answer the following questions.</b>   |  |
| (a) | Who won SAFF Women's Club Championship? Which country hosted this tournament?  | 1  |
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| (b) | Which country has announced its first polymer banknote for circulation from January 2026? What is the currency of this country?                                      | 1  |
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| (c) | Which UN Report laid ground for the 1992 Earth Summit? Who prepared this report?   | 1  |
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| (d) | Who won three F1 World Championship before being killed in a crash at San Marino Grand Prix in 1994. Where did this incident happen?                                 | 1  |
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| (e) | What was the incident of Chittagong Armoury Raid?  | 1  |
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