

# Bakshi Memorial Public School

## Home Assignment

Class - VIII

Subject - Social Std.

### ① Activity

“Rahiman paani rakhiye,  
Bin paani sab soon,  
Paani gaye na ubere  
Mati, manus, Choon...”

[ Says Rahim, keep water, as without water there is nothing. Without water pearl, swan and dough cannot exist.]

These lines were written by the poet Abdul Rahim Khankhana, one of the nine gems of Akbar's court. What kind of resource is the poet referring to? Write in 100 words what would happen if this resource disappeared?

### ② Answer the following questions

- (i) What is Natural Resources?
- (ii) Why is Land considered an important resource?
- (iii) What attracted European trading Companies to India?

(iv) Describe the main features of the Permanent Settlement.

(v) Why does a democratic country need a Constitution?

③ Let's do

(i) Make a list of at least ten occupations in the city, town or village to which you belong, and find out how long they have existed. What does this tell you about the changes within this area?

④ Map Work :- locate and label on the map of India.

(i) Mumbai

(ii) Jharkhand

(iii) Mountain Soil

(iv) Desert Soil

(v) Mysore