

Class - 5

Social Science

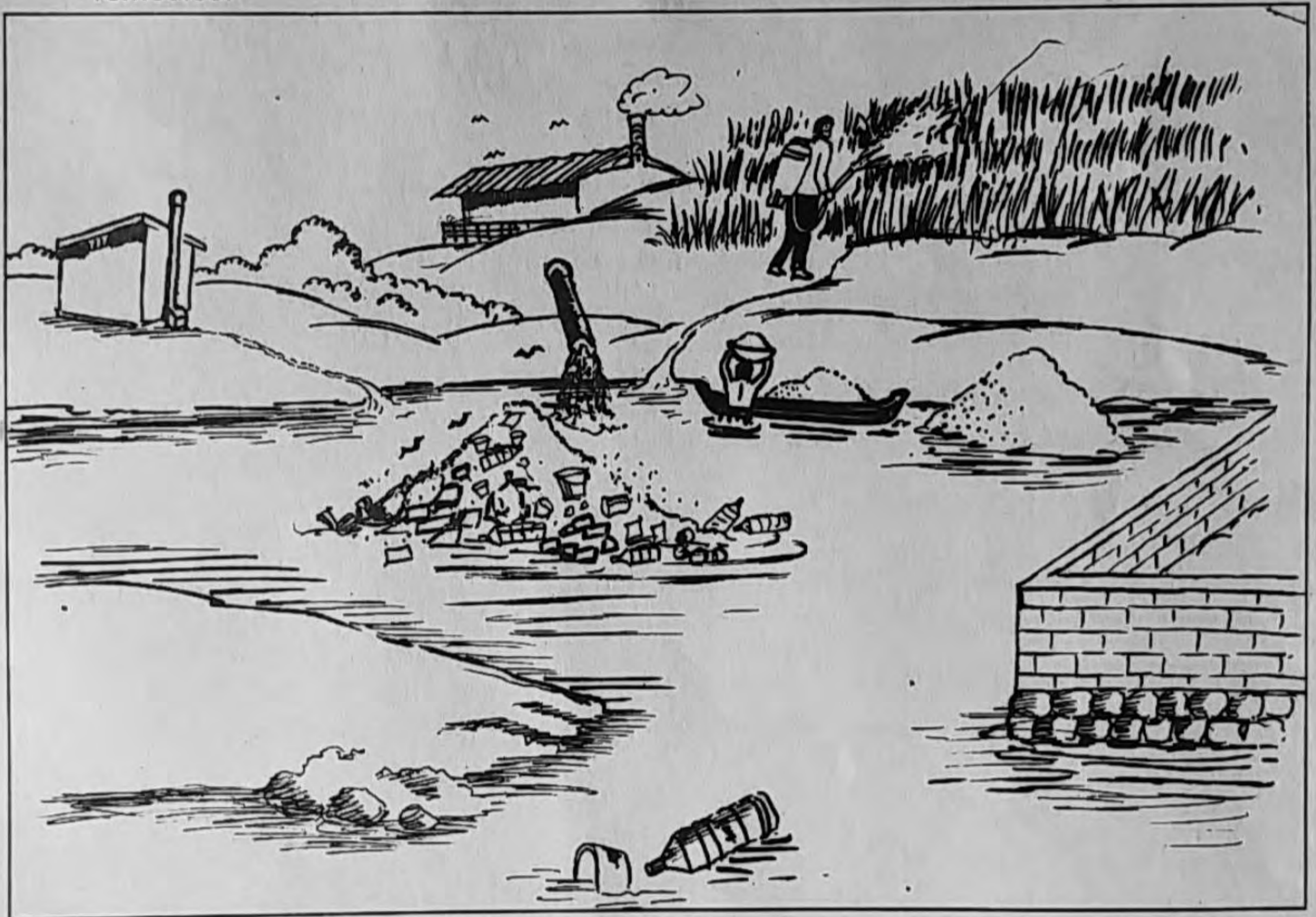
Time : 2 hours

**Instructions**

1. 15 minutes cool-off time is allotted for reading and understanding the activities.
2. Answer any **SIX** from the **EIGHT** activities given.
3. Answer all sub questions of the selected activities.

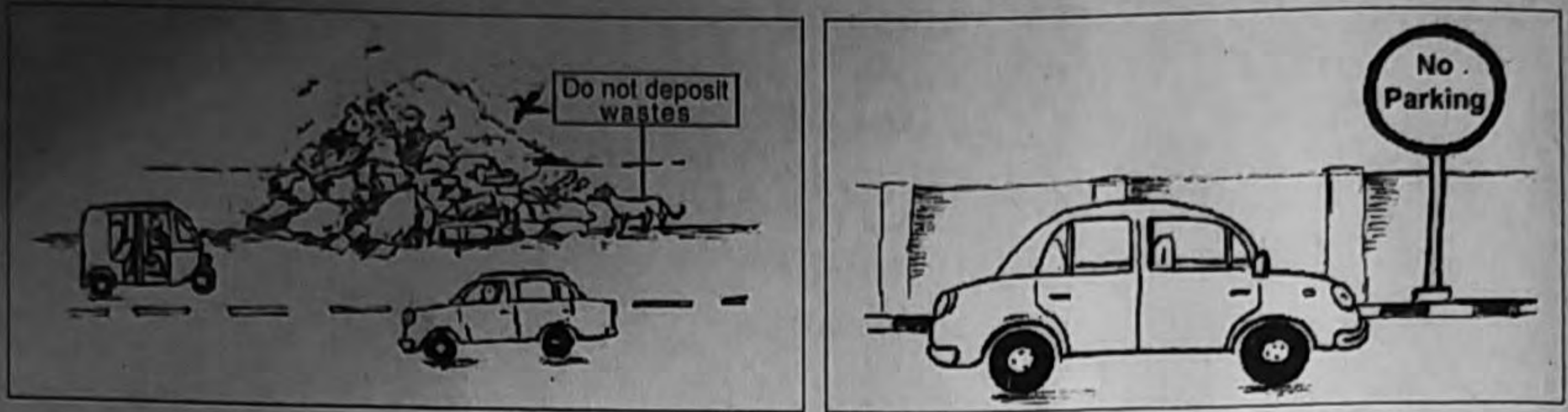
**Activity – 1**

- There are 44 rivers originating from the Western Ghats and flowing through Kerala.
- A) Which is the longest river in Kerala?
- a) Bharathapuzha      b) Pamba      c) Periyar      d) Chaliyar
- B) Observe the picture given below. Identify the problems caused to the rivers and suggest remedies.



## Activity – 2

- Democracy is not only a form of government but also a way of life. Observe the pictures given below.



- A) The pictures show some antedemocratic activities. Write any one antedemocratic activity except these, which you are familiar with.
- B) What are your duties as a citizen of a democratic country. Explain.

## Activity – 3

- The Guptas gave a lot of contributions in India.

- A) The following table shows some of the great scholars who lived during the Gupta period. Write down the fields in which they were famous for.

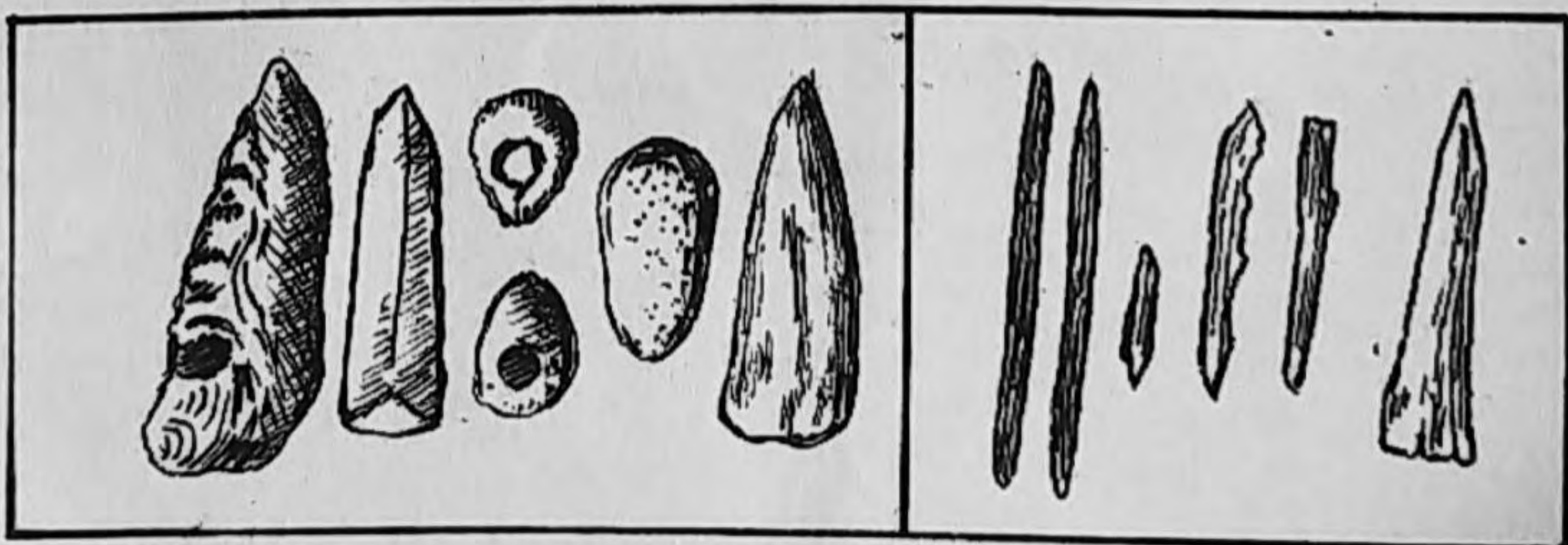
Scholars	Field
Kalidasa	
Varahamihira	Astronomy
Bhaskaracharya	

- B) Prepare a description about the social development during Gupta period. (based on Agriculture, Literature, Science)

## Activity – 4

- Tools and weapons were essential for ancient men to defend themselves from wild animals and to collect food.

Observe the picture given below.



- A) In which period did the people use the weapons given in the picture?
- B) Make a note of the social conditions of the period.

### Activity – 5




- Diversity exists on the topography, climate, plant and animal life of continents.
- A) Identify the continent given below.



- B) Features of some continents are given. Pick out the features of Europe and Australia from those given below.
- Most of the regions are deserts.
  - It is the smallest continent.
  - It is located between Pacific Ocean and Atlantic Ocean.
  - It is located between Atlantic Ocean and Asian continent.
  - It is sixth in size.
  - It is fifth in size.
  - It is otherwise called Oceania.

### Activity – 6

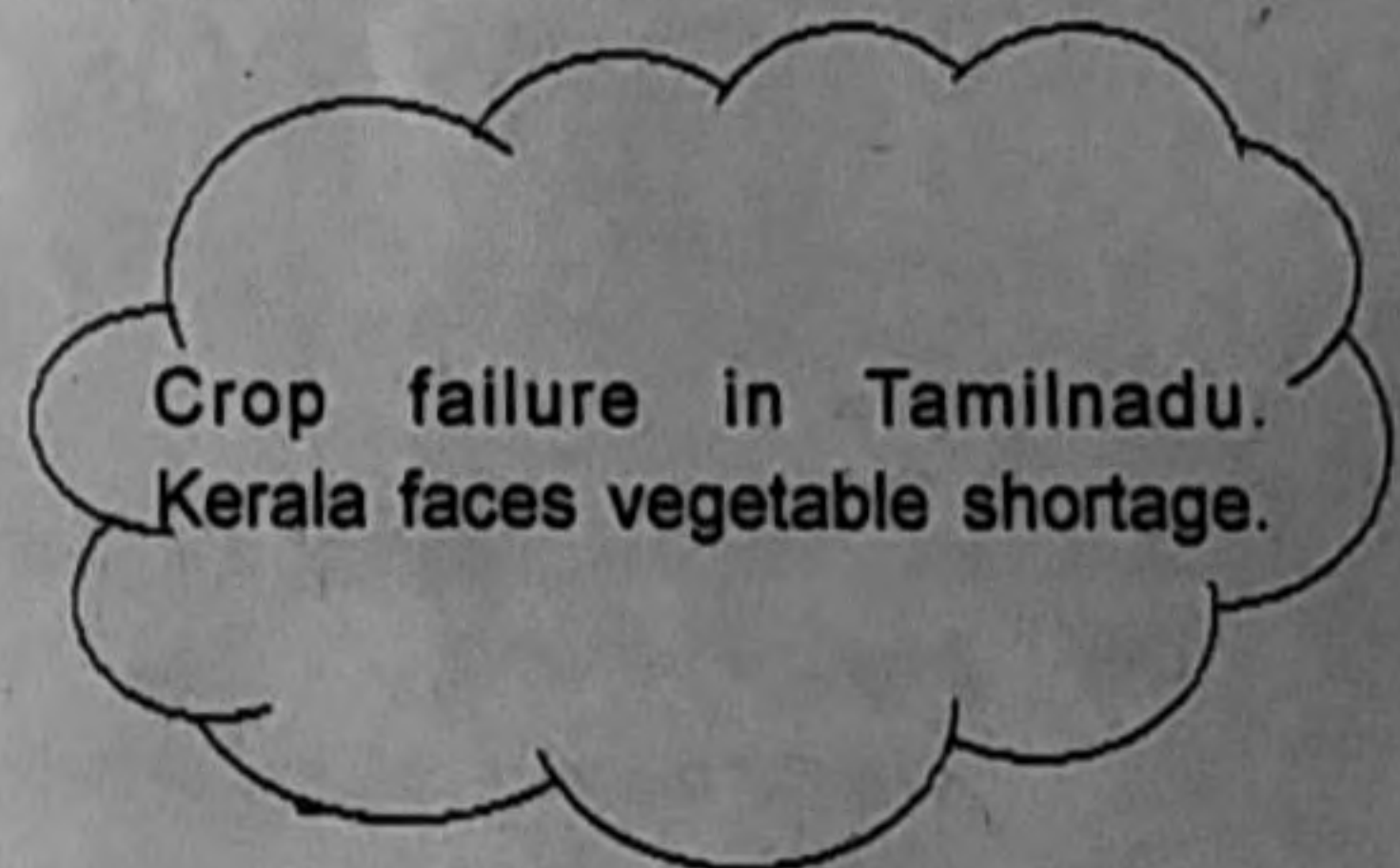
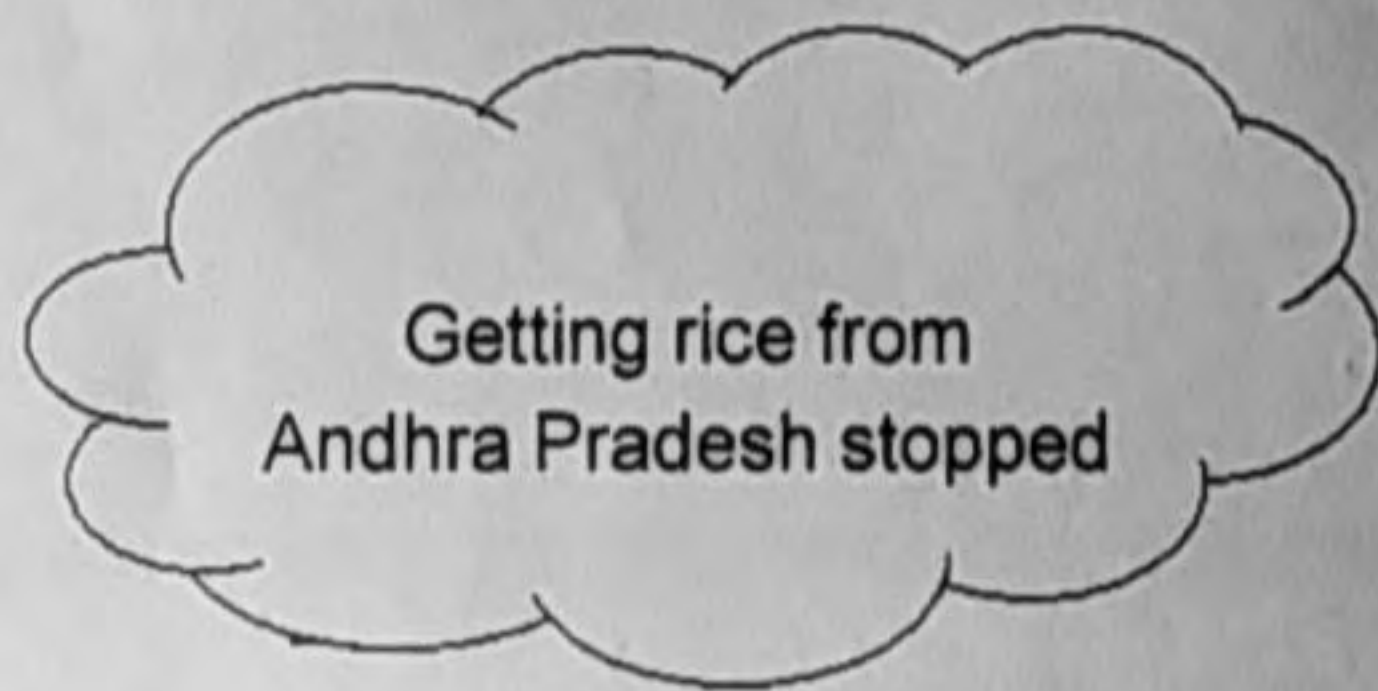
- The night sky scenes have created curiosity and anxiety on human beings since ancient times.
- A) Pictures of some members of the solar system are given below. Identify their features and complete the table.

Members of Solar System		Features
	Asteroids	
	Comets	
	Meteoroids	

- B) What is solar system?  
 C) Name the galaxy in which the solar system is included?

### Activity – 7

- Kerala has an agro - based culture, even though it depends other states for food items.



Did you read the news?

- A) What are the challenges faced by Kerala on food production? Suggest remedies.  
 (Any two challenges and two remedies)
- B) Write a proverb associated with agriculture.

### Activity – 8

- India is divided into States and Union territories, for administrative convenience.

- A) Locate the following places in the map of India.  
 (Mark the serial number of the question in the region which you select as answer)
- Northern most State of India.
  - National capital territory.
  - In addition to Punjab, which state has Chandigrah as its capital.
  - Smallest state in India.
  - The island situated in Arabian Sea, which is a part of India.

Activity – 8

(After completing the task, give back the outline map along with the answer sheet)

