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## Important latitudes

## - 0 degree= Equator <br> tropic of Cancer

- 23.5aN = Fropic of Cancer ซigeraplo Arctic Circle Antarotic oircle $66.5^{\circ} \mathrm{S}$
- $90 \mathrm{~N} \mathrm{~N}_{\text {sumple }}=$ North Pole $\quad$ North Pole $90^{\circ} \mathrm{N}$


Arctic Circle $66.5^{\circ} \mathrm{N}$
Tropic of Cancer $23.5^{\circ} \mathrm{N}$
Equator $0^{\circ}$ degrees
Tropic of Capricorn $23.5^{\circ} \mathrm{S}$
Antarctic Circle $66.5^{\circ} \mathrm{S}$
South Pole $90^{\circ} \mathrm{S}$

## North

Pole


## Identify pictures \& motion of earth?



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## Motion of the Earth

- Revolution - The Earth revolves
- The rotation - the Earth rotates(spins) around its axis. The Earth completes one rotation in 24 hours ( 23 hours 56 minutes 4.09 seconds). If we look down upon earth from outside, the earth is tound to rotate in anticlockwise direction, i.e.,from west to east around the sun in an elliptical orbit. This motion is called Revolution. To complete one revolution Earth takes 365 days 5 hours 48 minutes \&45 seconds. (365.25 days )
- Leap year- the earth takes 365 days and 6 hours to complete the revolution. 365 days are included in a normal year and by adding rest 6 hours together, one additional day is N included in the fourth year which"is in Fébruary (29 days )
Winter SIIN Summer The path on which in it describes its, motion is called Orbit. The shape of ${ }_{s}$ the orbit is an ellipse.
maginary line passing through the centre of earion lis invo ends surface are called North \& South poles




## Perihelion (near)\& Aphelion (far)

- Parithelion= The mean distance of the earth from the sun is 150 million KM but because of the elliptical shape of the orbit the distance varies from time to
 the sum.
- Abhelion= the earthis at the farthest point from the sun on or about July 4.in this position the earth is at a distance of 152 million $\mathbf{k m}$
- Speed the mean speed on the earth in its orbit is $107,000 \mathrm{~km}$ per hour. The speed comes to 29.72 km per second


Do you know axis till ？ $66.5+23.5=90$
let＇s see Parallelism of axis

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## SEASONS AT A GLANCE

FALL／SPRING



- Determination of fatuturdes




## Seasons

Arrange the season in the order of their



What are the causes of seasonal change? Revolution, axis tilt, apparent movement of the sun, elliptical orbit




## The apparent movement of the

 Sun- Since the parallelism is maintained throughout the revolution, the position of the sun in relation to the earth varies. The sun shifts apparently between Tropic of Cancer(23.5 degree N ) and Tropic of Capricorn(23.5 degree S).





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## Say the Day \＆Latitude ？

North Pole $90^{\circ} \mathrm{N}$

Arctic Circle $66.5^{\circ} \mathrm{N}$

Tropic of Cancer $23.5^{\circ} \mathrm{N}$
Equator $0^{\circ}$ degrees
Tropic of Capricorn $23.5^{\circ} \mathrm{S}$
Antarctic Circle $66.5^{\circ} \mathrm{S}$
South Pole $90^{\circ} \mathrm{S}$
$231 / 2^{\circ} \mathrm{N}$
$0^{\circ}$

## $231 / 2^{\circ} \mathrm{S}$

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## Change in the apparent position of the sun due to the inclination and parallelism of the earth's axis.

## The parallelism of the Earth's axis

- The Earth maintainsthe tilt (The axis of the earth is inclined to $661 / 2^{\circ}$ from the plane of the orbit and it is $281 / 2^{\circ}$ icoin the vertical to the plane of orbit.) through but its revolution is known as The parallelism vithe Earth's axis.
- The earth moves inpicurbital path around the sun in such a way that its North pole always points towards a star Peléstar ( polaris )










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## Describe the changes in apparent position of the sun during seasons



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Position
A March 21

## B June 2

C September 28
D December 22

| Months | Apparent movement of the sun | seasons | seasons |
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|  |  | Northern Hemisphere | Southern hemisphere |
| From March 21 to June 21 |  |  |  |
| From June21 to September 23 |  |  |  |
| From September 23 to December 22 |  |  |  |
| From December 22 to March 21 |  |  |  |




| Months | The apparent movement of the sun | Seasons |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Northern hemisphere | Southern hemisphere |
| From March 21 to June 21 | From the Equator to the Tropic of Cancer | Spring | Autumn |
| From June 21 to September 23 | From the Tropic of Cancer to the Equator | Summer | Winter |
| From September 23 to December 22 | From the Equator to the Tropic of Capricon | Autumn | Spring |
| From December 22 to March 21 | From the Tropic of Capricon to the Equator | Winter | Summer |




Find out the position of sun \& dates? リCリ
 equal during these days on both the Hemispheres

## Solstice

The longest day\＆shortest night／longest night
\＆shortest day in the one hemisphere．

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| March 21 | Equinox <br> The sun will be vertically above the Equator |
| June 21 | The summer Solstice <br> The sun will be vertically above the Tropic of Cancer |
| September <br> 23 | Equinox <br> The sun will be vertically above the Equator |
| December 22 | The winter solstice <br> The sun reaches vertically above the tropic of Capricorn |

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The northern and southern hemisphere are equally inclined towards the sun. The circle of illumination passes through the North \& South poles. Days \& nights are equal.

- March 21
- The sun rays are
 vertical at the equator The position on March 21 is called Spring Equinox
- It is the situation between Winter \& Summer in northern hemisphere.


September 23
The sun rays are vertical at the equator The position on September 23 is called Autumn Equinox

- It is the situation between Summer \& Winter in northern
UCV hemisphere

The earth leans towarcls tine sun by various degrees in the coursewof one revolution.

- On June 21 the earth leans towards the sun at the maximum angle the northern hemisphere is tipped towards the sun and the southern hemisphere away from the sun. Thiscondition oif the earth in relation to sun is called
- After 6 months on December 22 the earth occupies equivalent position on the opposite point in its orbit. This time the southern hemisphere is tipped towards the sun and northern hemisphere away from the sun. This position of the earth is called Winter solstice.


## Identify pictures, vertical sun rays \& latitude



－June 21－
 sun rays are vertical at 23．5．odegree N the nonthern hemisphere becomes hot．The season／sucalled summer days are longer thagn night in northern hemisphere
on \＆above 66.5 degree N the day is 24 hour long
＠the pole the day is 6 month long
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Generally, hot climate prevails in the pryatian egion thin ughout the year. Seasonal difyergice are profound in the mid latitudgs. Towards the poles, summer are cooler \& shorter and winters, severe and longer.
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## Effects of the rotation of the

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- Formantion of cays and night
- Changes la the direction of winde
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## Facts associated with rotation

- The earth rotates from west to east
- It takes 24 hours to complete on rotation
- As the earth rotates from west to east, the sun rises first in the eastern side. cellentated by dividing the lengthr on en paratiel dy 24 hours ( equator $17006 \mathrm{~cm} / \mathrm{min}$ )


Ilooked at the clock－pt was showing 12．The ali hostess announced that we should set all our watches back by five and a half hours．As per our watches it was 5.30 lndian Standard Time．One could say the aircraift was flying towards the Ulest，literally swallowing our Indilan Standard Timen Mle had to turn badk the hands of our watches every nous and then accordingly．

Excerpted Prom SK Pottekkatis Pathirosooryante Naattil （＂lin the Land of the Midnight Sun＂）


## The land of midnight sun

The sun shines even at midnight！Not for a single day， but for six months throughout in the Arctic and the Ant－ arctic Circles．But don＇t think that the sun will be verti－ cally overhead during those days．The sun can be seen only on the horizon．The remaining six months are shrouded in darkness．Day light lasts only for one or two
 hours．The land will be covered with snow．Human life and limited agriculture here are all scheduled according to the peculiarities of this climate．



## What is the time now?

## What is local time?

When the sun is vertically overhead, it is noon. The time estimated at each place, based on the apex position of the sun, is termed as the local time.


Is the local time in all the Indian states the same?

Can you say
12 AM for Midnight 12 PM for Noon?
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## Is the local time in all Indian states the same?

What will be the complications if there are
several local times in a country?
Cannot prepare a railway time table applicable throughout the country Cannot give information on radio programs


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## Middlle latitude

Standlard time

- On converting 24 hours into minutes
$24 \times 60=1440$ minutes
- That is, the time required for the completion of one rotation


## $97=1440$ minutes

- The time required for the earth to complete the rotation of $1^{\circ}$ longitude is
1440 | 360
$=4$ minutes.
The time required for the rotation of
$15^{\circ}$ Iongitudinall area
Is $15 \times 4=60$ minutes ( 1 hour).
$7.5^{\circ}$ area $=7.5 \times 4=30$ minutes
time advances towards the east and recedles towards the west.
82.5 degree East $=$ ?

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- The earth makes one complete rotation onit hours
- There are 350 longitudes on the glob
- All the merilians are exposed to the one day
- One day 224 hours $=24 \times 60$ minutes
- The time needed to complete the ldegree rotateratizat

- The time needed for 7.5 degree rotation $=7.5 \times 4=30$ minuteror half an hour
The time required fop 15 degree rotation $=15 \times 4=60$ minulest (lhoul )
- The earth rotates from west to east, time aduances towards the east and recedes towarde the west

South Pole



- The meridian passes through an observa situated at Greenwich (UK) is called th meridian
- Those meridians which are situated to prime meridian are called eastern meridiarss
- Those meridians which are situated to the nestare called western meridians
- 180 degree east \& west are the same meridians but the difference in time is 24 hours I one full day
- The time east to fast and westdo slow
- 180 degree longitude Theme is a difference of 24 hours on either side of this liftede longitude. So it is drawn deviated to avoid flieridand areas and to pass entirely through the ocean. (Bering Strait and Pacific Ocean)

Longitude


COMPARATIVE TIME-TABLE, SHOWING THE TMMB at THE PRINCIPAL CLTIES OR THE UNTTED STATES COMPARED WITH WOOF AT WAEHIFGTON, D. C.






## Greenwich time (GMT)

The zero degree longitude is known as the Greenwich meridian. It acquires its name from Greenwich, the place where the Royal British observatory is situated and through which this line passes. Time is calculated worldwide is based on the Greenwich line. Hence this line is also known as the prime meridian. The local time at the prime meridian is known as the Greenwich Mean Time. Based on the Greenwich line, the world is divided into $\mathbf{2 4}$ zones, each with a time difference of one hour.

These are known as time zones.



- Every country considers a particular longitude as their standard meridian for determining time. Why?
- The local time is different at different longitudes. If the same country follows different time, this may create a lot of confusions and problems. So the longitude passing almost through the middle of the country is considered as the standard meridian.
- The focal time at this longitude is considered as the Standard Time.


Why do wertain countries consider more than one longitude às their－standard－mendidians？Give an example for such a
－Nevada Wyoming Nebraska Iowa Illinois Pennsylvania＊New Jersey Connecticut

Kansas＊ Missouri Kentucky＊VIrginia
－It：is not practicat to follow only one Standard Time for the countries vith widile longitudinal extent．So more than one ain Iongitudes are considered as standlard meridians． Eg：Russia，China，USA
－What is the standlard meridlian of incliá？
－The longitudinal extent of India－ 68 degree east to 97 degree east
ie 68 ＋97＝ 165
165 ｜ 2 ＝ 82.5 degree east
－IST＝82．5 E
－ $821 / 2^{\circ}$ East longitude passes almost through the middle of the country．

Each country in the world considers the longitude that passes almost through its middleas the standard metidian．The local time at the standard meridian is the stand ärd time of that

Indidanstandardraine（IST）
The longitudinall extent of India is from $68^{\circ} \mathrm{E}$ to $97^{\circ} \mathrm{E}$ ．This amounts roughatyto $29^{\circ}$ ．The $821 / 2^{\circ} \mathrm{E}$ longitude isconsidered as standardi meridian of India．The local time along this longitude
is geinerally considered as the common timpo filkdia．This is

Why is the $8212^{\circ}$ E longitude considered as the standard meridian of if in wasindia？

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## International Date Line

Think of the difficulties if the same place records two different times with 24 hours difference. To solve this problem, adjustments have been made avoiding the land areas along the $180^{\circ}$ longitude. Note the longitude marked with broken lines. The line is so arranged as to avoid some of the islands to the south of the Bering Strait in the

Pacific Ocean. The travellers who cross this line from the east calculate time by advancing one day and those who cross the line from the west deduct one day. This imaginary line is known as the


International Date Line.
Note the International Date Line marked on the globe. Identify the continents situated to the east and the west of this line. The travellers
to which of these continents will gain one day on crossing the International Date Line?



Answer the following questions based on IDL
(i) what is IDL?
(ii) Explain the peculiarity of the IDL with reason?
(iii) Estimate the time at IDL when GMT is 12 noon?
(i) the 180th meridian ( longitude ) is International Date Line. $180^{\circ}$ Iongitude to the east and west of Greenwich
(ii) To avoid 24 hours difference adjustments have been made avoiding the land areas along the $180^{\circ}$ Iongitude. It passes only through ocean (the Bering Strait in the Pacific Ocean.). The line is fluctuated.
Travellers gain or loss a day on crossing this line,
(iii) Midnight 12 ( $180^{\circ} \mathrm{E}$ Next day, $180^{\circ} \mathrm{W}$ same day)There ends a day and begins another day


## Let"scalculate time.



## Let"s_calculate time.




- Solar day is that period of day \& night which is based upon local time
- The difference between the IST and GMT Standard meridian of India $=82.5$ degree E time difference is $=82.5^{\circ} \times 4$ minute $=330$ minutes ie $330^{\prime} / 60=5.5$ hour
- What will be the time at Payyoli (kozhikode) when it is noon at London (England)?
- What is the Greenwich Mean Time whentithe Indian Standlard time is 2 pm



## Let's calculate time.

- Determine the local time at 45
-45E-45/n5=3hrs
$10 \mathrm{am}+3 \mathrm{hrs}$ a 1 pmused


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- The time on June 21 Monday $=10 \mathrm{pm}$ the longitude at this place $=70 \mathrm{E}$ the longitude at other place $=170 \mathrm{E}$ The difference of the latitude $=\mathbf{1 7 0}-\mathbf{7 0}=\mathbf{1 0 0}$ The difference of time between the two places $=100 \times 4$ $=400$ minutes(hour-400/60=6hr 40mt The other place is east to the first place. The time at 170 E will be ahead of the first

The time at $170^{\circ} \mathrm{E}=10 \mathrm{pm}+6 \mathrm{hrs} 40 \mathrm{mts}=4.40 \mathrm{AM}$ Day changed to Tuesday \& date June 22

- It is 4 Am at 70 degree $W$ on Tuesday. What will be the time and day on 165 W
- The time on Tuesdlay $=4 \mathrm{Am}$

solicsunwest to $70 \mathrm{~W}=$ (subtract) 4AM-6.20
= 9.40 PM The dlay is one dlay before Wednesdlay

Arrange the seasons in the order of their occurrence. Describe the changes in apparent position of the sun during these seasons -5 -score Ans; winter, spring, summer, autumn During winter (Dec 22 to Mar 21) from tropic of Capricorn to equator

## 2018 March

## What do you mean by parallelism of axis? How does it causes seasons?

The earth is tilted at an angle of $661 / 2^{\circ}$ from the orbital plane. If measured from the vertical plane this would be $\mathbf{2 3 1} 1 \mathbf{2}^{\circ}$. The earth maintains this tilt throughout its revolution. This is known as the parallelism of the earth's axis.

The position of the sun in relation to the earth varies ( the apparent movement of the sun ) The apparent movement of the sun due to the inclination of axis is the reason for the occurrence of seasons.


- Identify the factor responsible for the occurrence of seasons from among the following:
a. Revolution of the earth
b. Tilt of the earth's axis
c. Parallelism of the earth's axis
d. All the above
-The sun's rays fall vertically between Tropic of Cance and Tropic of Capricorn Why?
-Highlight the importance of March 21, June 21, Septe: 23, and December 22.
- Why is the International Date Line not straight unlik other longitudes?

- Why is there an eastward increase and westward decrease in time?
Extended activities
Record your observations on the changes in nature in different seasons and prepare a weather observation diary


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- Bxplains the vaniouls seasons as viel-an

- Explains the equinoxes, solstices and the



