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**SOCIAL SCIENCE**  
**WORKSHEET**

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GRADE: V

**CHAPTER-9 Transport and Communication**

**I. Fill in the blanks.**

1. Transport on land occurs on roads and rail
2. Water transport is one of the oldest modes of transport apart from land transport.
3. Suez and Panama are two of the most important canals for international trade.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Communication occurs directly between two people or a within small group of people. personal
5. There are mainly three modes of transport Land, water and Air.
6. The invention of Steam engine revolutionised land transport.
7. Roads are of two types: paved and unpaved.
8. Highways do not have cross roads or sharp bends
9. Transport by ships is cheaper than by road or air.
10. Documentary films are made to spread information or provide education
11. Roads connecting major cities are called highways
12. SMS Service helps us to send text from a smartphone.
13. Communication is an exchange of information between people.
14. Steam engine is invented by Thomas newcomen
15. Transport on land occurs over roads, roads and rails.

**II. Write 'True' or 'False'.**

1. National highways connect important cities. True
2. Bulky goods like food grains, minerals, oil and petroleum are transported by ships. True
3. Suez Canal is in Germany. False
4. National Highways can have four or even six lanes. True
5. Printed books and newspapers were two early forms of mass media. True
6. A radio is an audio device. True
7. Facebook, Twitter and WhatsApp are some of the popular social media services. True
8. Air transport is an inexpensive mode of transport. True
9. India is surrounded by sea on three sides. True
10. EV runs on fossil fuels. False

**III. Multiple choice questions.**

1. Bullet trains were first introduced in which country?  
(a) USA      (b)  Japan      (c) India      (d) France
2. Which city amongst the following is not a port city?  
(a)  Delhi      (b) Mumbai      (c) Cochin      (d) Kolkata
3. Suez Canals connects which two continents?  
(a)  Europe and Asia      (b) Africa and Europe  
(c) Australia and North America      (d) North America and South America
4. Which is not a social media service?  
(a) Facebook      (b) Twitter      (c) Whatsapp      (d)  E-mail
5. What is the most popular mode of written communication today?  
(a)  E-mail      (b)  Letter      (c) Telegram      (d) Chat



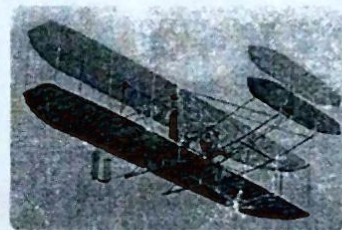
6. Which of the following is not a part of social media?  
 (a) Facebook (b) Twitter (c) SMS (d) Whatsapp
7. What is the important means of mass communication for people who cannot read or write?  
 (a) Telephones (b) Radio (c) Newspaper (d) Books
8. When was hot air balloon invented?  
 (a) 1753 (b) 1876 (c) 1784 (d) 1802
9. What is the top speed of the Vande Bharat train?  
 (a) 180 km/h (b) 120 km/h (c) 150 km/h (d) 160 km/h
10. One of these devices connected to the internet to help us communicate.  
 (a) Television (b) Smartphone (c) Telephone (d) Radio

**IV. Answer the following questions.**

1. How do electric vehicles reduce pollution in the cities?
2. Name some of the fastest trains in India.
3. What is personal communication? Name any two.
4. Name some of the major port cities in India.
5. Trace the history of water transport.
6. Name the different modes of transport.

**V. Picture-based question.**

1. Can you name the aircraft shown in the picture?
2. What is special about this aircraft?
3. What distance did it fly during its first flight?



**VI. Name them.**

1. The largest passenger aircraft. *Boeing 747-8*
2. Name the two important canals. *Suez, Panama*
3. Ships that carry thousands of trucks or airlines. *Cargo*
4. The cheapest mode of transport. *Water transport*
5. How early humans travelled across land? *foot*
6. Name any one port in India. *Chennai*
7. Fastest train in India. *Vande Bharat*
8. Who invented telephone? *Alexander Graham Bell*
9. Write examples of mass communication. *print media*
10. Name two modern developments in mass communication. *Augmented Reality, Virtual Reality*
11. Name the artificial waterway. *Canals*

- 1) It is a flyer I aircraft built by Wright Brothers
- 2) This is the world's first aircraft.
- 3) Flyer I flew a distance of only 40 metres during its first flight.