

CHAPTER: 1

OUR ENVIRONMENT & SOCIETY

Topics 1: VARIATIONS IN NATURAL ENVIRONMENT

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- Definition of Environment.
- Types of Environment.
- Definition of Natural Environment.
- Natural Environment in various region.
- Natural Environment in North Region of Bangladesh.
- Natural Environment of South Region of Bangladesh.
- Definition of Weather.
- Definition of Climate.

Definition of Environment:

Everything around us is called environment. The place where we live, all things like soil, air, animals everything is included in environment.

Types of Environment:

There are mainly two types of Environment. They are-

1. Natural Environment
2. Social Environment

Definition of Natural Environment:

The environment which consists of various elements of nature is called Natural Environment. Some Elements of Nature are soil, air, water, light, heat, animal, birds, river and ocean.

Natural Environment in various region:

Natural environment is different in various region of world. Like in the world some area is desert, and some area are covered with ice. Some area is hot and some area is cold.

Natural Environment in North Region of Bangladesh:

Natural Environment is different also in Bangladesh in North and South Region.

In North Region, the land is higher, there are few river in north region. Weather in north region is very hot in summer and very cold in winter.

Natural Environment in South Region of Bangladesh:

In South Region, the land is lower. There are many river in south region. Because of many river there are more flood in South Region.

Definition of Weather:

Explain of the atmosphere at a particular place during a short period of time.

Definition of Climate:

Climate is long term average of weather in a place.

Activities:

1. **Pair Work:** Students make pair and they write the difference in natural environment in North and South region of Bangladesh.

