STEPPING STONE SCHOOL (HIGH)

CLASS: V

Subject: Social Studies **Date: 29.04.2020**

Topic: Locating Places On The Earth **Time Limit: 30 Mins**

Worksheet No. : 2

[Copy the questions following the notes and solve them on a sheet of paper date wise. Keep the worksheets ready in a file to be submitted on the opening day.]

The network of imaginary lines is called **Grid.**

IMAGINARY LINES :-

The imaginary lines found on maps, globes etc. are called latitudes and longitudes.

LATITUDES

Equator:-The earth is divided into two equal halves by a line which runs horizontally from east to west direction. This imaginary line is called the **Equator.**

The northern part of the globe is called the **Northern Hemisphere** and the southern part is called the **Southern Hemisphere.**

IMPORTANT LATITUDES:-

North Pole (90°N)

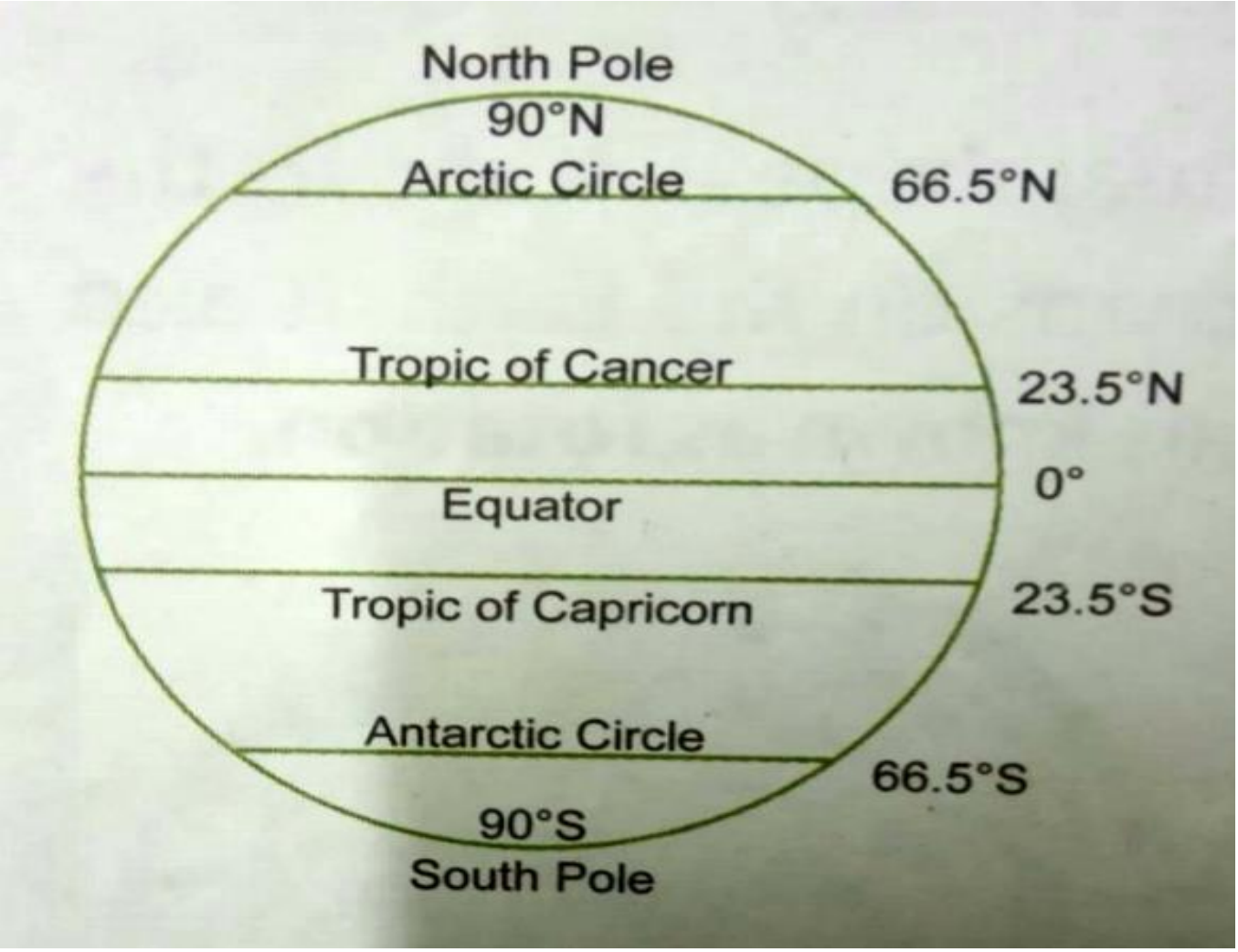
Tropic Of Cancer (23.5°N)

Arctic Circle (66.5°N)

South Pole(90°S)

Tropic Of Capricorn (23.5°S)

Antarctic Circle (66.5°)



IMPORTANT LINES OF LATITUDE

These imaginary horizontal lines run from east to west in direction and are parallel to each other and are called the **parallels of latitudes.**

1.The latitudes are measured in degree (°).

2.'N' stands for Northern Hemisphere, **'S'** stands for Southern Hemisphere.

3.The equator represents zero degree latitude.

4.There are a total of 180 latitudes—90 to the North and 90 to the South of the Equator.

ASSIGNMENT:-

Fill in the blanks:-

1.The network of imaginary lines is called a ------.

2.The latitudes are measured in -----.

3.The ---- represents zero degree latitude.

Draw the important lines of latitudes.