# Junior Geography Bee Sample Questions - Regionals

The following questions will help participants prepare for the 2024 North South

Foundations Regionals. Degree of difficulty will closely resemble what you see	
below.	

- 1. Lake Pontchartrain is located north of New Orleans in which state known for its large cargo ports?
- A. Texas
- B. Georgia
- C. Louisiana
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- 2. The city of Porto and the Algarve region are both located in what European country bordering Spain with Lisbon as its capital?

# **Portugal**

- **3**. The Gateway of India is in what large city in the state of Maharashtra?
- A. Mumbai
- B. Nagpur
- C. Kolkata
- A. Mumbai
- 4. The island of Luzon is among the most populous in what country?
- A. Indonesia
- B. Japan
- C. The Philippines
- D. Papua New Guinea
- C. The Philippines
- 5. Which landlocked country in South America has two capitals and shares the Altiplano Plateau with Peru? **Bolivia**
- **6.** The region of Transylvania is in what European country that has Bucharest as its capital?
- A. Bulgaria
- B. Romania
- C. Serbia
- B. Romania
- 7. The East Siberian Sea is part of what ocean?
- A. Arctic Ocean
- B. Pacific Ocean
- C. Atlantic Ocean
- C. Arctic Ocean

**8.** The headquarters of the United Nations is in Geneva, a city on its namesake lake, in what European country whose largest city is Zurich?

## **Switzerland**

- 9. The Rann of Kutch and the city of Surat are in what Indian state bordering the Arabian Sea?
- A. Uttarakhand
- B. Gujarat
- C. Jharkhand
- B. Gujarat
- **10.** Guantanamo Bay is a US military base on what Caribbean Island that is associated with the October 1962 Bay of Pigs invasion that brought the United States and the former Soviet Union to the brink of a nuclear crisis?
- A. Puerto Rico
- B. Cuba
- C. Dominican Republic

#### Cuba

- **11.** Which European capital city, which was once the center of a namesake empire, is located on the Tiber River? **Rome**
- **12.** Carbon dioxide, a greenhouse gas that traps heat in the atmosphere, is the main cause of global warming or El Nino?

## **Global warming**

**13.** In general, according to scientists, higher latitudes are warming faster than mid-latitude regions. This would mean which regions are warming faster-between 35 degrees and 45 degrees north and south, or the Arctic region?

## **Arctic region**

- **14.** What is the term for a large, slow-moving mass of ice-rapids or glacier? **Glacier**
- **15.** What is the term for a body of water surrounded by land? **Lake**