## INTERNATIONAL INDIAN SCHOOL BURAIDAH

Class: 6 Saudi History & Culture Worksheet No. 5

## Fill in the blanks:

- 1. Originally, the Kiswah or the cloth of Ka'aba was made in Najran.
- 2. The name given to the city of Al Baha is **Pearl of Resorts.**
- 3. Abha is the capital of **Asir** province in Saudi Arabia.
- 4. Ta'if has a pleasant climate all year round.
- 5. The most important tourist destination at Dammam is the <u>Alkhleej Makarim Village</u> on the Half Moon Beach.
- 6. The main attraction of Jeddah is the entry to two cities **Makkah** and **Madinah**.
- 7. Riyadh has become a focal point for travel and trade.

## Answer the following questions:

**1.** Where are the industrial cities of Riyadh located?

**Ans.** The industrial areas are located on the East and the North-East of the city, including some of the world's largest factories of oil-related industries.

2. Why is Jeddah categorized as the business capital of Saudi Arabia?

**Ans.** Jeddah is categorized as the business capital of Saudi Arabia because it has major international companies along with a huge variety of local business.

3. What is Dammam known for?

**Ans.** Dammam is known for some of the most important petroleum refining centers in the world. It is the largest city in the Eastern Province and a very important seaport of Saudi Arabia.

**4.** Where is the city of Ta'if located?

**Ans.** Ta'if is a city located about 60 miles south east in the Makkah Province of Saudi Arabia at an elevation of 1,879 m (6,165 ft) on the slopes of the Sarawat Mountains.

**5.** How has the Saudi government promoted Abha as a tourist destination?

**Ans.** The Saudi government has been promoting Abha as a tourist destination and has created event, such as the Abha Festival during the summer, to draw people to the city. Events are organized to attract visitors to discover the city and its surroundings, such as

sporting events, shows, exhibition and musical performances by famous Arabic poets and singers.

## **6.** Write a brief note on Al Baha.

**Ans.** Al Baha is a city in the south-west of Saudi Arabia. It is the capital of AlBaha Province nestled between the resorts of Ta'if and Abha. Al Baha is one of the Kingdom's prime tourist attractions. It enjoys a pleasant climate and is surrounded by more than forty forests. Al Baha is the headquarters of the Governor, local councils and branches of governmental departments. The "Pearl of Resorts" is the name given to Al Baha.