

Grade 4 EVS Worksheet: Food in India (Difficulty Level: Intermediate)

Name: _____ Date: _____

1. Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs):

- 1. Which of the following is NOT a common ingredient in Indian cooking? a) Turmeric
 - b) Ginger
 - c) Vanilla
 - d) Cumin
- 2. The popular food item 'Biryani' is most commonly associated with which region of India? a) South India
 - b) North India
 - c) East India
 - d) West India
- 3. In which Indian state is 'Appam' and 'Stew' a popular dish? a) Kerala
 - b) Goa
 - c) Punjab
 - d) Uttar Pradesh
- 4. Which of the following is the staple food in many parts of India? a) Wheat
 - b) Rice
 - c) Barley
 - d) Corn

2. Fill in the blanks:

- 1. _____ is a popular dish from Punjab made with a flatbread served with a spicy gravy of chickpeas.
- 2. _____ is a famous Indian dessert made of deep-fried dough soaked in sugar syrup.
- 3. The traditional Indian drink made from yogurt and spices is called ______.
- 4. _____ is a dish from South India made from fermented rice and lentil batter, often eaten with sambar and coconut chutney.



3. Match the following:

Column A	Column B
1. Masala Dosa	A. Gujarat
2. Dhokla	B. Punjab
3. Butter Chicken	C. South India
4. Thepla	D. North India

4. True or False:

- 1. Indian food is known for its use of a wide variety of spices. (True / False)
- 2. 'Pulao' is a traditional Indian dessert made with rice. (True / False)
- 3. The state of Rajasthan is known for its spicy and rich food. (True / False)
- 4. 'Samosa' is a popular South Indian dish. (True / False)

5. Short Answer Questions:

- 1. What is the main difference between 'Dal' and 'Sambar'?
- 2. Name two dishes that are commonly eaten as snacks in India.
- 3. How is 'Rogan Josh' different from other curry dishes in India?
- 4. Why do people in India use a lot of spices in their cooking?

6. Answer the following:

- Describe the significance of rice in Indian cuisine. (Write 3-4 lines about the importance of rice in India)
- 2. What are some of the common food items served in a traditional 'Indian Thali'? (Write 3-4 lines about what foods are usually found in an Indian Thali)