Geography Blog Worksheet

Class 9 and 10

6 Marks Question

Q Read the following two views about possibilities for tourism in Sindh Province:

**A: Hotels and tourists resorts need to be developed along the Sindh Coast to bring foreign exchange and boost the economy.**

**B: The coastal area of Sindh cannot support large numbers of tourists. There could be negative effects from tourism.**

Which view do you agree with more? Give reasons to support your answer and refer to places or examples you have studied.

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| For tourism* Sindh has many tourist attractions
* Beaches ( Clifton Beach/ Sand spit/ Hawkes Bay / Paradise point)
* Historical buildings (Quaid-e-Azam Mausoleum / National Museum / Mohatta Palace)
* Tourism Industry undeveloped / has scope for development / investment
* Creates employment ( Such as drivers / guides / hotel staff)

Against tourism* Sensitive environment ( threats to mangroves forests / fishing grounds)
* Tourists bring culturally unacceptable behavior / dress code)
* Tourists can pollute the environment with noise / litter / oil from jet skis etc is a danger to wildlife)
* Indus Delta / most of Sindh coast unsuitable for development ( swamps / marshes / creeks / forests)
* Karachi needs tourists industry infrastructure ( e.g. no passenger ferry terminal)
* Declining / lack of tourist numbers
* Employment only seasonal
* Loss of livelihood due to construction of resorts
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