

Avoid Plastics

Important Questions and Answers for class 7

C1. Answer the following questions:

1. Who invented plastic?

Answer: Plastic was invented by Alexander Parks.

2. What did he name it?

Answer: He named it Parkesine.

3. Why do people dispose of plastic everywhere?

Answer: It is cheap and easily available, so people dispose of plastic everywhere.

4. Give a reason for plastic pollution.

Answer: Plastic remains on the Earth's surface for many centuries because it is non-biodegradable. Additionally, plastic pollution has increased due to migration.

5. Where is plastic pollution seen more?

Answer: Plastic pollution is more seen in big cities.

6. Where does the plastic so disposed remain?

Answer: Plastic remains on the Earth's surface for many centuries because it is long-lasting and impossible to decompose.

7. How does plastic cause pollution in every stage of its production?

Answer: The chemicals used to make plastic are poisonous and can harm all living beings. Recycling plastic lowers its quality, so more new plastic is needed to make original products. Every stage of plastic production causes pollution.

8. How long can plastic take to decompose?

Answer: Plastic takes about a thousand years to decompose.

9. How does it have a bad impact on the earth?

Answer: Plastic has a bad impact on the food chain. It is one of the important causes of global warming. So it has a bad impact on the earth.

C2. Answer each of the following questions in two or three sentences:

1. Why is a plastic widely used today?

Answer: Plastic is widely used today because it is cheap and easily available. It is lightweight and can be shaped into many different things.

2. How does plastic cause environmental hazards?

Answer: Thin plastic sheets thrown away can cause soil pollution and harm animals and plants. This affects the food chain and is one of the causes of global warming.

3. What are the problems caused by recycling plastic?

Answer: Recycling plastics lowers their quality, so more new plastic is needed to make original products.

G1. Fill in the blanks with suitable question words:

1. _____ did the train leave?
2. _____ do you want from me?
3. _____ of the roads is shorter?
4. _____ will you reach there?
5. _____ did you come? (by bus or by train?)
6. _____ is your sister crying so loudly?

Answer:

1. When
2. What
3. Which
4. When
5. How
6. Why

G2. Find out the noun forms of the words given below.

1. born
2. marry _____
3. graduate _____
4. high _____
5. impress _____
6. inspire _____
7. perform _____

Answer:

1. birth
2. marriage
3. graduation
4. height
5. impression
6. inspiration
7. performance

D.1 Rearrange the words in the alphabetical order as you find them in the dictionary:

1. plastic, cheap, mould, dispose of, hazard.
2. decompose, enormous, reduce, damage, marine
3. create, degrade, compel, abolish, cause.
4. retain, reduce, remain, recycle, river.
5. product, present, pollute, problem, profit.

Answer:

1. cheap, dispose of, hazard, mould, plastic
2. damage, decompose, enormous, marine, reduce
3. abolish, cause, compel, create, degrade
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