

Learning Express Social Studies – Class - 2

Chapter 1 :

- A. i) Brothers and sisters are called siblings.
ii) The children of our uncles and aunts are known as cousins.
iii) Mother and father
- B. 1. I belong to a small family (or)
2. There are members are there in our family.
3. My mother helps me with my homework.
4. I have cousins.
5. A large family consists of Father, mother and three or more children.
- C. 1. Sharma 2. small 3. cousine 4. relative
D. 1. T 2. T 3. F 4. F
E. M - 2, 3, 6 F - 1, 4, 8 M, F - 5 S - 7
F. 1. Nuclear family 2. Single parent family
3. Large family 4. Joint family
G. 1. i 2. i 3. i 4. iv

Chapter 2 :

- A. 1. We eat food to survive.
2. Animals give us milk, milk products like butter, curd, cheese, meat and meat products.
3. i) Have meals at proper time. ii) Chew the food properly. iii) Eat different kinds of food
iv) Avoid over eating. v) Never waste food.
4. We have to take light food at dinner.
5. We should not eat Junk food because it is bad for our health and can lead to illness
- B. 1. raw 2. vegetables 3. Junk food 4. uncovered
C. 1. T 2. F 3. F 4. F
D. 1, 3, 5, 6, 8
E. 1. iii 2. iv 3. i 4. ii
F. 1. ii 2. ii 3. I

Chapter 3 :

- A. 1. Clothes are our basic needs because they protect our body from heat, cold and rain.
2. We wear rain coats in the rainy season.
3. Clothes made up of synthetic fibre like rayon, nylon, terylen and polyester are called man made or artificial fibres.
4. We should wear colourful and attractive dresses on the occasions of festivals, marriages and birthdays.
- B. 1. cotton 2. silk 3. synthetic 4. uniform
C. 1. F 2. T 3. F 4. T
D. A. 2 B. 4 C. 1 D. 3

E. S- 2, 5, 6 W - 3, 7 R - 1, 4, 8

F. 1. ii 2. ii 3. iii 4. iv

Chapter 4 :

- A. 1. We spend most our time for eating, reading, sleeping and watching T.V. in a house.
2. Kuchcha houses are made up of wood, stones, mud and straw.
3. A bungalow is an independent house. It is a single storeyed.
4. A house which is shifted from one place to other is known as temporary house. Ex. Tent
- B. 1. huts 2. bungalow 3. germs 4. water
C. 1. T 2. F 3. T 4. T
D. 1. Tent 2. Caravan 3. Houseboat 4. Hut
E. 1. CARAVAN 2. TENT 3. BUNGALOW 4. HUT
F. 1. ii 2. ii 3. iv 4. ii

Chapter 5 :

- A. 1. We cannot live without water because it needs to stay alive.
2. We get water from rivers, ponds, lakes, seas, oceans and waterfalls.
3. Rain water collects through tube wells and hand pumps.
4. We should not waste water because it is precious.
- B. 1. Water 2. Rain 3. drink 4. store
C. 1. F 2. T 3. F 4. T
D. 1. POND 2. TAP 3. RAIN 4. HANDPUMP
E. 1. Washing 2. Boating 3. Drinking
4. irrigation 5. Bathing 6. Cooking
F. 1. iv 2. iv 3. iv

Chapter 6:

- A. 1. Grocery shop, chemist shop, stationery shop and milkbooth.
2. We see trees, swings and seesaws in a park.
3. Police guard the neighbourhood from danger.
4. Post office is useful for us to send letters, parcels, telegrams and money orders.
5. Books, pencils, pens and erasers.
- B. 1. greenary 2. medicines 3. greenary 4. clinic
C. 1. F 2. F 3. T 4. T
D. 1. revolves 2. stamp 3. postbox 4. dispensary
E. 1. Stationary shop 2. Greengrocer
3. Chemist shop 4. Grocery shop
F. 1. ii 2. iv 3. i 4. I

Chapter 7:

- A. 1. God, Bhagwan, Allah and Wahe guru.
2. Hindus, pray in the temple offering flowers, fruits, sweets etc to God.
3. Muslims offer prayers or namaaz in mosque.
4. The Sikhs go to a gurudwara to pray.
B. 1. namaaz 2. largest 3. kirtan 4. church
C. 1. T 2. F 3. T 4. F
D. 1. Namaaz 2. Cross 3. Mosques 4. Agarbatti
E. 1. iv 2. iii 3. ii 4. I

Chapter 8:

- A. 1. Trees are the tallest plants.
2. Climbers are the plants having thin and weak stems.
3. Herbs have soft stems.
4. Shrubs look bushy because its branches are very close knit.
B. 1. Shapes 2. deep 3. banyan 4. spinach
C. 1. T 2. F 3. F 4. F
D. 1. banana 2. grass 3. grass 4. rose
E. 1.ii 2. i 3. iv 4. iii
F. 1. neem 2. mehendi 3. Gulmohar 4. shrub
5. cotton 6. pea

Chapter 9:

- A. 1. Cows, horses sheep and hens are called domestic animals.
2. Wild animals live in the forest.
3. Animals move in different ways like some walk, some crawl, some prowl, some swim and some fly.
4. Animals useful to us in many ways. Cows, buffaloes and goats give milk. Donkeys, horses, elephants and bullocks carry loads.
B. 1. parrots 2. nests 3. communicate 4. tease
C. 1. F 2. F 3. T 4. T
D. 1. E 2. D 3. B 4. A 5. C
E. 1. Jungle 2. water 3. Tables 4. Dogs

Chapter 10:

- A. 1. The earth has air all around it called the atmosphere.
2. Oceans are the large water bodies of salt water.
3. Plains are fertile because many rivers and streams flow through them.
4. A hill is a high land on the earth but a mountain is very high than a hill.
B. 1. mountains 2. table land 3. Cleanest 4. earth
C. iv 2. iii 3. ii 4. i
D. 1. lake 2. deserts 3. Peak 4. Ocean

5. Atmosphere

- E. 1. i 2. iv 3. iii

Chapter 11:

- A. 1. Weather gets changed from time to time but season is a particular type of weather remaining same for a long period of time.
2. We use fans, coolers and air conditioners to keep ourselves cool in the summer season.
3. Some times cool and sometimes hot.
4. We get affected by change in seasons. It reflects in our activities, food habits and clothes.
B. 1. weather 2. cotton 3. winter 4. float
C. 1. F 2. T 3. F 4. F
D. summer - 2, 5, 7 winter -1,3, 4 monsoon -1,6,8
E. 1. August 2. flood 3. Shedding leaves
4. weather
F. 1.ii 2.i 3. iii 4. ii

Chapter 12:

- A. 1. North, South, East and West.
2. I locate important things of my house using simple directions.
3. The sun rises in the East. It helps us to find the four major directions.
4. Map is drawing of a place on a piece of paper.
B. 1. directions 2. sun 3. drawing 4. lower
C. 1. F 2. T 3. T 4. F
D. 1. iv 2. iii 3. i 4. ii
E. 1. west 2. north 3. south 4. east
F. 1. West 2. East 3. South 4. East

Chapter 13:

- A. 1. We need to travel for our survival
2. Roadways, Railways, Waterways and Airways.
3. Vehicles move on the road, on the track, in the air and on water.
4. We travel by bus, bicycles, rickshaws, scooter, cars, trams and local trains in a city.
B. 1. transport 2. camel 3. fast 4. fastest
C. 1. F 2. T 3. T 4. T
D. 1. Train 2. Train 3. Boat 4. Rickshaw 5. Bus
E. 1. iii 2. i 3. iv 4. ii
F. 1. Cycle 2. Tonga 3. Steamer 4. Truck 5. Auto 6. Van
7. Aeroplane 8. Rocket

Chapter 14 :

- A. 1. The travelling was difficult for the early man because he did not have any means of travel.

2. The early man started using a wooden frame which looked like sledge and keep loads on it then used animals to pull this frame.

3. The early man saw a round stone rolling down a slope. This gave the idea of making a wheel into his mind.

4. Invention of wheel led to the invention of many machines.

B. 1. different 2. round 3. sledge 4. carried

C. 1. F 2. T 3. F 4. F

D. 1. iii 2. iv 3. i 4. ii

E. 1. Early man carried his own loads.

2. Early man made holes in the centre of round logs.

3. Early man used cart to push or pull to carry heavy loads.

4. Early man saw a round stone rolling down a slope.

F. 1. i 2. iii 3. ii 4. iii