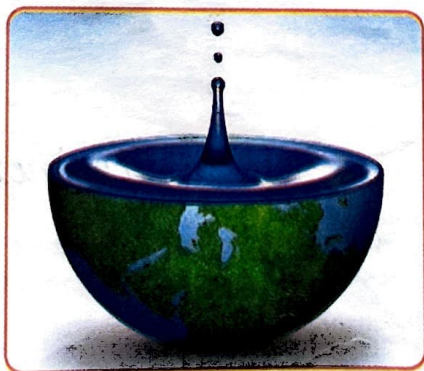


You know that each drop of water is very precious for us. You must have heard about people who spend more than half of their life standing in long queues for water.

We can save water in many ways. Here are some ways you should learn and tell other.

1. Request everyone to turn off taps tightly after each use.
2. Tell everyone in your family and also your friends that they should always turn off the water while brushing their teeth.
3. Tell your gardener to water your lawn and garden in the morning or evening when temperatures are low.
4. Upgrade older toilets with water efficient models.
5. Ask your mother to wash fruits and vegetables in a pan of water instead of running water from the tap.
6. Tell your maid to soak pots and pans instead of letting the water run while she scrapes them clean.
7. When your father is cleaning out fish tanks, ask him to give the nutrient-rich water to your plants.
8. Tell your gardener to water plants in a way that the plant with same watering needs are kept at the same place.



9. If the guest comes to the house and you accidentally drop ice cubes while filling their glass don't throw them. Drop them in a plant pot instead.
10. Keep a bucket in the rain to catch water as it runs. Use this water to flush toilets or for other purposes.

If your manners are good you will be called a nice child or a well behaved person.
Select words from the clue box to fill the blanks and follow these good manners.



1. Say good morning to all in the morning.

2. Do not spit here and there.

3. Say please when you need something from someone.

4. Say good night to everyone at sleeping time.

5. Never use dirty hankies or towels.

6. Learn to share your things with others.

7. We say thank you when we get something.

8. Greet people when they come to your home.

9. Say you are welcome when someone thanks you.

10. We should be ready to help others.



CLUE BOX

Please

Thank you

Greet

Help

You're welcome

Good morning

Dirty

Good night

Spit

Share



Do you know how plastic bags pollute the soil and our environment. Let us learn why should we ban these.

1. They are non-biodegradable. The decomposition of plastic bags takes many years.
2. We require petroleum to produce plastic bags which is non-renewable resource and needed for our modern way of life so this precious resource should not be wasted in producing plastic bags.

DID YOU KNOW?

● It takes 250 bags to make one 1kg of plastic making recycling, economically unviable.



3. Plastic bags are now on a blanket ban in many Indian states.
4. Plastic bags kill animals as many animals ingest plastic bag mistaking them for food and therefore, they die.
5. When they are burned they infuse the air with toxic fumes.

6. Plastic bags litter the landscape.

7. Plastic bags block drains and gutters and stop the flow of rain water and sewerage. It causes an overflow of water that becomes a breeding ground for germs, mosquitoes and bacteria. This is a condition that can cause various kinds of diseases.



DID YOU KNOW?

● It takes many years in sea for plastic degradation.



Tick (✓) the right option.

1. Which colour in the National Flag stands for peace?
 a. Green ☐ b. White ☒ c. Saffron ☐
2. When did India become a Republic Nation?
 a. 1947 ☐ b. 1949 ☐ c. 1950 ☒
3. Which colour in the National Flag stands for progress?
 a. Saffron ☐ b. Green ☒ c. White ☐
4. How many spokes are there in the wheel of our National Flag?
 a. 24 ☒ b. 48 ☐ c. 36 ☐
5. Which words are inscribed on the National Emblem?
 a. Bharat Mahan ☐ b. Satyamev Jayate ☒ c. Jai Hind ☐
6. How many lions are there in our National Emblem?
 a. Four ☒ b. Three ☐ c. Two ☐
7. What is the playing time of our National Anthem?
 a. 50 seconds ☐ b. 52 seconds ☒ c. 51 seconds ☐
8. Who wrote our National Anthem?
 a. Pt. Nehru ☐ b. Gandhiji ☐ c. R. N. Tagore ☒
9. Which colour in the National Flag stands for courage?
 a. White ☐ b. Saffron ☒ c. Green ☐
10. What is our National Flag called?
 a. Tricolour ☒ b. Bicolour ☐ c. Pentacolour ☐