



Question bank - Grade 3 EVS

Chapter 1- Where we live

A: Give one word for the following.

1. A person without a home

Homeless

2. Giant sea wave caused by the violent movement of the land under the sea

Tsunami

3. The art of making pots.

Pottery

4. A shelter made of cloth that can be put up and taken down quite easily and quickly.

Tent

5. A way of doing things that is passed on from parents to children.

Tradition

6. An art of decoration drawn on the floor or the entrances of homes on festivals.

Rangoli

7. Painting found in Caves are called

Cave art

8. House made on stilt.

Stilt house

9. Semi- Barrel shaped house with small door and no windows.

Toda house

10. A traditional textile craft which popular in India.

Block printing

B: Answer the following questions.

11. What is a home?

Ans: A home is where members of a family stay together

12. How can we make our home beautiful?

Ans: We can make our homes beautiful by hanging paintings, photographs and wall hangings. We can also use potted plants to decorate our home

13. Why should we not throw waste out in the open?

Ans: Waste and garbage attract flies, cockroaches and rats that spread diseases. They also allow harmful germs to grow. Hence, waste should not be thrown in the open.

14. What is rangoli and how is it made?

Ans: Rangoli is an art form in which patterns are made on the floor or on the ground. It is used for home decoration. The outlines of pretty designs are drawn using rice powder or chalk powder. The outlines are sometimes filled in with coloured powder or even with flowers of different colours. They are usually drawn outside the front gate or on the floors of rooms on festival days

15. What is hand block printing in textile?

Ans: Block printing is a method used to print patterns or designs on fabric. The block is made of wood and has a design carved on it. It is dipped in different types of paint or dye and is carefully pressed on a plain piece of cloth. This process is repeated until the pattern completely covers the entire fabric.

16. Why Toda house has small and low doors?

Ans: The small doors of the Toda house help to protect the people from the weather and also from wild animals.

17. Why mobile home is called house on wheel?

Ans: Mobile homes are also called houses on wheels because they can be moved from place to place.