



Class- V

Subject: EVS

Chapter:6 DIGNITY OF LABOUR

KEY NOTES:

- There are different types of people in our society.
- Each and every member in a family have different duty, similarly every individual in a society has different work/profession.
- “Work is worship”
- All labours are regarded as dignified, no profession by itself is high or low.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Textual Questions

Q1. Can you list ten different types of work that people do for you?

Ans:

- i. Cooking food – Parents
- ii. Cuts hair – Barber
- iii. Teach us – Teacher
- iv. Treat us when sick – Doctors
- v. Protect us – Policeman
- vi. Brings milk – Milkman
- vii. Stitches cloth – Tailor
- viii. Mend shoes – Cobbler
- ix. Brings newspaper – Hawker
- x. Grows vegetables – Farmer

Q2. Can you identify the clean and the dirty works?

Ans: Clean works:

- Working in office
- Working in hospital as doctor
- Working in bank
- Teaching in school/ college
- Working as scientist

Dirty work:

- Carrying garbage
- Rag picking
- Sweeping
- Painting
- Manual scavenging

Extra Questions:

Q1. Do all the family members have the same profession?

Ans: No, all the family members do not have the same professions. Each member of a family has different duties. For example, children generally go to school, parents go to the work places for earning.

Q2. 'Work is worship'. Explain.

Ans: 'Work is worship' means all labour, manual or otherwise is full of dignity and nobility. Work equals prayer. It emphasizes the point that empty verbal prayers are not as valuable as real achievement in any fields.

Q3. State true or false.

- a) Every members of a family have the same profession. (False)
- b) 'Work is worship' means all labour manual or otherwise is full of dignity and nobility. (True)
- c) People in western countries and USA recognise the dignity of labour. (True)
- d) No profession by itself is high or low, dignified or undignified. (True)

