

CLASS-III, (2020-21)

Sub: EVS

ASSIGNMENT-2 Living Things

CH- 1 Living and Non —

Natural Things - Nature includes living as well as non-living things. Plants, animals, birds, fish and human beings are natural things.

Non-Living Things — Non-Living things can be grouped into two groups.

a) Natural Non-living things: They are found in nature and not made by man.

Example: sun, moon, stars, sky.

b) Man-made Non-living things: They are made by man. Example: toys, chairs, houses.

Explanation of some important terms:

a) Locomotion: The ability of living things to move from one place to another is called locomotion. Animals show different types of movements such as walking jumping, flying. Plants do not move from one place to another but different parts of plants show movement. Examples of such plants are touch-me-not plant and sunflower. The leaves of touch me not plant get closed when touched. Sunflowers turn their leaves towards the sun.

b) Breathing: The process of taking in fresh air and giving out the used air is called breathing.

c) Photosynthesis: All living things need food. The process by which plants are capable of making their own food in the presence of sunlight, air and water is called photosynthesis.

- d) Reproduction: The process by which living things produce babies of their own kind is called reproduction.

Answer the following questions

I. Choose and write the correct answer:

1. Which of these is a natural thing?
a) fan b) cloud c) bridge
2. Which of these can feel?
a) watch b) water c) animals

II. Give one word for the following:

1. The ability of living things to move from one place to another. _____.
2. The process of taking in fresh air and giving out the used air. _____.
3. Living things are capable of producing babies of their own kind.
_____.

III. Answer the following questions:

1. Write two examples of living things and non-living things that are natural.
2. How do plants make food?
3. Define locomotion.

