

NCERT SOLUTIONS

CLASS - 6TH



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Chapter Name : FOOD: WHERE DOES IT COME FROM?

Q1 Do you find that all living beings need the same kind of food?

Answer. No, The food requirements of all living organisms vary. On the basis of food requirements, living organisms are grouped into three categories:

(i) Herbivores: These animals eat only plants or plant products. For example: Cow, elephant, rabbit, horse, etc.

(ii) Carnivores: These animals eat other animals. For example: Lion, tiger, lizard, etc.

(iii) Omnivores: These animals eat both plants and animals. For example: Dog, cat, crow, etc.

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Q2 Name five plants and their parts that we eat.

Answer. Carrot-----Root

Peas-----Seed

Apple-----fruit

Cauliflower-----Flower

Cabbage-----Leaf

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Q3 Match the items given in Column A with that in Column B.

Column A	Column B
Milk, curd, paneer, ghee	eat other animals
Spinach, cauliflower, carrot	eat plants and plant products
Lions and tigers	are vegetables
Herbivores	are all animal products

Answer.

Column A	Column B
Milk, curd, paneer, ghee	are all animal products
Spinach, cauliflower, carrot	are vegetables
Lions and tigers	eat other animals
Herbivores	eat plants and plant products

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4. Fill up the blanks with the words given:

herbivore, plant, milk, sugarcane, carnivore

- (a) Tiger is a _____ because it eats only meat.
- (b) Deer eats only plant products and so, is called _____.
- (c) Parrot eats only _____ products.
- (d) The _____ that we drink, which comes from cows, buffaloes and goats is an animal product.
- (e) We get sugar from _____.

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(b) Deer eats only plant products and so, is called herbivore.

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(d) The milk that we drink, which comes from cows, buffaloes and goats is an animal product.

(e) We get sugar from sugarcane

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