

NCERT SOLUTIONS

CLASS - 6TH



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Chapter Name : Who I Am

QA Answer the following questions.

1. Peter's favourite day of the week is Sunday because _____
2. Nasir wants to learn _____
3. Dolma believes that she can make a good Prime Minister because ____

Answer. 1. Peter's favourite day of the week is Sunday because on this day his whole family always goes to the cinema hall to see a film. In the interval, his father buys peanuts for all of them. Afterwards, stop to eat ice cream.

2. Nasir wants to learn how to preserve seeds so that his family can use them again, and not spend money on seeds every year.

3. Dolma believes that she can make a good Prime Minister because she wants to make things better for everyone. Everyone in her class asks her what to do when they have a problem, and her teacher always trusts her when something needs to be done in school.

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QB Write True or False against each of the following statements.

1. Peter is an only child. _____
2. When Serbjit gets angry he shouts at people. _____
3. Nasir lives in the city. _____
4. Radha's mother enjoys doing things with her. _____

Answer. 1. False

2. False

3. False

4. True

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Q1. Fill in the blanks to name the different kinds of intelligence. One has been done for you.

When I enjoy listening to people and solving their problems I use my interpersonal intelligence.

(i) When I enjoy dancing or physical activity, I use my _____ intelligence.

- (ii) When I enjoy looking at maps and examining pictures I use my _____ intelligence.
- (iii) When I enjoy working with numbers and solving maths problems I use my _____ intelligence.
- (iv) When I enjoy telling a story or arguing, I use my _____ intelligence.

Answer. (i) When I enjoy dancing or physical activity, I use my bodily intelligence.

(ii) When I enjoy looking at maps and examining pictures, I use my visual intelligence.

(iii) When I enjoy working with numbers and solving maths problems, I use my mathematical intelligence.

(iv) When I enjoy telling a story or arguing, I use my verbal intelligence.

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Q1. Match the job on the left with its description on the right.

- (i) Navigator ———— (a) Advises people what to do about jobs, personal problems, etc.
- (ii) Architect ———— (b) Works in politics, usually by standing for election.
- (iii) Politician ———— (c) Finds and monitors the route to get to a place, or the direction of travel.
- (iv) Engineer ———— (d) Reports on recent news for newspaper, radio, or TV.
- (v) Computer ———— (e) Plans the design of a building, programmer town, or city.
- (vi) Athlete ———— (f) Controls and puts together a programme of music.
- (vii) Disc jockey ———— (g) Works in sports or activities such as running, jumping, etc.
- (viii) Composer ———— (h) Designs and builds things like roads, bridges, or engines.
- (ix) Counsellor ———— (i) Makes up notes to create music.
- (x) Journalist ———— (j) Designs the system by which a computer runs or gives information.

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Page : 76 , Block Name : Working With Language

Q1. Write a paragraph about yourself so that people who read it will get to know you better. You could write about yourself from any point of view, or choose one of the following topics.

- What I enjoy doing most
- What makes me angry
- What I hate to do
- What I want to become

(Remember to give a reason or details of what you write about, so that anyone reading it will understand you better.)

After you have finished your paragraph affix your photo on the sheet and display it on the wall. Read each other's paragraphs. Did you understand someone else better after you had read what he/she wrote?

Answer. Travelling is such a thing which fills me with immense joy. I get thrilled whenever my parents take me to visit various new places. Actually I am very fond of knowing about new things and people of different places and their styles of living. Travelling gives me an opportunity for this and I enjoy it fully. Whenever I see people fighting or quarreling on minor issues, I get angry. I am a peace loving person and always hate violence. I also hate telling lies and try my best to speak the truth all the time. I want to become a doctor. I am very fond of serving people who are suffering in this way or that. After being a doctor I can fulfill my desire. I would be lucky if I am proved to be helpful for the needy.

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QA Why does Radha's mother tell her that it is not suitable for girls to climb trees? Find points to agree with Radha or her mother.

Plan what you will say by making notes like this:

- Girls should be able to climb trees if they wish

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

- Girls should not be allowed to climb trees

1. _____

2. _____
3. _____

Now divide the class into two groups. Present to the rest of the class the opinion of Radha who thinks there is no harm in girls climbing trees and of her mother who thinks girls should not do this.

Answer. Girls should be able to climb trees if they wish.

1. Girls can attain height by climbing trees.
2. Girls can get more active by climbing trees.
3. It is a good exercise for girls. Girls should not be allowed to climb trees.
1. Girls are delicate creatures.
2. Girls may get injured while doing so.
3. Doing these activities will make them boyish.

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QB Sit in a circle so that you can see each other. Each one must talk to complete the following sentence in your own way.

“What makes me very angry is ...”

Remember to listen with respect and without comment to each person as he/she speaks.

Answer. DIY

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Q1 With your partner, complete the following sentences in your own words using the ideas in the poem.

- (i) Do not let a thought shrivel and die because _____.
- (ii) English is a _____ with words that everyone can play.
- (iii) One has to match _____.
- (iv) Words are the _____ of thought.

Answer. (i) for want of a way to say it

(ii) wonderful game

(iii) to the brightest thoughts in your head

(iv) food and dress

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Q2 In groups of four discuss the following lines and their meanings.

- (i) All that you do is match the words
To the brightest thoughts in your head
- (ii) For many of the loveliest things
Have never yet been said
- (iii) And everyone's longing today to hear
Some fresh and beautiful thing
- (iv) But only words can free a thought
From its prison behind your eyes

Answer. (i) The poet says that you only have to select words to express your thoughts present in your head.

(ii) The poet encourages readers to convert their thoughts into words and speak them as these are loveliest things that never yet been said.

(iii) All the people are listening to the same thoughts. Everyone is excited to hear some new thing so speak your thoughts brilliantly.

(iv) You have thoughts in your mind but its in prison behind your eyes. You need to free thoughts by giving them words.

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