

# NCERT SOLUTIONS

CLASS - 7TH



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Q1 Read the story below and answer the questions:

- (i) If you were Xavier, what subject would you choose and why?  
(ii) In your experience, what are some of the other pressures that boys experience?

Answer. (i) DIY  
(ii) DIY

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Q2 What percentage of children leave school at the upper primary level?

Answer. Missing

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Q3 At which level of education do you see the highest percentage of children leaving?

Answer. Missing

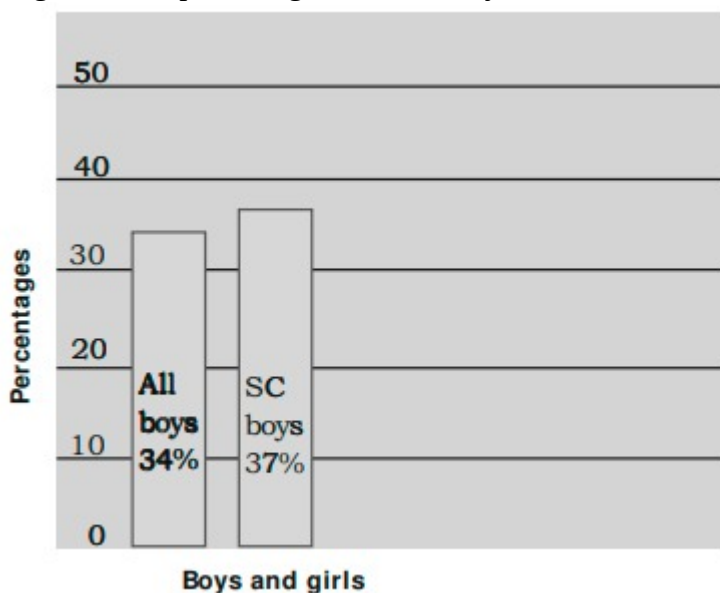
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Q4 Why do you think that the percentage of Adivasi girls and boys leaving school is higher than that of any other group?

Answer. Missing

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Q5 From the given table, convert the figures of primary class children who leave school into a bar diagram. Two percentages have already been converted for you in the bar diagram on the left.



Answer. DIY

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Q1 How do you think stereotypes, about what women can or cannot do, affect women's right to equality?

Answer. Stereotypes, about what women can or cannot do affect women's right to equality by forcing the society to give them certain roles and not allow others. This is unequal treatment because the choice of the woman is not considered and she is not free to do what she wants.

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Q2 List one reason why learning the alphabet was so important to women like Rashundari Devi, Ramabai and Rokeya.

Answer. Learning the alphabet was important to women like Rashundari Devi, Ramabai and Rokeya because women were forbidden education as it was considered dangerous for their moral development and family life. By learning how to read and write, these women achieved a degree of independence.

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Q3 "Poor girls drop out of school because they are not interested in getting an education." Re-read the last paragraph on page 62 and explain why this statement is not true.

Answer. This statement is not true. On reading the information we realize that girls from poor families drop out of school because their parents are unwilling to send them to school because of lack of money for transportation and education costs.

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Q4 Can you describe two methods of struggle that the women's movement used to raise issues? If you had to organise a struggle against stereotypes, about what women can or cannot do, what method would you employ from the ones that you have read about? Why would you choose this particular method?

Answer. Two methods of struggle that the women's movement used to raise issues are by raising awareness and protesting. Women's movements raise awareness on women's rights issues. They spread their message through street plays, songs and public meeting. Women's movements protest when violations against women happen or when a law or policy works against their interest.

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