# Class-4 Subject-Science

## Chapter-15

## **Topic- Environment and it's conservation**

### Synopsis:-

- 1. The materials available on Earth are called natural resources.
- 2. All living and non-living things that's around us make our environment.
- 3. Living components that is animals ,plants, and micro-organisms are known as biotic and non living components like air ,water ,soil, land and light are known as abiotic components.
- 4. By adding harmful substances called pollutants to the environment we dirty it or pollute it. Polluting environment is called pollution.

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- a) Air pollution-it's caused by release of harmful gases by automobiles and dust into the air. Air pollution can cause diseases like asthma and influenza.
- b) Water pollution-it's caused by dumping of industrial waste untreated sewage and garbage into water bodies. It harms marine and aquatic life. It can cause diseases like dysentery typhoid.
- c) Noise pollution-unwanted unpleasant sound is called noise. It causes temporary deafness and irritation.
- 6) Conservation means judicious wise use of our resources.
- 7) To conserve our environment we should follow 3 R's.
- a)reuse
- b)recycle
- c)reduce
- 8) We can also help in conserving the environment by using natural resources like electricity, water forests carefully and judiciously.

#### Answer the following.

#### 1. Define.

- a. Pollutant.
- b. Ecology.
- c. Environment.

## 2. Answer the following questions.

- a) Explain meaning of reduce ,reuse ,and recycle.
- b) State any five steps which can help to conserve the environment.

## 3. Name them.

- a) Two diseases caused by air pollution.
- b) Any two recyclable items.
- c) Components of environment.
- d) Two major sources of water pollution.

## Answer Exercise B and C on Page 116 of your textbook.

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