

Class-3

Sub-EVS

LE- 14 WASTE DISPOSAL

Q.1 Word Meaning:-

- 1. Rot- go bad / decay.**
- 2. Stinks- give off a bad smell.**
- 3. Segregate- to separate.**
- 4. Municipality- a town or district that has local government.**
- 5. Compost- mixture of decayed plants and vegetables.**
- 6. Furnaces- a container that is heated at very high temperature.**

Q.2 Short Answer Type Questions:-

1. How is waste produced?

Ans. When anything is no longer useful to us, it becomes waste.

2. Write short notes on:-

(i) Composting- it is a waste disposal method in which compost is prepared from biodegradable waste.

(ii) Open dumping :- in this method, garbage is dumped in an open ground usually out of the city.

(iii) Incineration:- in this method, garbage that don't decay naturally is burnt in big furnaces.

Q.3 Long Answer Type Questions:

1. What do you mean by biodegradable wastes?

Ans. Waste like fruit and vegetable peels, cloth, paper can break down and rot and become a part of the soil. Such wastes are called biodegradable waste.

2. What do you mean by non-biodegradable wastes ?

Ans. Waste like plastics, glass, chinaware can not break down and rot and don't become a part of the soil. Such wastes are called non-biodegradable waste.

3. What do you mean by three R's adopted for waste management ?

Ans. (i) Reduce:- we should try to reduce the amount of garbage produced.

(ii) Reuse :- we can reuse (use again) things like tins, cans, bottles , etc.

(iii) Recycle:- things like paper, plastic, glass can be recycled.

4. What is biogas?

Ans. Biogas is an eco-friendly fuel that does not produce smoke and ash.

