

CHAPTER – 5

CHHOTU’S HOUSE

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Question 1: Study the pictures carefully and answer the following:

- ◆ What did Chhotu think when he looked at the pipe?
- ◆ How did Chhotu use the pipe?
- ◆ Into which parts did Chhotu divide the pipe and its surrounding area?
- ◆ In which part of this house will Chhotu like to spend most of his time?
- ◆ Why do you think Chhotu invited Monu to live with him in the pipe?

Answer:

1. Chhotu thought that he could live in that pipe. This thought would perhaps have aroused in his mind as he came to Mumbai for the first time and at that time, he did not have a house to live in.
2. Chhotu made that pipe his home.
3. Chhotu divided the pipe and its surrounding areas into sleeping, cooking, bathing and living areas.
4. Chhotu would like to spend most of his time outside the pipe for doing his daily chores like bathing, cooking and meeting his friends.
5. Monu is new to Mumbai and had no place to live. So, Chhotu invited him to live with him.

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Question 1: Who all live with you in your house?

Answer:

Disclaimer: *Students are advised to prepare the answer of this question on their own.*

Question 2: Chhotu divided the pipe into different parts. Write the names of the different parts of your house.

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_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Answer:

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Question 3: How much time in a day do you spend in each part of your house?

Answer:

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Question 4: Is there any part of your house where one particular member of your family spends more time?

Answer:

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Question 5: Is there any part of your house where a particular family member never goes or goes for a short time?

Answer:

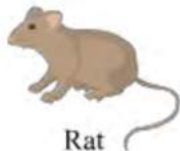
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Question 1: Draw pictures of any two animals that live in our house uninvited. Write their names below the pictures.

Answer:

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Rat



Cockroach

Question 2: How do you keep your house clean?

Answer:

We keep our house clean by:

- i. Sweeping the floor and collecting the dust in the dustbins
- ii. Mopping the floor
- iii. Using phenyl and disinfectant for cleaning the floor and washrooms
- iv. Removing cobwebs periodically
- v. Using insect and mosquito repellent
- vi. Throwing out wastes only in the dustbin (recyclable and non-recyclable wastes should be thrown separately)
- vii. Getting the house white-washed periodically

There can be several other ways of cleaning one's house.

Question 3: Who all help to keep your house clean?

Answer:

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Question 4: Where do you throw the garbage of your house?

Answer:

We throw garbage in the dustbins. We use two kinds of bins, one is for throwing the recyclable wastes, whereas other is for throwing the non-recyclable wastes.

Question 5: Is the area around your house clean?

Answer:

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Question 1: Is there any special way in which you decorate your house?
When and how?

Answer:

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There are many special ways in which we can decorate a house. We decorate our houses using flowers, wall paintings, flower pot, crystal show pieces, beautiful articles of wood, clay, etc.

On special occasions like birthdays, we decorate our houses with ribbons and balloons. On Diwali, we use fancy lights, candles, earthen *diyas*, *rangolis*, etc. to decorate our houses.

Question 2: Name the things with which you decorate your house.

Answer:

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Paintings, crystal and wood show pieces, flower pots, colourful ribbons, balloons, flower garlands, etc. are some of the things with which a house can be decorated.