

Ch 1 Food Where Does It Come From

Q1. Do you find that all living beings need the same kind of food?

Ans. No, all living beings do not need same kind of food

Q2. Write five plants and their parts that we eat.

Ans. The names of five plants and their parts that we eat are:

- (i) Paddy: seeds
- (ii) Wheat: seeds
- (iii) Mustard plant: seeds and leaves
- (iv) Brinjal plant: fruits
- (v) Potato plant: stems

Q. 3. Match the items given in column A with those in column B.

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Milk, curd, paneer, ghee	eat other animals
Spinach, cauliflower, carrot	eat plants and plant products
Lions and tigers	are vegetables
Herbivores	are all animal products

Ans.

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Q. 4. Fill up the blanks with the words given:
herbivore, plant, milk, sugarcane, carnivore.

a) Tiger is a _____ because it eats only meat.

b) Deer eats only plant products and so is called _____.

(c) Parrot eats only _____

(d) The _____ that we drink, which comes from cows, buffaloes and goats is an animal product.

(e) We get sugar from _____.

Ans. (a) carnivore (b) herbivore (c) plant

(d) milk (e) sugarcane

Extra questions

Q1. Give two examples where two or more parts of a single plant are used as food.

Ans. Mustard – seeds and leaves,
Pumpkin – fruit and flowers.

Q2. Name three products each provided by plants and animals.

Ans. Plant products: Grains, cereals and vegetables.
Animal products: Milk, egg and meat.

Q3. What is honey?

Ans. A sweet substance (liquid) prepared by bees from the nectar, i.e., sweet juice collected from flowers is called honey.

Q4. Explain the importance of food for living organisms.

Ans. Importance of food is:

- (i) It provides energy to do various activities.
- (ii) It helps in growth.
- (iii) It helps to repair and replace damaged parts of the body.
- (iv) It protects us from infections and diseases.

Q5. Explain the various sources of food items and ingredients with the help of examples.

Ans. There are mainly two sources of ingredients of various food items:

- (i) **Plants:** Plants provide us fruits, vegetables, pulses, grains, cereals, etc.
- (ii) **Animals:** Animals provide us milk, eggs, meat etc.

Q6. Define the term herbivores.

Ans. The animals which eat only plants or plant products are called herbivores. For example, cow, goat and buffalo.

Q.7 What are carnivores? Explain with examples.

Ans. The animals which eat other animals are called carnivores. For example, lion and tiger. Carnivores generally eat herbivores and other carnivores.

Q.8 Define the term omnivores.

Ans. The animals which eat both the plants and animals are called omnivores. For example, cat, dog and human beings.