

Class 6th

Civics ch-8

Que1)Where is Kalpattu village situated?

Ans-Kalpattu village is situated close to the coast in Tamil Nadu.

Que2)What works do the people of this village do?

Ans-Different works:

Farming/agriculture

Making Baskets

Utensils

Pots

Bricks

Bullock-carts.

Que3)What are the main sources of livelihood of some families in the village?

Ans-Some of the people rear cows and sell milk either to the milk societies or take milk to nearby town for selling.

In coastal areas people are busy with fishing.

Que4) Write some sentences on the work of agriculture.

Ans-Agriculture is the main work of the village people. '

1) Paddy is the main crop grown in the irrigated fields.

2) Other crops are cotton, sugarcane and plaintain.

3) Some coconut groves are there.

4) There are several mango orchards.

Que5) Why had Thulasi and Raman to sell their cow?

Ans-Thulasi and Raman had school-going daughters.

One of the daughters fell ill last year. She was taken to the hospital for treatment.

They borrowed money from Ramalingam for her treatment.

They had to sell their cow for payment of loan they had borrowed from Ramalingam.

Que6) Describe the life of the landless or agricultural labourers in rural areas.

Ans-Life of agricultural labourers in Rural India.

Nearly 66.67% of the population in rural areas is agricultural labourer. Some of them have their own small plots of land which cannot give them enough to earn their livelihood. Most of them are landless.

They have to go to distant places to find work. This travel is called migration.

Que7) Discuss the life of fishing communities during the period of 4 months of the monsoon.

Ans-Four months of the monsoon are those months when fishermen do not go to sea for fishing as it is a breeding season for fish.

During this period the fishermen survive by borrowing money from the traders.

This lean period is very difficult period for the fishermen.