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Class: VII

Subject: English Literature

Topic: A Report on Cleanliness

Read To Understand:

A) 1. d) all of the above

2. d) introduces cleanliness as a special subject

3. d) higher employment rate

4. d) all of the above

B) 1. True

2. False

3. False

4. False

5. True

C) RTC:

1. **1. a)** SBM stands for Swachh Bharat Mission.

b) The Swachh Bharat Mission was launched by Prime Minister Narendra Modi. One of its objectives is to clean up the streets, roads, and infrastructure of India's cities, smaller towns, and rural areas.

c) The benefits of maintaining a clean school and community include reduced risk of disease, increased productivity, improved morale, and fostering a sense of responsibility and community pride.

2. **a)** Academic institutions are perfect places for teaching values because children spend most of their time there and are in a structured environment conducive to learning.

b) These values become important while traveling because individuals need to maintain cleanliness in public spaces to ensure hygiene and prevent any spread of diseases.

c) Teaching cleanliness values contributes to the greater good by creating a culture of cleanliness and hygiene. This leads to healthier communities and instills a sense of responsibility and civic duty in individuals, promoting collective well-being.

D. Question/ Answers :

Ans 1. Sherlock School undertook a cleanliness drive with a host of activities such as debates, and speeches and inter-class and inter-house competitions.

Ans 2. They were motivated because School principal S. Roberts, and vice principal Mrs Rachel Pinto, had also joined them in cleaning every nook and corner of the classrooms, corridors, school grounds, parking lot, and the nearby areas.

Ans 3. Saviour School's staff and the students followed an agenda of action points to ensure that the school remains clean and free of clutter. The staff and the students take the cleanliness pledge called 'Swachhta Pledge' every day during the morning assembly.

Ans 4. 'Cleanliness is next to Godliness' should be the motto in people's life as they should practise it everywhere they go. This phrase encapsulates the idea that cleanliness, both physical and metaphorical, is essential for spiritual and moral well-being.