# **Chapter 14: Light and the Formation of Shadows**

# EXERCISE [PAGE 104]

#### Exercise | Q 1.1 | Page 104

Choose an appropriate word and fill in the blank.

A \_\_\_\_\_ is a natural source of light.

(options : seven, star, through, transparent, opaque, colors, shape, erect, inverted, luminous, candle)

#### SOLUTION

A star is a natural source of light.

#### Exercise | Q 1.2 | Page 104

Choose an appropriate word and fill in the blank.

A \_\_\_\_\_ is an artificial source of light.

(options: seven, star, through, transparent, opaque, colors, shape, erect, inverted, luminous, candle)

# SOLUTION

A candle is an artificial source of light.

# Exercise | Q 1.3 | Page 104

#### Choose an appropriate word and fill in the blank.

When light passes through a prism, it gets separated into \_\_\_\_\_\_ colours. (options: seven, star, through, transparent, opaque, colors, shape, erect, inverted, luminous, candle)

# SOLUTION

When light passes through a prism, it gets separated into **seven** colours.

# Exercise | Q 1.4 | Page 104

#### Choose an appropriate word and fill in the blank.

The image obtained in the pinhole camera is \_\_\_\_\_\_. (options : seven, star, through, transparent, opaque, colors, shape, erect, inverted, luminous, candle)

# SOLUTION

The image obtained in the pinhole camera is **inverted**.

# Exercise | Q 1.5 | Page 104

#### Choose an appropriate word and fill in the blank.

A shadow is formed when an \_\_\_\_\_ object comes in the way of light. (options: seven, star, through, transparent, opaque, colors, shape, erect, inverted, luminous, candle)

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# SOLUTION

A shadow is formed when an **opaque** object comes in the way of light.

# Exercise | Q 1.6 | Page 104

#### Choose an appropriate word and fill in the blanks.

When a \_\_\_\_\_\_ object comes in the way of light, light passes \_\_\_\_\_\_ it. (options: seven, star, through, transparent, opaque, colors, shape, erect, inverted, luminous, candle)

# SOLUTION

When a transparent object comes in the way of light, light passes through it.

# Exercise | Q 2 | Page 104

Write whether of the following objects are luminous or non-luminous.

Object	Luminous/Non-Iuminous
A book	
A burning candle	
A wax cloth	
A pencil	
A pen	
A light bulb	
A tyre	
A torch	

# SOLUTION

Object	Luminous/Non-Iuminous
A book	Non-Iuminous
A burning candle	Luminous
A wax cloth	Non-Iuminous
A pencil	Non-Iuminous
A pen	Non-Iuminous
A light bulb	Luminous
A tyre	Non-Iuminous
A torch	Luminous

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# Exercise | Q 3 | Page 104

Match the following.

Group A	Group B
(a) Mirror	(1) Non-Iuminous
(b) Firefly	(2) Inverted image
(c) Pinhole camera	(3) Reflection
(d) Moon	(4) Luminous

#### SOLUTION

Group A	Group B
(a) Mirror	(3) Reflection
(b) Firefly	(4) Luminous
(c) Pinhole camera	(2) Inverted image
(d) Moon	(1) Non-Iuminous

# Exercise | Q 4.1 | Page 104

#### Write the answer to the following.

What things are necessary for the formation of a shadow?

#### SOLUTION

The things necessary for the formation of a shadow are:

- A source of light
- An opaque object whose shadow has to be formed
- A screen on which shadow is to be formed

#### Exercise | Q 4.2 | Page 104

Write the answer to the following. When can an object be seen?

#### SOLUTION

An object is seen when the light rays reflected from its surface reaches our eyes.

**Exercise | Q 4.3 | Page 104** Write the answer to the following.

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What is a shadow?

# SOLUTION

Shadow is a dark patch obtained on a screen where the light from a light source is blocked by an opaque object.

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