

Chapter – 7
Urban Administration
Worksheet - 1

Choose the correct option:

1. The uncollected garbage attracts dogs, rats, mosquitoes and flies, so we should
 - (a) cover them
 - (b) keep them open
 - (c) throw them on to the roads
 - (d) throw them here and there

2. The jobs of contract workers are
 - (a) temporary
 - (b) permanent
 - (c) both (a) and (b)
 - (d) none of these

3. If any housekeeping staff does not do his duty, whom should we contact?
 - (a) Sanitation engineer
 - (b) Local police station
 - (c) Councillor
 - (d) Chief Minister

4. What was Gangabai protesting about?
 - (a) The garbage was not removed for several days
 - (b) She wanted to open a hospital
 - (c) She wanted to open a school
 - (d) None of these

5. Why was Gangabai loved and respected?
 - (a) For her being active citizen
 - (b) For her being lazy citizen
 - (c) For helping the poor
 - (d) For all of these

6. The city is divided into several _____.
 - (a) Wards
 - (b) Tehsil
 - (c) Talukas
 - (d) Districts

7. In a municipal corporation the elected members are called _____.
- (a) ward Commissioner
 - (b) ward councillors
 - (c) ward Corporation
 - (d) None of these
8. Groups of councillors deal with issues that affect the _____.
- (a) the entire country
 - (b) the entire state
 - (c) the entire district
 - (d) the entire city
9. Elections are held once every _____ years for the panchayat as well as for the municipality.
- (a) 1
 - (b) 2
 - (c) 3
 - (d) 5
10. While the councillors make decisions the administrative staff led by the Commissioner _____ these.
- (a) allow
 - (b) implement
 - (c) dismiss
 - (d) None of these

Answer the following Questions.

11. Who is responsible to run schools, hospitals and dispensaries in the urban areas?
12. What is the Municipal Corporation in the smaller towns called?
13. What are the complicated decisions that affect the entire city?
14. Who should be contacted by the people when problems are within a ward?
15. Who implements the decisions taken by the councillors or committees of councillors?
16. Is the Commissioner appointed or elected?
17. Describe the community protest.
18. Write responsibilities of the Councillors.

19. Write functions of the Municipal Corporation.
20. What is Sub-Contracting and what is its impact?