

Girls' High School and College, Prayagraj

Work Sheet No. 1

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Class 3 (A - F)

Science

Lesson 1

Feeding Habits of Animals

Instructions: Parents should ensure that child reads the paragraph from the lesson provided. The child should be explained the paragraph and then asked to attempt the questions.

Eating Habits of Animals

Different animals eat different types of food. The feeding habits of animals depend on the type of food they eat. The mouth of an animal is suited to the type of food they eat. The trunk of an elephant helps it to eat and drink. A butterfly has long sucking tube to suck nectar. Similarly, mosquitoes and leeches suck blood from the bodies.

Animals also need food to live and grow. So, animals can be grouped into three types on the basis of what they eat.

Animals:

- 1) Plant eaters-Herbivores
- 2) Flesh eaters-Carnivores
- 3) Both plant and flesh eaters-Omnivores

Herbivores- Animals that eat only grass and parts of different plants are called Herbivores.

Example- Cow, Deer, Horse

Carnivores- Animals that eat only flesh of other animals are called carnivores. Some flesh-eating animals like frogs, lizards use their tongue and swallow their food. A python can swallow a whole deer.

Example- Lion, Tiger, Wolf

Omnivores- Animals that eat both plants and flesh of other animals are called omnivores.

Example- Bear, Crow, Ostrich, even human beings are omnivores.

1) Fill in the blanks:

- 1) Animals are grouped into _____ types based on their eating habits.
- 2) Carnivores eat other small _____.
- 3) All animals need food to grow and to stay _____.
- 4) Different animals have different _____ habits.
- 5) Humans are also _____.
- 6) Plant eating animals are also called _____.
- 7) _____ sucks up water with its trunk.

2) Write true or false:

- 1) Plants are able to make their own food-
- 2) All animals depend directly or indirectly on plants -
- 3) A lizard can swallow its food-
- 4) Frogs have sharp pointed teeth-
- 5) A camel is a carnivore-
- 6) Animals need care-
- 7) A frog uses its tongue to catch its prey-
- 8) A python can swallow a whole deer-

3) Answer the following questions in short:

- 1) Why do animals need food?
- 2) What are herbivores? Name any two.
- 3) What is the difference between carnivores and omnivores?
- 4) Name the different types of animals on the basis of what they eat.