

Diversity in Society

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Fill in the blank.

To live among a variety of communities is to experience _____.

Solution: To live among a variety of communities is to experience oneness.

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Fill in the blank.

India is an important _____ nation of the world.

Solution: India is an important secular nation of the world.

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Fill in the blank.

Cooperation makes _____ in society healthier.

Solution: Cooperation makes interdependence in society healthier.

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What is meant by cooperation?

Solution: Cooperation is the process of sharing and helping each other in solving problems and removing difficulties.

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Why have we accepted the principle of secularism?

Solution: We have great linguistic and religious diversity in our country and in order to preserve this diversity in a sound and healthy manner we have adopted the principle of secularism.

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What is it that shows the unity in Indian society?

Solution:

1. There are many languages, religions, cultures, customs, and traditions in the Indian society but despite our differences, we are living together for many years.
2. This has developed a feeling of oneness amongst us- and this oneness has led to unity in the Indian society.

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When do conflicts arise in society?

Solution:

1. Disputes and conflicts arise when there is a lack of agreement in the opinion, ideas, and views of the people.
2. Just as there is cooperation in the society, so also at times there can be differences of opinion, disputes, and conflicts.
3. Prejudices and misconceptions about each other too can also lead to conflicts.

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What are the advantages of cooperation?

Solution:

1. Cooperation makes interdependence in society healthier and allows the inclusion of everybody in the society.
2. It is a process of inclusion and of moving ahead, taking along all the sections of society.

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You see two children quarreling. What would you do?

Solution:

1. I will explain to the children that quarelling with one another is bad.
2. I will advise them to resolve conflicts through understanding and with a spirit of friendship.
3. I will explain to them the importance of tolerance

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You are the Chief Minister of the School Cabinet. What are the functions you would perform?

Solution: I would perform the following functions as the chief minister of the school cabinet:

1. Maintain discipline and order in the school.
2. Ensure that the different committee members of the school cabinet are doing their duties well.
3. Coordinate with all the ministers to ensure that the day-to-day activities of the school are carried out in an organised manner.