

Civics (English Medium) - 9th Class English Medium Civics Chapter 2

Q1. Write Prof. Mac Iver's definition of family. Ans 1: According to Mac Iver, family is a union based on sexual relationship and durable for the birth and training of children. Q2. What is joint family? Ans 1: Two families who live together are called joint family. Grandfather, uncle, aunt all are included in it. This family system is mostly found in Eastern countries. Q3. What is nation? Ans 1: "A nation is a nationally which has organized itself into a political body either independent or desiring to be independent". Q4. What is conjugal family? Ans 1: Where, wife, husband and children live separately, it is called conjugal family system. In the modern age, people are more inclined towards conjugal family system. Q5. Write the Aristotle's definition of family. Ans 1: "Family is a natural institution that is based on human needs because no body can fulfil all the needs a alone." Q6. What is society? Ans 1: Society is a group or assembly of companions. When we talk of society, we presume that all forms of human relationships such as educational, literary, civilizational, cultural, moral spiritual, political, social, organized and disorganized activities, love and here are included in the sense of society. Q7. What is rural community? Ans 1: Rural community lives in a town or a village. People are known to one another due to low density of population. From educational viewpoint, rural community is backward. There is a shortage of necessities of life.

Ans 1: Family is the first and the oldest human institution which exists in one form or the other in every field. We can say that union of two persons husband and wife constitute a family.

Q8. What is family?

Q9. What is urban community?

Ans 1: Urban community is very big and people themselves do not know one another to some extent. Facilities are in abundance and people are mostly educated. But there is a lack of sincerity and love in them. They give more importance to pomp and show.

Q10. What is Matriarchal family?

Ans 1: In matriarchal family, woman or wife is the head of the family. Daughters are entitled to get their share in inheritance. In modern age, this type of family system is very rare in the world.