

English (New Book) - FA Part 1 English Chapter 29 Short Questions Preparation

Q1. When does the life of a man become poor ?

Ans 1: The poet says that we are so busy in coping with daily routine of life that we have no time to enjoy and look at the wonders around us. He calls this life "a poor life" and "a life full of cares". Thus, when man leads a materialistic life it becomes a "poor life".

Q2. What is the poet trying to say in the last two lines of the poem "Leisure"?

Ans 1: In the last two lines of the poem "Leisure", the poet is trying to say if we have no time to enjoy the beauties of the nature, then we are leading a poor and pitiable life.

Q3. Why do we ignore the charms of life.

Ans 1: We are materialistic and busy people. That is why, we ignore the charms of life.

Q4. What kind of the delights do we miss in our daily life because of lack of time.

Ans 1: We being the busy people, we miss the delights of shades of bright shining streams. We miss the delights of wonderful smile of the beauty. We miss all these because of lack of time.

Q5. Which weakness of the modern man is mentioned in the poem "Leisure"?

Ans 1: The poem "Leisure" unveils the materialistic nature of man. It is the weakness of the modern man that he has become materialistic, selfish and mean. He gives no time to enjoy the beauty of nature. The poet calls it "a poor life".

Q6. How does the poet compare men with animals in the poem "Leisure"?

Ans 1: The poet put many examples for us that indicate that we are leading a life worse than the animals. He says that we have no time to stand under the green and shady trees. He does not look at the branches covered with blooming flowers. We do not enjoy the smile of the Beauty that begins with his eyes.

Q7. What is the main idea of the poem "The Leisure"?

Ans 1: Life is short and there are countless because of nature. The poet says that we are busy and materialistic person. We have no time to enjoy and look at the wonders around us and watch Beauty's glance. The poet therefore calls this life "a poor life" and a life full of cares.

Q8. How can the streams be full of stars.

Ans 1: When the sunlight strikes against the surface the stream water, it shines and reflects difference light. It seems that the stream is full of stars as the skies a night.

Q9. What we cannot see in broad day light.

Ans 1: In broad day light, we miss looking at a shining water stream whos water is shingng like stars at night.

Q10. What message does the poet give in the poem Leisures.

Ans 1: The poet gives message in the poem that man should free some leisure hours to enjoy the beauty of Nature.
