

English - FA Part 2 English Chapter 2 Short Questions Test

Q1. What do we mean by attitude?

Ans 1: Attitude means the way we feel towards some idea or some events.

Q2. What was the ratio of survival in newborn babies up to one year, two hundred years ago?

Ans 1: Two hundred years ago, death rate among children was very high. Seven out of eight babies died before reaching their first birthday.

Q3. How has the scientific method enabled us to get over the old fear?

Ans 1: The scientific method has taught us that there must be a sound basis for every happening. Therefore we do not believe in superstitious beliefs. Today evil spirits and fortune telling have no effect on our lives.

Q4. What kind of disease, according to the writer, are caused by unsanitary conditions?

Ans 1: The unsanitary conditions cause the disease like typhoid fever, cholera and dysentery. One should be mindful of one's cleanliness to avoid such diseases.

Q5. How is Los Angeles supplied with water?

Ans 1: Water is supplied to Los Angeles through a pipeline or an aqueduct from the Colorado River which is 544 km.

Q6. We are now generally less fearful than our ancestors. What were our ancestors afraid of?

Ans 1: Our ancestors were generally afraid of many superstitious things which were totally baseless. They were afraid of black cats, broken mirrors, and the number and many others. Now these things do not affect our lives.

Q7. How was the water obtained in the past?

Ans 1: In the past water was obtained from a source that contained disease-producing germs, so this water was contaminated and caused disease.

Q8. How has the scientific method benefited us?

Ans 1: The use of the scientific method helps us in solving problems of health, production and preservation of food, construction of houses and means of communication and transportation.

Q9. State how science has made man open minded?

Ans 1: Superstitious are feelings that involves baseless fears,Without is they feel themselves insecure ,Science has told us there is some logical reasoning for every happening.We believe in new thing .We have become broad minded.We have removed our Superstitious.

Q10. Compare the sanitary conditions of the past with present as mentioned in the lesson "Using the Scientific Method".

Ans 1: Sanitary conditions in our larger cities one hundred years ago were very poor,Streets were narrow ,unpaved and poor drained,Garbage was thrown in the streets ,Outdoor toilets were common.
But today our city streets are paved,well drained and well cleaned,Sewerage from all sections of city is carried through sealed pipes.Clean water is supplied to the inhabitants.
