

Q. 3. What does a squirrel eat?

Ans. A squirrel eats grains and fruits.

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Q. 1. What do you understand by Food chain, give an example.

Ans. The relationship between plants and animals on the basis of their food is known as 'Food chain'. Just as leaves are eaten by grasshopper, grasshopper is eaten by frog, frog is eaten by snake and snake is eaten by falcon. This is a food chain.

Q. 2. What do you understand by a sanctuary?

Ans. Sanctuary is an area where wild animals and plants are protected.

Q. 3. Write about the Chipko Movement.

Ans. Chipko Movement was launched by noted Garhwali environmentalist Sunder Lal Baugana. It was launched in Garhwal in Uttarakhand (then Uttar Pradesh), against cutting of trees in Garhwal. People clung onto trees to prevent them from being cut. People embraced trees, so it is called Chipko Movement.

Q. 4. Make a list of benefits that we get from trees.

Ans. We get the following benefits from trees :

(1) We get fruits, flowers, wood, herbs and other useful things.

(2) We get oxygen from trees.

(3) We get fodder for animals.

(4) Trees are helpful in bringing rain.

(5) Trees are helpful in maintaining environmental balance.

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