

GK-6

Chapter 6: Useful Plants – Answer Key

A. Multiple Choice Questions – Answers

1. (c) Rubber tree
2. (b) Henna
3. (c) Leaves
4. (b) Coir

B. Fill in the Blanks – Answers

1. Rubber
2. Henna
3. Ward off
4. Coir
5. Coconut

C. True or False – Answers

1. True
2. False
3. True
4. False

D. Match the Following – Answers

A - 2 (Henna – Used for dye and decoration)

B - 4 (Neem – Used for brushing teeth)

C - 3 (Rubber tree – Gives latex for rubber)

D - 1 (Coconut tree – Provides coconut water)

E. Short Answer Questions – Answers

1. The banana plant is useful because its trunk, flowers, and fruit can all be eaten, and its leaves can be used as plates.
2. Neem is used for brushing teeth, making medicines, keeping insects away, and even for health benefits in some parts of India.
3. Latex from the rubber tree is collected and used to make sheets of rubber, which are then used to make tyres, shoe soles, balls, and many other items.
4. Coconut fibre (coir) is used to make ropes, mats, and brushes.
5. The coconut tree is called a 'useful tree' because nearly all its parts—fruit, fibre, trunk, and leaves—are useful for food, drink, furniture, oil, and household items.