

EXERCISE

WHAT I HAVE LEARNT



A. Tick (✓) the correct answer.

- The uppermost layer of the earth where plants grow is called the –
(a) rock (b) soil (c) humus
- Proper quantity of _____ mixed in the soil makes the soil fertile.
(a) humus (b) mineral (c) clay
- _____ soil is the best soil for cultivation.
(a) Sand (b) Loamy (c) Subsoil
- _____ consume the soil and make the land porous.
(a) Earthworms (b) Honeybee (c) Snakes

B. Fill in the blanks :

(humus, plants, loamy soil, earthworms, nutrients, hard rocks)

- All the living beings, for the food, depend on the plants
- Millions of years ago, the topmost layer of the earth was made of hard rock.
- Humus is formed when remains of dead animals and putrefied plants are mixed together.
- Loamy soil is the best soil for cultivation.
- Earthworms are called friends of the farmers.
- The nutritive substances present in the soil are called nutrients.

C. Tick (✓) the correct statement and cross (X) the wrong one :

- The soil is made up of the remains of dead animals and plants.
- The topmost layer of the earth is called soil.
- Humus is a type of organic matter.
- Subsoil is black in colour.
- Waterborne soil is not fertile.
- Natural fertilizers are prepared in factories with the chemicals.