



English Language Zone

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MODEL QUESTION 1

Unit: 1, lesson: 4

Read the passage below and answer the following questions:

A responsibility is a duty or an obligation TO DO something. For example, you have the responsibility to take care of your parents in their old age, to attend school and pursue your studies properly and so on. You have also the responsibility to society and the government, e.g. to help a neighbour in trouble or to cast your vote if you are 18 or over.

A responsibility is also an obligation or a duty NOT TO DO something. For example, you have the responsibility not to steal a book from a public library or not to put your building materials on the footpath. These are your responsibilities as citizens. But there are responsibilities of the government as well. Our government has the responsibilities to provide for its citizens "the basic necessities of life, including food, clothing, shelter, education and medical care". The government also has the responsibilities to protect the fundamental rights of its citizens to freedom of speech and expression, freedom of the press, freedom of religion, equality of all before law etc.

The knowledge, skills and attitudes you have gained at home, at school and in society will help you to accept your responsibilities and to carry them out effectively. Remember, discharging your responsibilities will be good for you, good for your family and friends, and good for your society and country as a whole.

1. Choose the right word to complete each sentences:

1x7=7

(a) Responsibility is _____

- i) to be attentive ii) to be conscious iii) to be obliged iv) to be restricted

(b) Discharging responsibilities is a sign of _____.

- i) good man ii) useful man iii) dutiful man iv) good citizen

(c) To help a neighbor in trouble is _____

- i) duty ii) humanity iii) responsibility iv) helpful

(d) The government has the responsibility to _____

- i) ensure job for all citizens ii) help the citizen to earn more money
iii) protect the fundamental rights of its citizen iv) ensure education for all

(e) A citizen has the responsibility to _____

- i) joint voluntary service ii) involve in politics iii) manage a job iv) cast his vote

(f) The word 'obligation' refers to _____

- i) easily ii) temporarily iii) restriction iv) mandatory

- (g) The word 'discharging' refers to _____
- i) disposing ii) performing iii) pouring iv) easiness
- h) Which of the following is not our fundamental right?
- i) freedom of religion ii) freedom of conflict
- iii) freedom of press iv) freedom of speech and expression
- i) What are the basic necessities of life?
- i) food, clothing, recreation, shelter, education
- ii) food, transport, clothing, shelter, medical care
- iii) food, clothing, shelter, education, medical care
- iv) food, clothing, shelter, employment, medical care
- j) All are equal in the eye of _____
- i) law ii) conduct iii) meeting iv) school
- k) Which of the following you should not do?
- i) casting vote ii) helping a neighbor
- iii) stealing a book from the library iv) taking care of parents
- l) Which of the following has the closest meaning of the word **obligation**?
- i) a political or social requirement ii) a legal or social requirement
- iii) a moral or an emotional requirement iv) a social, legal or moral requirement
- m) What is the main purpose of the author of this passage?
- i) to sketch the responsibilities of the citizens and the government
- ii) to portray the responsibilities of the government
- iii) to state the responsibilities of the citizens
- iv) to highlight the responsibilities of family, friends and society
- n) Which of the following is the responsibility of the government?
- i) obstructing the freedom of speech of the citizens ii) casting vote for the right person
- iii) putting building materials on the footpath iv) ensuring fundamental rights of the citizens
- o) The word **effectively** refers to _____
- i) fruitlessly ii) fruitfully iii) seriously iv) helplessly
- p) As a student you have the responsibility to _____



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- i) monitor students' performances
 - ii) maintain your family
 - iii) pursue your studies
 - iv) keep a record of students' performances
- q) "Cast your vote if you are 18 or over." What is meant by this sentence?
- i) one does not acquire any quality to do something at the age of 18 or over
 - ii) one fails to vote for the particular purpose at 18 or over 18
 - iii) one attains quality to select one's representative by voting at the age of 18 or over
 - iv) one drops out from the right of voting at 18 or over 18
- r) "But there are responsibilities of the government as well." What is meant by this sentence?
- i) to protect the fundamental rights of its citizens
 - ii) to provide for its citizens the basic necessities of life
 - iii) to provide medical care and protect equality of its citizens
 - iv) to provide and protect the fundamental rights of its citizens
- s) Which of the following should not be done by a good citizen?
- i) to thief a thing from a shop
 - ii) to avoid discipline and rules
 - iii) to put garbage on the street
 - iv) all of them
- t) fulfilling responsibilities has a _____ effect on the society and country as a whole.
- i) variable
 - ii) credible
 - iii) positive
 - iv) negative
- u) _____ our responsibilities will be good for us.
- i) following
 - ii) avoiding
 - iii) believing
 - iv) discharging
- v) Which of the following has the closest meaning of the word **expression** used in the passage?
- i) a look on a person's face
 - ii) ability to show someone's thought
 - iii) a strong show of feeling
 - iv) things that people say, write or do in order to show their opinion or idea.
- w) What does the expression 'the basic necessities of life' mean?
- i) some things are essential for human to live
 - ii) necessity is the main fact of life
 - iii) life is full of necessity
 - iv) responsibility is the basic needs of life

- x) Which of the following statement is correct?
- i) government is to perform all the responsibilities
 - ii) government and citizens have the same responsibilities
 - iii) only the citizens have to conduct their responsibilities
 - iv) not only the citizen but also the government has some duties

y) Responsibility refers to an obligation of _____

- A. doing something
- B. avoiding something
- C. casting vote

z) Which of the above answers is/are correct/

- i) A & C
- ii) c
- iii) A & B
- iv) B & C

2. Write short answers to the following questions:

2x5=10

- (a) What is responsibility?
- (b) What is the responsibility of a citizen to its country?
- (c) What are the fundamental needs of a citizen?
- (d) What are the responsibilities for the government to the citizen?
- (e) What are the responsibilities of a student?

With the curtains closing on the 2012 London Olympics, it's impossible not to look back and reflect on the greatest performances by Olympic athletes. The Olympics have many memorable moments and athletes we'll remember by name alone. The list is quite big. Michael Phelps and Usain Bolt are the latest addition to this list of the bests. They make London Olympics stand apart. If there is any question like this: "What is the standout performance of London 2012?", perhaps the answer is "The London Games gave us Michael Phelps vs. Usain Bolt." The first one is an already decorated Olympian, who puts the finishing touches on his great athletic careers. And another comes up with a new definition of fast.

3. Fill in the blanks with suitable words.

1x5=5

Michel Phelps and Usain Bolt are the most (a)_____ athletes. Phelps is the fastest swimmer and Bolt is the fastest (b)_____ in the world. Their performances in London Olympics 2012 had made them (c)_____. Phelps remains on top of the swimming world while Bolt is on top of the sprinting world. Phelps has taken (d)_____ after London Olympics 2012, but Bolt is (e)_____ to show more magic in the next Olympics.