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CLASS-3

SUBJECT-SCIENCE

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BASED ON NCERT PATTERN

Chapter-3 (EATING HABITS OF ANIMALS)

A. Tick '✓' the correct option.

1. Spiders spin sticky

- a. Nest
- b. Yarn
- c. Web ✓
- d. None of these

2. Scavengers live on

- a. Plants
- b. Leaves
- c. Dead animals ✓
- d. Trees

3. Rats are

- a. Scavengers
- b. Herbivores
- c. Carnivores
- d. Rodents ✓

B. Define the following:

1. Herbivores- Animals which eat only plants are herbivores animals ,example -cows ,buffalo ,goat, rabbit ,camel ,zebra etc.

2. Omnivores- Animals which eat both plants and flesh are omnivorous animals .example- crow , dog, man beer etc.
3. Carnivores - Animals which eat only flesh are carnivores animals , example- lion, eagle ,leopard wolf etc.

C. Answer these questions:

1. What is gnawing the food?

Answer- Rodents have long and flat front teeth to bite hard nuts and fruits. This is called gnawing the food.

2. What do you understand by chewing the cud?

Answer- Ruminants eat the same food twice. First they swallow it and later they bring the swallowed food back into their mouth and chew it well. This is called chewing the cud.

3. What is proboscis?

Answer- Proboscis is the long tube like tongue of a Butterfly.

4. How do elephants catch their food?

Answer- Elephants catch their food with their long and thick trunk.

5. Explain the food chain.

Answer-All animals depend on plants directly or indirectly for food. Some animals eat plants some eat plant eating animals . This forms a sort of chain and is called food chain.

Example: grass → deer → lion.

D. Write true or false:

1. Carnivores have sharp pointed back teeth. → F
2. Ruminants are the animals that eat every food twice. → T
3. Spider is always caught in its web. → F
4. Scavengers eat already killed animals. → T
5. Elephant uses its ears to suck water. → F