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CHAPTER 2. (LIGHT- REFLECTION) (BASED ON NCERT PATTERN)

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Question 1. What are the important differences between looking at a photograph of your face and looking at yourself in a plane mirror?

Solution : A image of our face in a plane mirror is laterally inverted, so left is right and right is left. However, in a photograph of our face this is not the case.

Question 2. (a) A wall reflects light and a mirror also reflects light. What difference is there in the way they reflect light?

(b) Which type of reflection of light leads to the formation of images?

Solution: (a) A wall has a rough surface, so the reflection by a wall is a diffuse reflection. A parallel beam of light incident on it is reflected in different directions. A mirror surface is smooth, so the reflection by a mirror is a regular reflection. A parallel beam of light incident on it, gets scattered by making reflected rays in different directions.

(b) Regular reflection

Question 3. What is the difference between regular reflection of light and diffuse reflection of light? What type of reflection of light takes place from:

- (a) a cinema screen (b) a plane mirror (c) a cardboard (d) still water surface of a lake **Solution :** In regular reflection, a parallel beam of incident light is reflected as a parallel beam in one direction; while in diffuse reflection, a parallel beam of incident light is reflected in different directions.
- (a) Regular reflection
- (b) Regular reflection
- (c) Diffuse reflection
- (d) Regular reflection