CHAPTER-XV

MAKING POTS

2MARK QUESTIONS

1. Why did the crow need a pot?

ANSWER:

A pot was required for the crow to fill with water. The crow desired to clean its beak in that water.

2. Who all helped the crow to make the pot?

ANSWER:

Using a clay pit and trowel, the blacksmith and potter assisted the crow in making the pot.

3. What things did the potter need?

ANSWER:

For the pot, the potter needed clay from the clay pit.

4. Are their utensils made of clay in your house? Which are these?

ANSWER:

Yes, I have utensils made of clay in my residence, such as a pot, a glass, and a Tawa.

5. If someone gives you clay, will you be able to make some utensils from it?

ANSWER:

I can make glass out of clay if someone offers it to me.

6. We often keep water in a clay pot at home or in school. Why do these pots not get spoilt by the water?

ANSWER:

At home or school, we frequently keep water in a clay pot. These pots are not affected by water because they are fired in a kiln.

7. Have you ever seen bricks or pots being baked in a kiln?

ANSWER:

Yes, I have witnessed the baking of bricks in a kiln.

8.Long, long ago, when people did not have any pots, what did those people do?

ANSWER:

People used their hands, outside cover of coconut, and leaves long, long ago when they didn't have any pots.

5 MARK QUESTIONS

1. What will happen if you store water in these pots overnight?

ANSWER:

If I leave the water in these pots overnight, it will freeze. It's also possible that the pot will melt. Another possibility and most likely is water in the pot will become cold.

2.Why would people have made pots? Imagine – one day all the pots disappear from the world. What will happen in your house? ANSWER:

People have created pots to make their daily tasks easier. With the help of pots, cooking and filling water is a breeze. We won't be able to keep water if we don't have pots in my house, which will cause a slew of problems. We won't be able to store grains, legumes, or other foodstuffs. Food items will spoil quickly in this manner.

MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

1.A kiln is a furnace used for:

- 1. Burning
- 2. Leaking
- 3. Drying pottery
- 4. All

Ans: 1) Burning

2.Clay utensils are made by:

- 1. Potter
- 2. Blacksmith
- 3. Mason
- 4. All

Ans: 1) Potter

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Ans: 1) Burning

4. What did Phudgudi agree to in Bhanate's proposal?

- 1) To become enemies
- 2) To become fast friends
- 3) To steal each other's food
- 4) To lay eggs together

Ans: 2) To become fast friends

5. What did Bhanate need from the potter?

- a) A pot
- b) A trowel
- c) Clay
- d) Water

Ans: 2) Water

Environmental studies

SUMMARY

A potter makes pots from clayey soil. This soil is mostly found near ponds and rivers. He uses a trowel to dig the soil and then he dries, grounds, and sieves it. He then kneads it with water to make clay dough.