

## UNIT: 2 - My Beloved Motherland

Class: II

Subject : EVS

### I. Hard words

- |               |                 |            |               |
|---------------|-----------------|------------|---------------|
| 1. Country    | 2. Leaders      | 3. Flag    | 4. Tri colour |
| 5. Emblem     | 6. Aquatic      | 7. Respect | 8. Symbol     |
| 9. Prosperity | 10. Responsible |            |               |

### II. Fill in the blanks

1. Dr. Rajendraprasad was the first President of free India.
2. Mahatma Gandhi is The Father of our Nation.
3. Gandhi's birthday is celebrated as Gandhi jayanthi.
4. India celebrated August 15<sup>th</sup> as independence day every year.
5. November 14 is celebrated as Children's Day.

### III. Choose the correct answer

1. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru was the First Prime Minister of India.  
[ Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru / Mahatma Gandhi ]
2. Our National Flag called the tricolour is rectangular in shape.  
[ dye colour / tri colour ]
3. Ashoka Chakra has 24 spokes [24 / 22 ]
4. The Dolphin of the Ganges river is the National Aquatic Animal of India  
[ the whale / the dolphin ]
5. Kabaddi is our state game [Kabaddi / hockey]

### IV. Match

- |                     |   |             |
|---------------------|---|-------------|
| 1. Independence Day | - | August 15   |
| 2. Gandhi Jayanti   | - | October 2   |
| 3. Children's Day   | - | November 14 |
| 4. Republic Day     | - | January 26  |
| 5. Palm tree        | - | state tree  |

## V. Question and answer;

### 1. Name some National Days

- Independence day
- Republic Day
- Gandhi Jayanthi are some National Days.

### 2. Name some National leaders.

- Dr. Rajendra Prasad
- Mahatma Gandhi
- Jawaharlal Nehru are some National Leaders.

### 3. Write about Mahatma Gandhi

- Mahatma Gandhi is the Father of our Nation
- He led a Simple life and always spoke the truth.
- His birthday is celebrated as Gandhi Jayanti on October 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### 4. Name some National Symbol of India

- National animal - Bengal Tiger
- National river - Ganges
- National bird - Peacock
- National tree - Banyan Tree
- National flower - Lotus
- National fruit - Mango

### 5. Name some state symbol of Tamil Nadu

- State animal - Nilgiri Tahr
- State bird - Emerald Dove
- State tree - Palm Tree
- State flower - Gloriosa Lily
- State fruit - Jack Fruit
- State game - Kabaddi.

### 6. Mention some of our responsibilities.

- Do not spit in public places
- Do not throw waste in public places
- Do not scribble on walls
- Form a queue.

## BOOK SOLUTIONS

1. Write 'N' for the National symbols and 'S' for the State symbols in the box given. Name the pictures



N

Lotus



N

Ganges



S

Emerald Dove



N

Banyan Tree



S

Nilgiri thar



N

Mango

2. Colour the circle red for the Don'ts and green for the Do's



R



G



G



R



R



G

## EVALUATION

### 1. Write the names of the National Days for the given dates.

1. August 15 - Independence day
2. November 14 - Children's day
3. January 26 - Republic day
4. October 2 - Gandhi Jayanthi

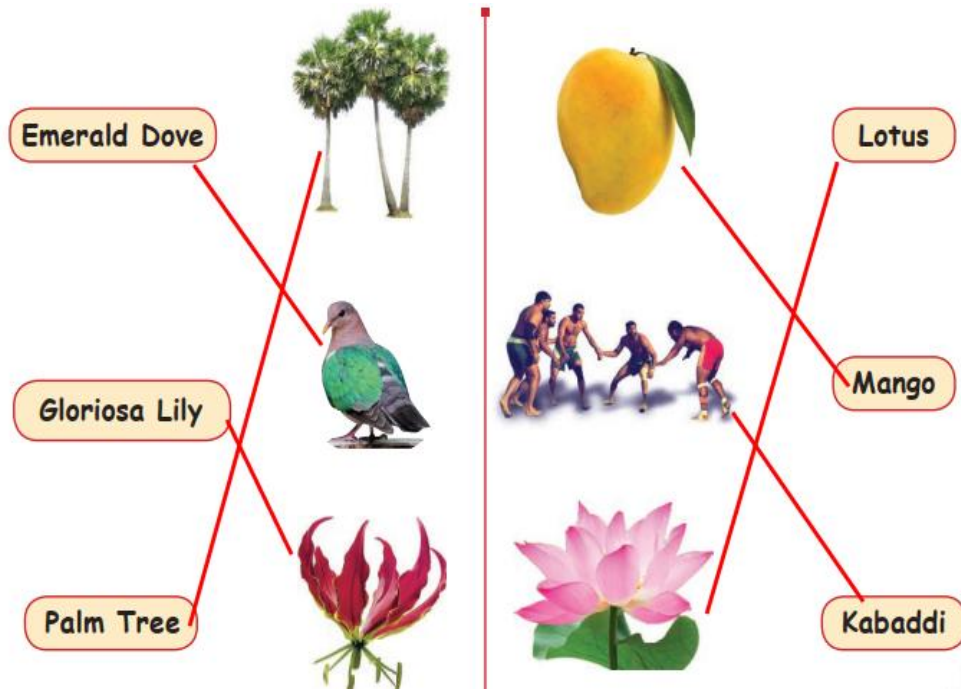
### 2. Colour the odd one

- |                 |              |              |                    |
|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------|
| a. Mango Bengal | Tiger        | Banyan tree  | <u>Jackfruit</u>   |
| b. Palm tree    | Nilgiri Tahr | <u>Lotus</u> | Emerald Dove       |
| c. Saffron      | Green        | <u>Red</u>   | White              |
| d. January 26   | August 15    | October 2    | <u>November 12</u> |

### 3. Select and circle the name for the given picture

a.		<u>Bengal Tiger</u>	Lion	Elephant
b.		Duck	<u>Peacock</u>	Dove
c.		<u>Ganges</u>	Cauvery	Vaigai
d.		Mango Tree	<u>Banyan Tree</u>	Neem Tree
e.		<u>Jackfruit</u>	Banana	Apple

4. Draw a line connecting the symbol with its name



5. Fill in the blanks

- Jawaharlal Nehru was the first Prime Minister of India.
- The First President of India was Dr. Rajendra Prasad.
- Mahatma Gandhi is the Father of our Nation.
- The State animal of Tamil Nadu is the Nilgiri tahr.
- Jackfruit is our State fruit

6. Tick (✓) the correct behaviour and cross (x) the wrong one.

