

Sense Organs



A It is important to learn the language of disability. In each pair of sentences given below, tick the one that shows the correct language of disability.

Hint: a person always comes before a disability. For example: a person with a disability and not a disabled person.

1. a. A person who is deaf

b. A deaf person
2. a. A wheelchair-bound boy

b. A boy who uses a wheelchair
3. a. A person who is visually impaired (disabled)

b. A visually impaired person
4. a. A physically disabled person

b. A person with a physical disability
5. a. A dumb person

b. A person with a speech impairment



Wise Owl says...

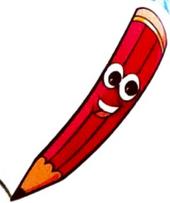
- **Ageusia** [ah-GYOO-zee-a] is a complete loss of taste.
- **Anosmia** (an-OHZ-me-uh) is a complete loss of the sense of smell.

B Yes or no?

1. People with disabilities want to be treated just like you. yes
2. People with disabilities can do lots of different things but they may just use a different way to do these things. yes
3. People with disabilities need pity. no
4. Persons with disabilities are burdens on their families. no
5. Buildings are often not designed to suit people with physical disabilities. yes
6. It is always better to ask a person with a disability if he/she needs help rather than rushing forward and doing things for him/her yourself. yes



If-Then Golden Rules



Match the columns to complete the golden rules and then write them out in the space given below.

Column A	Column B
1. If at first you don't succeed	a. then you will never reach your destination. 2
2. If you only walk on sunny days	b. then be honest. 6
3. If you don't do it	c. then you can do it. 4
4. If you can dream it	d. then you have to put up with the storm. 7
5. If the shoe fits	e. then try and try again. 1
6. If you want to be trusted	f. then when? 8
7. If you want a rainbow	g. then wear it. 5
8. If not now	h. then it won't get done. 3

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If bees were to become extinct, then we would lose all the plants that use bees to spread their pollen, all of the animals that eat those plants and so on up the **food chain**. This means that a world without bees would find it very hard to take care of the global **human population** of 7 billion.

Traditional Games of India



Read the descriptions of the games given below and then label the pictures.



1. Gooli and Goli



2. Kho Kho



3. Langola



4. Langori



5. Gilli danda



6. Mallakhamb

- Langdi** is a game similar to hopscotch.
- Kho Kho** is a team sport in which one team sits in a row.
- Mallakhamb** is a gymnastic sport performed with a pole or a rope.
- This game of marbles is known as **Lakhoti**, **Kancha**, **Golli** and **Goti**.
- Kitti-pul** or **Gilli-danda** is a game in which a large stick is used to hit a smaller one.
- In the game of **Satoliya** or **Lagori**, one team tries to knock over a pile of stones and then build it up again while the other team tries to prevent them from doing so.



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Chaturanga and **Shatranj** are strategy games which are said to be early forms of **chess**.

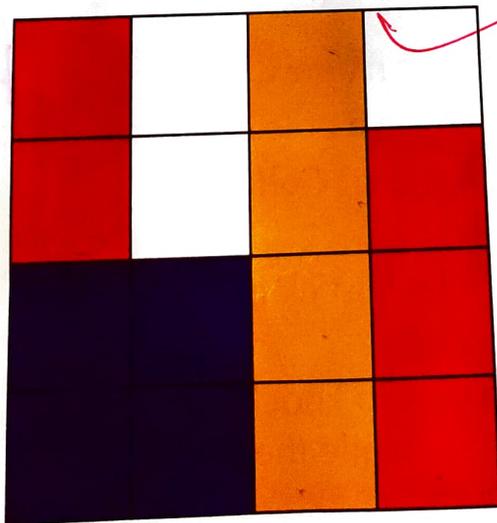
Fun with Fractions

A Match the columns to learn some facts with fractions.

Column A	Column B
1. The word fraction comes from the Latin 'fractio'	a. do not get enough food to lead a healthy and active life. 6
2. Half a loaf	b. 15 minutes. 5
3. A second is 1/60th	c. grow in the cold Taiga forests of Russia. 8
4. 365¼ days is the time taken for	d. which means 'to break'. 1
5. A quarter of an hour is equal to	e. a very short time. 7
6. Nearly 1/9th of the people in the world	f. is better than no bread. 2
7. A fraction of a second means	g. one revolution of the earth around the sun. 4
8. 1/3rd of all the earth's trees	h. of a minute. 3

B Look at the picture given below and fill in the blanks with the right colour names.

1. A quarter of the large square is blue and a quarter is yellow.
2. 5/16th of the large square is red.
3. Blue and yellow together make up one half of the large square and red and white together make up the other half of the large square.



Wise Owl says...

The first people to use **fractions** were the **ancient Egyptians** who lived thousands of years ago.