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Water Pollution - Conservation

I Fill in the blanks :-

① The chemical chlorine is added to drinking water to purify it from germs.

[Chlorine / bacteria]

② When we boil water all the bacteria will die. [bacteria / cholera]

③ Desalting is the process of reducing the salt content of the sea water.

[Desalting / purifying]

④ Disease like cholera are spread through water. [typhoid / cholera]

⑤ Polluted water is unfit for drinking.

[fit / unfit]

II. Write true or false :-

1. It is good for health to boil and cool the water before drinking. [true]

② We must dispose garbage near water sources. [false]

③ Purifying and reusing of water can minimise the scarcity of water. [True]

④ We should wash cloths and utensils in the river. [false]

iii) Answer the following questions:-

① What is pollution?

Ans:- The action of making air, water etc dirty is called pollution.

② What is dehydration?

Ans:- Due to vomiting and diarrhoea the body loses the water content and the patient becomes tired this is called dehydration.

③ Write the full form of ORS:-

Ans:- ORS - Oral Rehydration Solution.

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④ Name the diseases caused by polluted water :-

Ans:- Diseases like cholera, typhoid, dysentery, diarrhoea, trachoma (skin diseases) are caused by polluted water.

IV Match the following:-

1. ORS solution - Oral rehydration
2. Dehydration - the body loses water
3. Chlorine - Purify germs present in water
4. Deadly diseases - malaria, Cholera.

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