

Class- 7
chapter- 3
answer key

Q.1. You must be familiar with the following nursery rhymes:

- (i) 'Baa baa black sheep, have you any wool.'
- (ii) 'Mary had a little lamb, whose fleece was white as snow.'

Answer the following:

- (a) Which parts of the black sheep have wool?
- (b) What is meant by the white fleece of the lamb?

And - (a) The hairy skin i.e. fleece of the black sheep have wool.

(b) White fleece means the white coloured hair of the lamb.

Q.2. The silkworm is (a) a caterpillar, (b) a larva. Choose the correct option.

- (i) a (ii) b (iii) both a and b (iv) neither a nor b
- (iii) both a and b

Q.3. Which of the following does not yield wool?

- (i) Yak (ii) Camel (iii) Goat (iv) Woolly dog

► (iv) Woolly dog

Q.4. What is meant by the following terms?

(i) Rearing (ii) Shearing (iii) Sericulture

Ans- (i) Rearing : It means taking care of herds of animals which includes feeding, grazing, breeding, etc. for economical purpose like meat and other useful products.

(ii) Shearing : The removal of fleece of the sheep along with a thin layer of skin from its body is called shearing.

(iii) Sericulture : The rearing of silkworms to obtain silk economically is called sericulture.

Q.5. Given below is a sequence of steps in the processing of wool. Which are the missing steps? Add them.

Shearing, _____, sorting, _____, _____, _____.

Shearing, scouring, sorting, burrs picking, dyeing, rolling

Answer 7 - sericulture and moriculture