


## Topic- Unity in diversity- chapter no.

**Complete the back exercise and the workbook exercise for the lesson 14 - Unity in diversity**

 **Things To Remember**

1. The national flag and emblem are the symbols of a united India.
2. Our national flag is known as the tricolour.
3. Each of the three colours of our flag has a special meaning: saffron-sacrifice, white-peace, green-life and prosperity.
4. We hoist our flag on all national festivals. We salute the flag every time it is hoisted.
5. The national anthem 'Jana Gana Mana' was written by Rabindranath Tagore.
6. We stand at attention and sing the national anthem at all national festivals and important functions.
7. Our national flower is the lotus, national animal is the tiger, national bird is the peacock, national fruit is the mango and national tree is the banyan.

**EXERCISE**

1. Tick (✓) the correct option:

- (a) Our national flag has three colours.  
(i) two                      (ii)  three                      (iii) five                      (iv) six
- (b) Our national currency is:  
(i) dollar                      (ii) paise                      (iii)  rupee                      (iv) all of these
- (c) Our national bird is:  
(i) peahen                      (ii) kiwi                      (iii)  peacock                      (iv) hen
- (d) The 24 spokes of Ashoka Chakra represent:  
(i) states of India                      (ii) rivers of India                      (iii) hours in a day                      (iv) none of these
- (e) Satyamev Jayate means:  
(i) truth never wins                      (ii)  truth always wins  
(iii) truth cannot win                      (iv) truth sometimes wins

2. Match the following:

(a) National bird	Tricolour
(b) National flag	Rabindranath Tagore
(c) Ashoka Chakra	Peacock
(d) National emblem	24-spokes
(e) National anthem	Ashoka Pillar

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3. State true (T) or false (F):

- (a) The top band of our national flag is green.
- (b) Our national emblem is found on our currency.
- (c) Our national bird is found on all government stationery.
- (d) The white band on the flag stands for peace.
- (e) Our national symbols unite us as a nation.

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4. Fill in the blanks:

- (a) The Ashoka Chakra is on the white coloured band of the flag.
- (b) There are 4 lions in our national emblem.
- (c) The green band at the bottom of the flag stands for life and prosperity.
- (d) Our national emblem is taken from the Ashoka Chakra.
- (e) On the left of the wheel on our national emblem is a horse.

Give answer for the following:

- (a) Our national flower Lotus
- (b) Our national animal Tiger
- (c) Our national emblem Lion
- (d) Our national anthem Jana Gana Mana
- (e) Our national flag Tri Colour

Answer the following questions:

- (a) What is another name for our national flag? Why is it called so?

Tri colour is another name of our national flag. Each colour has a message.

- (b) What can be seen on our national emblem?

We can see 4 lions facing in different directions and a wheel or chakra below them.

- (c) When do we sing the national anthem?

National anthem is sung on all national and important functions.

- (d) What are the three colours in our flag? Why were these colours chosen?

Each colour has a message - (1) Saffron stands for sacrifice (2) White stands for peace (3) Green stands for life and prosperity.

HOTS questions (Higher Order Thinking Skills):

# Chapter 14

## UNITY IN DIVERSITY

### 1. Tick (✓) the correct option:

- (a) India is a land of diverse:  
 (i) cultures (ii) religions (iii) customs and traditions (iv) ✓ all of these
- (b) The national flag is a symbol of:  
 (i) unity (ii) ✓ freedom (iii) diversity (iv) both (i) & (ii)
- (c) We must always \_\_\_\_\_ the national flag.  
 (i) respect (ii) honour (iii) take care (iv) all of these
- (d) Our national emblem is adapted from Lion Capital built by:  
 (i) Akbar (ii) Ranjeet Singh (iii) Shah Jahan (iv) ✓ Ashoka
- (e) Satyameva Jayate means:  
 (i) truth triumphs (ii) truth alone  
 (iii) ✓ truth alone triumphs (iv) triumphs alone truth

### 2. State whether the given statements are true (T) or false (F):

- (a) Every country needs an emblem.
- (b) Each colour of our national flag has a message.
- (c) There is a black coloured wheel in the centre of our national flag.
- (d) Parrot is our national bird.
- (e) National emblem can be seen on currency notes.

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### 3. Match the following:

- (a) Saffron — Satyamev Jayate  
 (b) White — Rabindranath Tagore  
 (c) Green — peace  
 (d) National emblem — courage and sacrifice  
 (e) National anthem — life and prosperity

### 4. Fill in the blanks:

- (a) Your school uniform tells which school you belong to.
- (b) Ashoka Chakra has 24 spokes.
- (c) Our national flag is the symbol of our freedom.
- (d) We stand at straight while singing the national anthem.
- (e) National symbols bring country together.

