

PARAGON CONVENT SCHOOL

CLASS-4

SOCIAL STUDIES

CHAPTER-17

COMMUNICATION

SUMMARY

- We communicate by sending and receiving messages.
- Postal service is the most popular means of communication.
- Newspapers, radios, films and televisions are medium for connecting with the masses that is why they are called means of mass communication.

NOTEBOOK WORK

Write short answers.

Q1. How do letters travel from one place to another?

Ans. Letters travel from one place to another with the help of buses, trains, aeroplanes and ships.

Q2. Name three things that have made communication easy.

Ans. Three things that have made communication easy are landline phones, mobiles and cellular phones.

Q3. Write about the uses of the radio.

Ans. Radio entertains, educates and gives information about



national and international affairs.

Answer the following questions.

Q1. How does a fax machine work?

Ans. A fax machine works through a telephone line. It is used to send written messages, documents and photographs instantly. It is also a popular means of communication.

Q2. Mention three uses of World Wide Web.

Ans. With the help of World Wide Web, we share news, weather forecast, information on almost all the subjects and topics. One can also study online courses, give exams and also play games on the internet.

Q3. What is the role of mass communication?

Ans. Mass communication is used to communicate with a large number of people. We get to know events occurring in various parts of the world through newspapers, radio and television broadcast.

