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5. Public Institutions

New Terms:

1. Institutions
2. Distribution
3. experienced
4. Veterinary
5. Anganwadi
6. Gram Panchayat
7. implement
8. Panch
9. Sarpanch
10. Pradhan
11. performs
12. Infrastructure
13. sanitation
14. Resolving
15. Promoting
16. Municipal
17. Corporation
18. certificates
19. revenue
20. obligated
21. transparency
22. essential

Q. Answer these questions.

Q.1. Write any four functions of a Gram Panchayat.

Ans - Four functions of a gram Panchayat are -

- i) Local governance
- ii) Development of village infrastructure
- iii) Social welfare
- iv) Resolving small disputes.

Q.2. Write a short note on Municipal Corporation and its working.

Ans: The development and welfare of the people living in big cities and towns is looked after by the Municipal Corporation.

A municipal corporation does the following works: -

- i) Providing clean drinking water.
- ii) Keeping the city clean by proper garbage disposal.
- iii) Issuing birth and death certificates.
- iv) Providing healthcare facilities.

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Q.3 What is RTI? Explain how can we use it?

Ans: Right to information (RTI) is a powerful tool in India that allows any citizen to ask questions and get information from any government department about a policy, process, its implementation, etc. The RTI promotes transparency and responsibility.

Q.4. What is the significance of having local institutions?

Ans- Local institutions are very beneficial because they bring the government's help and resources closer to the people. They know the local issues better and can come up with their solutions. Everyone's voice is heard, and the community can work together for development.

Q.5 How can we communicate with local institutions?

Ans! One can talk directly to the officials, write letters, or even use phones or the internet to send messages.

Promoting
Agriculture

Local
Governance

Function of a
Gram Panchayat

Resolving
Disputes

Infrastructure
Development

Social
Welfare