

8. Women in the Society

Worksheet 1

A Answer the following questions:

1. Why did women have to fight for their rights?

2. What major change has been brought in the education of girls?

3. Why did women campaign against the dowry system?

4. What did the Supreme Court order in 1997?

B Fill in the words to complete the sentences below:

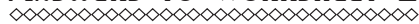
1. Girls are not encouraged to _____ after education, but are encouraged to get _____.
2. Now women are taking up _____ jobs in many sectors.
3. Women adopted many ways to fight against _____.

Worksheet 2

A Is a home maker a working woman? Why?

B Why is it necessary for both girls and boys to be educated?

ANSWERS TO WORKSHEET 2



- A. Yes, a homemaker is a working woman. She may not earn a salary, but she is working for the welfare of all her family members from morning to night every single day. Cooking, cleaning, washing, teaching, guiding her family, spending wisely and caring for them when they are sick or troubled, she is constantly working.
- B. It is necessary for both girls and boys to be educated so that they may make informed choices in life and become responsible citizens.