# Chapter- 8 My Home

### **STUDY NOTES**

### Let's Learn:

### What is a home?

- The house we live in with our family is our home.
- A house keeps us safe from the heat of the Sun and the rain.
- We keep warm in our house when it is cold outside.
- Our house also keeps us safe from wild animals, the Sun, the rain, and the cold.

### Different types of houses:

- There are different kinds of houses.
- Some houses are made of bricks and cement.
- Such houses are strong and safe.



- Some houses are made of mud and straw or dry grass.
- Such houses are called huts.
- Mud houses keep us cool but they are not very strong.



- Some houses are big and some are small.
- Sometimes a large building has many homes in it.

These are called flats. .



### Rooms in a house:

- Some houses have many rooms. •
- We do different things in different rooms. •
- We sit and talk to our friends or watch TV in the drawing room or living room. ۲



We cook in the kitchen. •



• We eat our meals in the dining room.



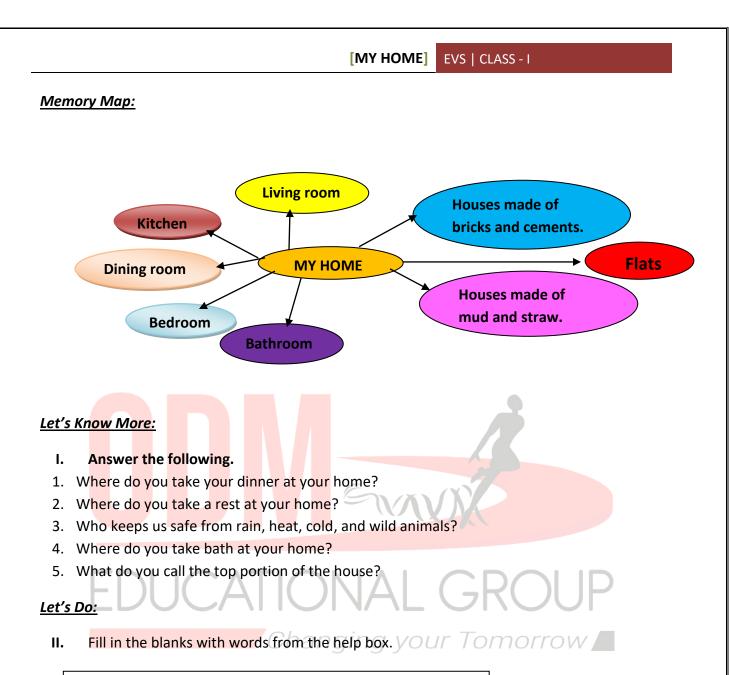
We sleep in the bedroom.



• We have a bath in the bathroom.

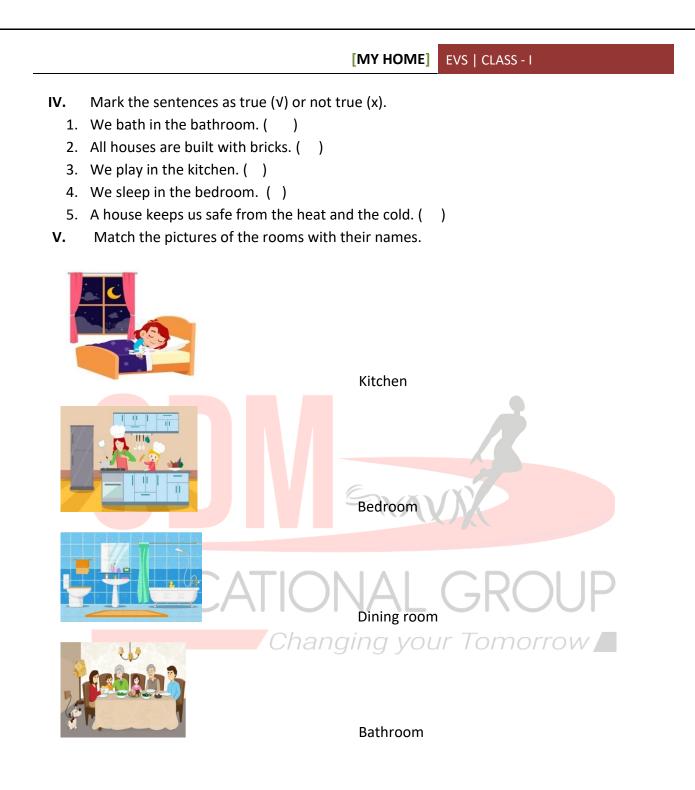


• We should keep our homes neat and clean.



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| 1. | 1. I live in a                |      |       |     |      |      |  |
| 2. | . The house I live in is my   |      |       |     |      |      |  |
| С  | My house protects me from the |      |       |     |      | and  |  |

- 3. My house protects me from the \_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4. I feel warm in my house when it is \_\_\_\_\_\_ outside.
- 5. I live with my \_\_\_\_\_ in my house.
- **III.** Tick (V) the correct word.
  - 1. The house we live in is our (home/school).
  - 2. We eat our meals in the (dining/living) room.
  - 3. A (flat/hut) is a home in a building.
  - 4. My (friend/family) lives in my house.
  - 5. We must keep our homes (dirty/clean).



### Teacher's Note:

• Draw or paste the picture of different rooms in a house in your scrapbook and write their names.

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### Improve Your G.K.:

- Places receiving heavy rainfall or snow have houses with sloping roofs. Rainwater and snow can easily slide off such roofs.
- In very cold places, people make houses with ice. These houses are called "igloos".
- Some houses float on water, these are called "houseboats".
- Some houses are made of special cloth, they are called "tents".

### Answer Key:

### I.

- 1. In the dining room.
- 2. In the bedroom.
- 3. Our houses.
- 4. In the bathroom.
- 5. Roof

### II.

- 1. House
- 2. Home
- 3. Sun, rain
- 4. Cold
- 5. Family

III.

- 1. Home
- 2. Dining room
- 3. Flat
- 4. Family
- 5. Clean

### IV.

- 1. True
- 2. Not true
- 3. Not true
- 4. True
- 5. True

v.

