

National Institute of Open Schooling
Senior Secondary Course : Home science
Lesson 27 : Care and maintenance
Worksheet - 27

1. Why do you think we need to take care of our clothes?
2. Your friend wants to store her winter clothes. Can you suggest her some ways by which she can protect her clothes from insects while storing?
3. How is dry cleaning different from ordinary washing?
4. Why do you think woollen fabrics are flat dried whereas cotton fabrics are line dried?
5. Can silk fabrics be washed using friction washing? If not, then what method should be used?
6. What method of washing do you think will be suitable for washing pile weave fabrics?
7. While dressing up for the college, you accidently noticed a big yellow stain on your coloured cotton shirt. What precautions would you take while removing that stain?
8. How is a milk stain different from a nail polish stain? Can both the stains be removed using similar method? Explain with reasons.
9. 'Reducing bleaches are used for bleaching wool and silk'. Why?
10. Do you think ironing temperatures vary for different fabrics? Justify your answer.