

COSMO SCHOOL



Subject: Religion

Chapter: 3 (Al-Akhlaq)

Topic 9

Not to waste.

Meaning of Israf- harm, unnecessary expenditure, waste.

Definition of Israf- to waste a thing without reason is called wastage. Wastage is a great sin.

Allah says, **“Those who make wastage are the brothers of saitan.”**

Types of wastage:

1. We make many unnecessary expenditures.
2. Take food beyond requirement.
3. Lit the light of house and the school.
4. Run the fan and water tap.
5. Keep the gas oven burning.
6. Play with fireworks and crackers.
7. Smoke biri-cigarettes.

Our duties:

1. We will not waste anything.
2. So not take anything beyond necessity.
3. We will not waste of money.

Topic 10-

Not to backbite:

Meaning of backbite: is to speak ill, to find out fault of others and to speak bad things behind one's back that spoil our reputation. It is called Gibat in Islamic terminology.

The man who backbites others is called backbiter.

Allah says, “ **Do not find out faults with others**”.

Allah the Great compares the making gibat with eating the flesh of a dead brother.

Results of backbiting:

1. Backbiter breaks peace in the society.
2. Allah hates him.
3. He will not able to enter the heaven.
4. Creates enmity with others in the society.
5. It ruins love, affection, peace and honor in the society.

Exercise:

Short question:

1. What is the meaning of misuse?

Ans: Misuse means to waste a thing without reason.

2. What is the meaning of speaking bad things behind one’s back?

Ans: The meaning of speaking bad things behind one’s back is backbiting.

BroadQuestion:

1. What will we do to save ourselves from misuse?

Ans:

1. We will not waste anything.
2. So not take anything beyond necessity.
3. We will not waste of money.
4. We will seek help from Allah.
5. We will use things properly.

2. What Allah said not to backbite others?

Ans: The man who backbites others is called backbiter. Allah says, “**Do not find out faults with others**”. Allah the Great compares the making gibat with eating the flesh of a dead brother.