



Chapter 15
Air Around Us

Notes:

- We cannot touch or see air but we can feel it. Air is present everywhere.
- Air is composed of Water vapour, Oxygen, Nitrogen, Carbon dioxide, Dust, Smoke and other gases.
- Atmosphere is the thin layer of air that surrounds the Earth.
- Plants and animals are interdependent for exchange of Oxygen and Carbon dioxide for their survival.
- Air occupies space and is present both in soil and water.
- Moving air is called wind.
- Importance of air
 1. Air plays an important role in water cycle.
 2. Air helps in the dispersal of seed and pollination of flower.
 3. Birds and insects can fly due to presence of air.
 4. Air helps in the movement of aeroplane, gliders and parachutes.
 5. Windmills are used to generate electricity, to draw water from tube wells.

