Agri-Science-Handling produce safely.-Part 2

Tick the correct answers for the questions asked.

- 1. What is harvesting?
- a. The picking and gathering of fruits and vegetables when they are good for eating.
- b. Cleaning and spraying of the vegetables and fruits.
- 2. What is contamination?
- a. Packing of the fruits and vegetables.
- b. Having bacteria growing on the crops.
- 3. An important part of harvesting produce is:
- a. Cleaning and sanitization of the fruits and vegetables.
- b. Watering the plants.
- 4. Why should produce with damaged parts be removed from the rest?
- a. Bacteria will enter, grow and then affect the good produce.
- b. It will not match with the rest of the produce.
- 5. What should be done with bad produce?
- a. Take out the bad parts and keep the good parts of the produce.
- b. Get rid of it and keep them away from the good produce.
- 6. Before packaging the produce they should be:
- a. Washed and cleaned
- b. Remain as they are. They do not need to be cleaned.

7. Tick the things can be done when cleaning the produce.
❖ Use soap to clean off the dirt.
Scrub produce gently with a dry brush to remove debris.
Wash with water if produce is muddy.
Select True or False for your answer.
8. Packaging the produce should be in containers that are made of good food grade materials.
a. True
b. False
9. The transportation vehicle carrying the produce does not need to be sanitized.
a. True
b. False
10. Shade should be provided for the produce to protect them from the heat of
the sun.
a. True
b. False