

HOLIDAYS' HOMEWORK, 2024-25

Class XII

History

1. Read the following chapters thoroughly

Ch -1 Bricks, Beads and Bones

Ch-2 Kings, Farmers and Towns

Ch-3 Kinship, Caste and Class

Ch-4 Thinkers, Beliefs and Buildings

Learn N.C.E.R.T and extra questions.

2. Make a collage on different sources available to study the Indus Valley Civilization on A-3 size coloured sheet. (Use colourful and bright images.)
3. On a dry banana leaf or any other broad leaf write Gayatari Mantra.
4. Solve the Assignment in your fair notebook.

Assignment

1. How did Kushana rulers exemplify themselves with the high status?
2. How did Ashoka hold his empire together by propagating Dhamma?
3. Mauryan Empire was regarded as a major landmark in the early Indian history .Justify the statement.
4. Describe the economic and social conditions of the people living in the rural areas from 600 BCE to 600 CE .
5. Describe the kinship relations with reference to the Mahabharata.
6. Critically examine the duties as laid down in Manusmriti for the chandalas.
7. Describe briefly how historians usually classify the contents of Mahabharata.
8. According to Shastra only kshatriya could be the kings critically examine the statement.
9. How do the principles of Jainism influence Indian thinking?
10. How was the fate of Amravati stupa different from the Sanchi stupa?
11. There are limits to what epigraphy can reveal.Justify the statement .
12. How have historians provided new insight into the subsistence strategies of the Harappan culture ?
13. Mention the changes that were observed after 1900 BCE in the Harappan Civilization
14. Discuss the contribution of John Marshal in the Indian archaeology.
15. Archaeologists have no response for the central authority of harappans. Explain
16. Early harappan archaeologists thought certain objects which seem unusual and unfamiliar may have had religious significance.Substantiate.
- 17 Who was Cunningham ? Mention one source he collected to understand the Harappan culture.
18. How was the exchange of goods regulated under the Harappans? Give examples.
19. Describe gendered access to property prevailing during sixth century BCE to sixth century CE.
20. What evidence do we get from the Satavahana inscription regarding the inheritance of gotra? Explain.