

# GREENLAWNS SCHOOL, WORLI

Terminal Examination 2024

## History and Civics

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***Attempt all questions***

### History Section

**QI) Choose the correct option:**

**[12]**

1. Mohenjodaro is located on the banks of the river Indus in the \_\_\_\_\_ district of Sind.
  - a. Larkana
  - b. Umerkot
  - c. Khairpur
  - d. Montgomery
2. \_\_\_\_\_ was the most famous and popular queen.
  - a. Cleopatra V
  - b. Cleopatra VI
  - c. Cleopatra VII
  - d. Cleopatra VIII
3. Food grains and finished products of the Mesopotamian civilization were exported to the Mediterranean countries and \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. Iran
  - b. Pakistan
  - c. Syria
  - d. Egypt
4. Each village was headed by \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. chieftain
  - b. gramani
  - c. rajan
  - d. senani
5. A major Indus Valley site located in Rajasthan is \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. Lothal
  - b. Ropar
  - c. Dholavira
  - d. Kalibangan

6. Which of the following is not the reason for the decline of the Egyptian Civilization?
- Foreign invasions and internal revolts weakened the empire.
  - Alexander the Great could not invade the deserted land.
  - Collapse of the New Kingdom.
    - Statement i
    - Statement ii
    - Statement iii
    - All of the above
7. The Mesopotamians built \_\_\_\_\_ to control floods.
- walls
  - dykes
  - irrigation system
  - wagon
8. \_\_\_\_\_ was considered the God of dead during the Egyptian Civilization.
- Ra
  - Osiris
  - Anubis
  - Tefnut
9. Most historians believe that the Aryans were nomadic people who lived in \_\_\_\_\_.
- Central Asia
  - West Europe
  - North America
  - South America
10. The Mesopotamian city was divided into \_\_\_\_\_ main parts.
- two
  - three
  - four
  - five
11. Around \_\_\_\_\_ sites have been discovered so far belonging to the Indus Valley Civilization
- 2700
  - 2800
  - 2900
  - 3000
12. The need to calculate time of the annual floods led to the development of \_\_\_\_\_.
- philosophy
  - geometry
  - astronomy
  - mathematics

**QII) Name the following:**

**[8]**

1. Egypt was invaded and ruled by this tribe for about 100 years:
2. An animal domesticated during the Indus Valley Civilization:
3. In 1921, the ancient ruins of Harappa were discovered by:
4. One of the seven wonders of the ancient world in Egypt:
5. A sharp pen made of reed, bone or sometimes metal:
6. The wedge-shaped script of the Mesopotamians, written on clay tablets:
7. A reddish brown clay that has been baked:
8. Main occupation of the Indus Valley people:

**QIII) Match the column:**

**[8]**

Column A	Column B
1. upper class	a. the god of water
2. Nile Valley	b. manufacturers
3. Varuna	c. China
4. Euphrates Valley	d. goddess of Earth
5. Prithvi	e. Mesopotamia
6. Huang He	f. government officials
7. middle class	g. the goddess of dawn
8. Usha	h. Egypt

**QIV) State whether the following statements are true or false. If false, write the correct statement:**

**[7]**

1. Girls of the Mesopotamian civilization were sent to school.
2. The ancient Roman historian, Herodotus called Egypt as the 'Gift of the Nile'.
3. The Mesopotamians were the first to cultivate cotton.
4. Aryans consumed intoxicating drink like soma.
5. The main road of the Indus Valley Civilization was straight and about 30 feet wide.
6. Memphis and Thebes were planned cities.
7. The Indus Valley Civilization belonged to the Iron Age.

**QV) Answer the following questions:**

**[30]**

1. Why is Sanskrit called the 'mother' of languages? (1)
2. How do we know that the Harappans had trade relations with the Mesopotamians? (2)
3. Write a note on the ornaments worn by the Indus Valley people. (2)
4. Mention any two features of the Egyptian script. (2)
5. Beyond a narrow strip of fertile land along the banks of the Nile, the rest of Egypt was a vast desert of sand and stone. Discuss whether this was a curse or a blessing. Give reason for your answer. (2)
6. Differentiate between sabha and samiti. (2)

7. The Great Bath was an important building at Mohenjodaro. Describe its features. (2)
8. Give a brief account of the advancement in the field of medicine during the Egyptian Civilization. (3)
9. Write a note on the Vedic literature. (3)
10. What were the recreational activities of the Indus Valley people? (3)
11. Describe the houses of the people of the Indus Valley Civilization. (3)
- 12.



- a. Identify the picture. (1)
- b. How did the Aryans group themselves? (1)
- c. What was the result of this division? (1)
- d. Elaborate on any two sections of this division. (2)

### Civics Section

#### QVI) Fill in the blanks:

[5]

1. The gram sabha holds meetings at least \_\_\_\_\_ a year.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ is the first woman sarpanch to hold an MBA degree.
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ government deals with matters of defence, foreign exchange, railways, etc.
4. A vice-sarpanch is also called \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The local self-government at the rural level functions under the \_\_\_\_\_ system.

#### QVII) Answer the following questions:

[10]

1. Mention any two functions of the Block Samiti. (2)
2. What are the functions of the Nyaya Panchayat? (2)
3. State the features of the Panchayat. (2)
- 4.



- a. Identify the person in the picture. (1)
- b. Which political party does he belong to? (1)
- c. Is monarchy or democracy a better form of government? Justify your answer. (2)

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