

GREENLAWNS HIGH SCHOOL
Terminal Examination- 2024-25

Std: VI
Subject : HISTORY-CIVICS

Marks:80
Time: 2 hours

Instructions: Students must write the answers on the answer sheets provided only.

HISTORY [60 MARKS]

I A. Choose the correct options and rewrite the answer in words. [5]

1. The tree that was probably regarded as sacred by the Harappans. _____
 - a. Neem
 - b. Peepal
 - c. Banyan
 - d. Ashoka
2. The Harappans wore garments made up of _____
 - a. Chiffon and cotton
 - b. Silk and polyster
 - c. Linen and terracotta
 - d. cotton and wollen
3. The Early Chinese Civilization belonged to this Age. _____
 - a. Bronze
 - b. Stone
 - c. Copper
 - d. Iron
4. The essence of Hinduism is contained in the _____
 - a. The Puranas
 - b. The Brahamanas
 - c. The Upanishads
 - d. The Yajur Veda
5. Mohanjodaro is situated on the banks of the river _____
 - a. Ravi
 - b. Indus
 - c. Sind
 - d. Jhelum

I B. State whether the following statements are true or false. If false, correct the underlined words. [5]

1. The Great Granary was probably used during religious ceremonies by the people of Indus Valley Civilization.
2. The first known dynasty in China was the Yan dynasty.
3. The Aryans were nomadic people from Central Asia.
4. During the Later Vedic Period, the king performed the Rajasuya Yagna to establish his undisputed authority over the territory through which the horse moved unchallenged.
5. The Chinese were the first to cultivate tea.
6. A dockyard has been found at Surkotada.

II A Name the following. [5]

1. Two types of buildings built by the Harappans.
2. Any two religions followed by the Chinese.
3. The two councils that exercised control over the king during the Early Vedic Period.
4. Two highly educated women in the Early Vedic period.
5. Any two countries with whom the Harappans traded.

II B. Match the following.(Write the answers in words) [5]

| A | B |
|---------------|------------------------|
| 1.Vayu | a. the God of plants |
| 2.Brahma | b. Rishi Valmiki |
| 3.Usha | c. The preserver |
| 4. Shiva | d. The God of water |
| 5.Yama | e. Rishi Vyasa |
| 6. Vishnu | f. the creator |
| 7.Mahabharata | g. the destroyer |
| 8.Soma | h. the goddess of dawn |
| 9.Varuna | i. The God of fire |
| 10.Ramayana | j. the God of wind |
| | k. the God of death |

III A. Answer the following in one sentence each. [6]

1. Give any one evidence to prove that like the Egyptians, the Harappans also believed in life after death.
2. Which groups did the Harappan society consist of?
3. What are Pagodas ?
4. What were the duties of the Purohita during the Early Vedic Period?
5. By whom was Mohenjodaro discovered?
6. What is the holy book, Bhagavad Gita based on?

III B. Explain the following terms. [4]

1. Oracles –
2. Brahmavarta –
3. Dharma –
4. Swayamvara –

IV. Answer the following questions in brief. [12]

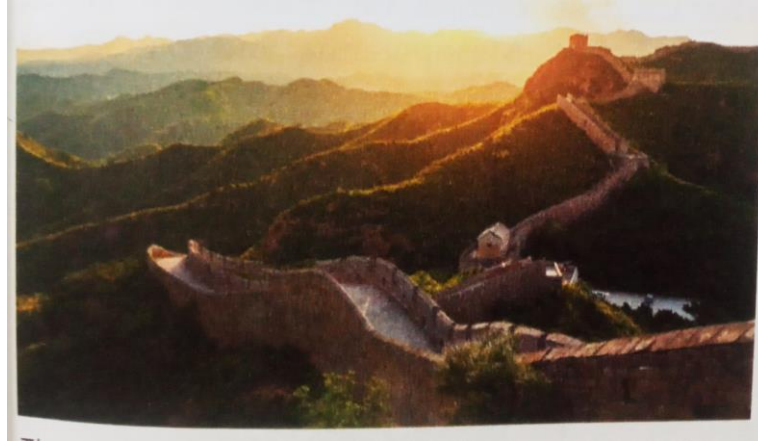
1. Mention any two reasons for the decline of the Indus Valley Civilization.
2. Why was the river Huang He also known as the ‘Sorrow of China’?
3. Describe the position of women during the Early Vedic period.
4. What is a Gurukul? Describe the relationship between the guru and the students in the Gurukul system of Education?
5. What kind of recreation did the Aryans enjoy?
6. Describe the Second and Third ashramas of an Aryan's life.

V. Picture Study

Observe the given pictures carefully and answer the following questions.

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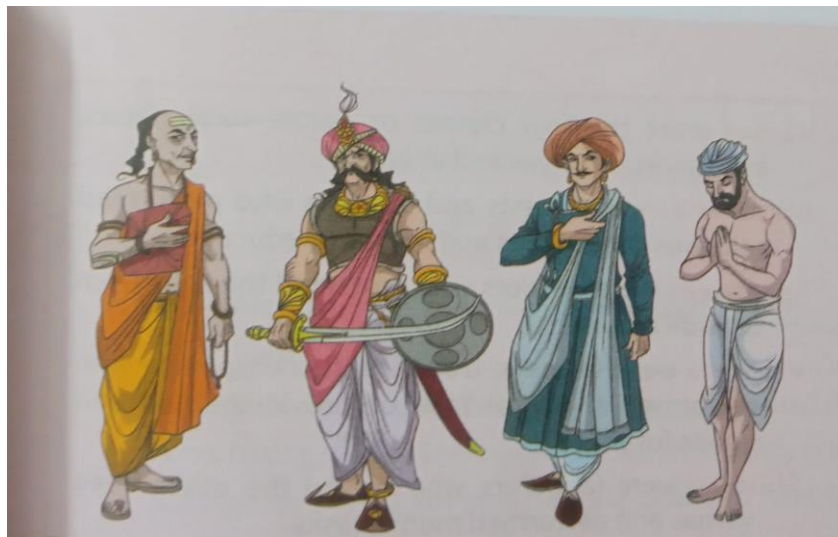
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1. Identify the given monument. 1
2. a. Who started the work of joining it? To which dynasty did he belong? 2
- b. What was the purpose of joining it? 1
3. State any two features of this monument. 2

B.

[7]



1. Name the four divisions depicted in the above picture. 2
2. Which factor led to the development of these divisions? 1
3. What were these divisions called as? 1
4. State the roles played the persons depicted by A and C in the given picture. 2
5. How did this division of society change in the Later Vedic Period? 1

C

[5]



1. Identify the given picture. 1
2. What images were generally carved on it? 1
3. By whom was it probably used during that period? 1
4. What information do we derive about the people of that period? 2

CIVICS [20]

VI A. Fill in the blanks. [3]

1. After Independence, the Panchayat system was revived by the _____ government.
2. The Gram Sabha holds meetings at least _____ a year.
3. The _____ acts as a link between the Panchayat Samitis and the State Governments.

VI B. Answer the following in one sentence each. [3]

1. Who are the members of the Gram Sabha?
2. What is the main purpose of the Nyaya Panchayat?
3. State the function of the village Panchayat with respect to the 'spread of diseases'?

VII. Observe the given picture carefully and answer the following questions[6]



1. Identify the personality in the given picture. 1
2. What position does this personality holds and in which state? 2
3. Mention the duties of the person holding this position. 2
4. Who takes over the responsibilities of this position in his/her absence? 1

VIII. Answer the following questions in brief. [8]

1. State the optional functions of the village Panchayat. 2
2. Mention the composition of the Zilla Parishad. (any 3 points) 3
3. How does the Gram Panchayat form the basis of the Panchayati Raj System? 3

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