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11. Who was the father of King Harshavardhan ?

- [A] Prabhakara Vardhana
- [B] Bhaskar vardhan
- [C] Jaivardhan
- [D] Mahavardhan

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12. Who was the first ruler of Kushana dynasty to issue gold coins in India?

- [A] Vima Kadphises
- [B] Kanishka
- [C] Vasudeva
- [D] Kujula Kadphises

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13. Who among the following introduced Shaka era?

- [A] Ashoka
- [B] Kanishka
- [C] Rudraraman
- [D] Bimbisara

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14. Bring out the only incorrect statement:

- [A] Jorwe culture was most prominent in Maharashtra
- [B] Hathonora is a site where a true hominid fossil was found
- [C] The Earliest evidence of Rice cultivation has come from Belan Valley
- [D] The people of all sites in Rajasthan during the Neolithic age were aware of Bricks

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15. The Greek Ambassador Deimachus of Plataea had visited the court of which of the following rulers of Magadha?

- [A] Dhanananda
- [B] Chandragupta Maurya
- [C] Bindusara
- [D] Asoka

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16. Which among the following kings assassinated Brihadrath, the last Maurya King?

- [A] Agnimitra
- [B] Pushyamitra Shunga
- [C] Vasujyeshtha
- [D] Vasumitra

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17. The construction of the Delhi Iron Pillar, now located at the Quwwat-ul-Islam mosque in New Delhi was constructed in which period?

- [A] Maurya
- [B] Satavahana
- [C] Gupta
- [D] Kushana

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18. Vedic mythology refers to an ancient settlement called Pushkalavati after Pushkal, who was the son of King Bharata in the epic Ramayan. What is the modern location of Pushkalavati?

- [A] Panipat
- [B] Pushkar
- [C] Peshawar (in Pakistan)
- [D] Punjab

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19. What is the correct Chronological Order of Nandas, Sungas, Mauryas & Hayankas dynasties of Ancient India?

- [A] Nandas, Sungas, Mauryas, Hayankas
- [B] Mauryas, Hayankas, Sungas, Nandas
- [C] Hayankas, Nandas, Mauryas, Sungas
- [D] Nandas, Mauryas, Sungas, Haranyakas

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20. Bhimbethka in Madhya Pradesh is an ancient Indian site where art prehistoric age are found preserved in rock-shelters. These arts belong to:

- 1. Paleolithic age
- 2. Mesolithic age
- 3. Chalcolithic age

Choose the correct option:

- [A] Only 1
- [B] Only 1 & 2
- [C] Only 2 & 3
- [D] 1,2 & 3

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