

Chapter: 8

Q.1 Choose the right option and rewrite the sentences.

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- 1 used to arrange hiking tours in Maharashtra to explore the sights closely linked to Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj.
a. N. S. Inamdar b. Ranjit Desai
c. Vishnubhat Godse d. Gopal Neelkanth Dandekar
- 2 Bhilar is known as the 'village of'.
a. Books b. Plants c. Mangoes d. Forts

Q.2 Identify and write the wrong pair.

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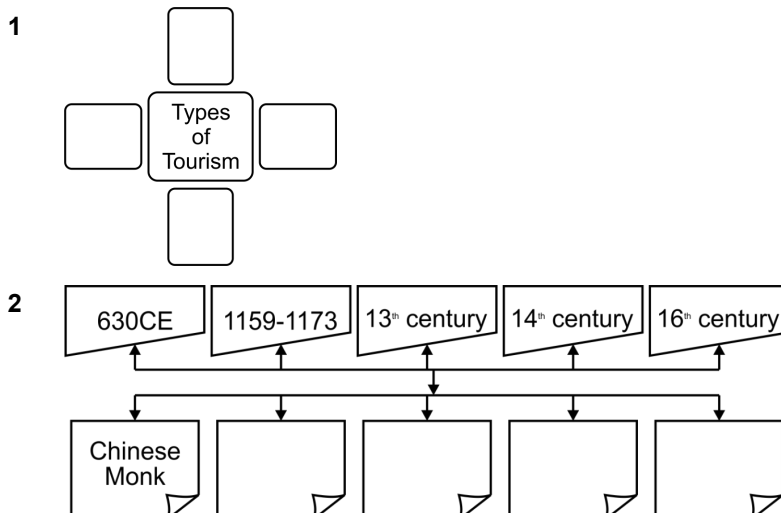
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i.	Matheran - Hill station
ii.	Tadoba - Rock – cut caves
iii.	Kolhapur - Pilgrim centre
iv.	Ajanta - World Heritage
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i.	Rock cut caves - Elephanta
ii.	Kas plateau - Western Ghats
iii.	Jantar Mantar - Jaipur
iv.	Ajanta cave - Gujarat

Q.3 Complete the given concept map

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Q.4 Explain the following concept / Short Notes.(Any Two)

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- 1 Cultural tourism
- 2 Ibn Batuta
- 3 Gerardus Mercator

Q.5 Explain the statement stating reasons.(Any Two)

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- 1 The number of people travelling back and forth from India has increased considerably.
- 2 Maza Pravas is an important source of history.
- 3 Tourism can provide a source of livelihood.

Q.6 Read the passage and answer the questions based on it.

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Bhilar is a village near Mahabaleshwar, which boasts of natural beauty and sweetness of strawberry. It is also known as the 'Village of Books'. Every household in this village maintains a library of its own for the tourists to enjoy. Maharashtra State Government has implemented this scheme with a view to accelerate the 'Reading Culture' movement for the reader-tourists to enjoy the beauty of Marathi literature enriched by the works of old and new authors and saints. It includes various types of texts like biographies, autobiographies, fiction, poetry, literature by women, literature on sports, literature for kids, etc. If you go to Mahabaleshwar, make it a point to visit Bhilar as well.

i.

Speciality of Bhilar Village

ii. Why is Bhilar village known as Village of Books?