

## **PRISM WORLD**

Std.: 10 (English) <u>History & PS</u>

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

1 The National Archives of India is in .............

a. Delhi

b. Kolkata

c. Mumbai

d. Chennai

Ans The National Archives of India is in Delhi.

a. Delhi

b. Harappa

c. Ur

d. Kolkata

Ans The earliest museum in the world was discovered in the excavation at the city of Ur.

#### Q.2 Identify and write the wrong pair.

i. Kootiyattam - Sanskrit theatre, Kerala
ii. Ramman - Dance form in West Bengal
iii. Ramlila - Traditional Performance of the Ramayana in Uttar Pradesh
iv. Kalbelia - Folk songs and dances of Rajasthan

Ans Incorrect -Ramman-Dance form in West Bengal

**Correct -** Ramman-Religious festival and ritual theatre of the Garhwal Himalayas.

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## Q.3 Explain the following concept / Short Notes.

1 Applied History

**Ans** i. 'Applied History is a field of study concerned with the application of history for the benefit of people in the contemporary and future times.

Knowledge of history is useful as it can provide guidance in finding solution to contemporary social issues ii. and incorporate them in the social planning.

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#### 2 Archives

**Ans** i. Archives preserve and store old documents, official records, old films, etc.

- ii. The National Archives of India is in Delhi.
- iii. Every state in India maintains its archives independently.
- iv. The main office of the National Film Archives of India is located in Pune, Maharashtra.

It was established in 1964 as the media unit of the Ministry of information and Broadcasting of the Indian Government.

## Q.4 Explain the statement stating reasons.

1 The list of world Heritage Sites is announced by UNESCO.

**Ans** i. It is essential for the benefit of future generation to preserve our heritage.

- UNESCO, the global agency has announced some directives with the objective of promoting the cultural ii. and natural heritage.
- iii.On the basis of those directives list of sites, traditions are declared of 'World Heritage.'
- 2 It is essential to study the history of technology.

- **Ans** i. The History of technology helps in understanding the changes and their causes in field of agricultural production, commodity production, architecture, engineering etc.
  - ii. It is necessary to know the History of technology in order to understand the development of mechanization and the mutual dependence between science and technology.

## Q.5 Read the passage and answer the questions based on it.

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The earliest museum (6th century B.C.E.) in the world was discovered during the excavations at the city of 'Ur' in Mesopotamia. The excavations were conducted by Sir Leonard Woolley (1922- 1934). This museum was built by the princess of Mesopotamia. Her name was Ennigaldi. She herself was the curator of the museum. A noteworthy feature of that museum is the clay tablets inscribed with the descriptions of exhibited artefacts.

- (1) Where was the earliest museum discovered in the world?
- (2) Who built this museum?
- (3) Explain the noteworthy feature of the museum at 'Ur'.
- Ans 1) Earliest museum was discovered at the city of 'Ur' in Mesopotamia
  - 2) This museum was built by Ennigaldi, the princess of Mesopotamia.
  - 3) Noteworthy feature of the museum at 'Ur' is the clay tablets inscribed with description of exhibited artefacts.

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- i. Where was the earliest museum in the world discovered?
- ii. Who built this museum?
- iii. Who discovered this museum?
- Ans i. The earliest museum in the world was discovered in the city of 'Ur' in Mesopotamia.
  - ii. This museum was built by Ennigaldi, the princess of Mesopotamia.
  - iii. This museum was discovered by Sir Leonard Woolley while carrying out excavation at the ancient city of Ur.

# Q.6 Answer in brief

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1 Suggest at least 10 solutions for preservation of the source of history.

Ans Some solutions for preservation of the sources of history

- i. Bring awareness of the importance of preservation
- ii. Bring out training and research in preservation management and techniques.
- iii. Conservation workshops should be conducted for government staff and public.
- iv. The development of innovative educational programs for awareness for preservation of the sources of history should be conducted.
- v. The development of institutional preservation policies is an essential element.
- vi. To provide suitable equipment to protect the originals while in use.
- vii. We should store archival material in suitable containers and conditions.
- viii. Even to undertake conservation work on documents deemed to have high priority.
  - a. To provide means of access in ways which minimize the risk of damage.
  - b. Planning in advance can also pay dividend during any natural hazards or disaster.
- 2 How can we correlate applied history with our present?
- **Ans** i. Always people ask about the practical value of history.
  - ii. The answer to the question about the nature of applied history answers this question well.
  - iii. The visible and invisible relies of the past exist in the present.
  - iv. We nurture some kind of curiosity, attraction to word them.
    - We wish to know more about their history because they represent the creative thoughts and traditions of our ancestors.
  - vi. Our ancient heritage helps to build our identity.
  - vii. Applied history is concerned with the preservation and conservation of our heritage and make it

accessible to people.

- viii. Heritage management creates opportunities of employment.
- Applied History can be described as understanding of our present with the help of history and finding right direction for the benefit of our future.
- 3 What objectives can be fulfilled through the heritage projects.
- Ans i. The main objective of heritage projects is to preserve character of the soul of heritage.
  - ii. Planning development and implementation of heritage sensitive infrastructure.
  - iii. Preserve and revitalize heritage where in tourist can connect directly with city's unique character.
  - iv. Develop and document a heritage asset inventory of natural, cultural living and built heritage as a basis for planning and growth etc.
  - v. Create effective linkage between tourism and cultural facilities and also the conservation of natural of the conservation of natural heritage.
  - vi. It is essential to avoid vandalizing of historic and public places and to ensure that they are preserve that they are preserved for the benefit of future generations.
- 4 How the method of history is useful in the research of following fields.
  - i. Science
  - ii. Arts
  - iii.Management Studies

Ans The method of history can prove to be a value in the research of various field.

- i. Science:
  - a. Science The history of science helps in understanding the chronological order of scientific discoveries, inventions and theories.
  - b. It is said that need is the mother of inventions.
  - c. Scientific discoveries / inventions are often the effects of human efforts to fulfill a need and also curiosity.
  - d. Knowledge of history of science helps in understanding the factors that facilitated a scientific discovery / invention and also its chronology.

#### ii. Arts:

- a. It is important to understand the development of various out forms with the help of their style of expression and their foundation in the form of intellectual emotional -cultural traditions.
- b. The key to the expressions in any art form, emotional temperament of the artist and the developmental history of the art form can be understood with the help of cultural history.

#### iii.Management Studies:

- a. In order to understand various factors involved in the chain of production such as means of production, as well as the chain of market and sales management, etc. It is essential to have a knowledge of similar functional system of the past.
- b. It is essential to understand the psychological character of people working at various levels in the chain of production and marketing for healthy management.
- c. Knowledge of history in this regard maker the management at various levels easier.

# Q.7 Extra Question (Not to use)

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