



INDIAN SCHOOL AL WADI AL KABIR

Class: VI	Department: SOCIAL SCIENCE	
Worksheet No: 1	Topic: What, Where, How and When (Hist)	Year:2022-23

I	Choose the correct option from the following: -
1	Who were the skilled gatherers? a) people who gathered wood b) people who gathered food c) people who gathered tools d)people who gathered bags
2	People in the _____ reared sheep, goat and cattle. a) Hills b) Forest c) Desert d) Valley
3	The place where rice was firstly grown is located in the _____ (a) North of the Vindhyas (b) Suleiman hills (c) Banks of the Ganga (d) Garo hills.
4	_____ is the tributary of the River Ganga. a) Son b) Magadha c) Beas d) Satluj
5	The word 'India' derived from the _____ called Sindhu in Sanskrit. a) Bharat b) Indus c) Hindos d) Indos
6	Vindhyas are located in central _____. a) India b) Ganga c) Magadha d) Egypt
7	Manuscripts were written on _____ a) Leaves and tree barks b. Pieces of paper c) Cloth d) Slate
8	The name India was given by the Iranians and the _____. a) Greeks b) Indians c) Mexicans d) Americans
II	Match the following: -
9	Anno Domini a) People who lived in the north-east
10	Writing on hard surfaces b) AD
11	Bharat (c) Inscriptions
	(d) Before Christ
	Ans. 9-b 10-c 11-a
III	Answer the following questions in one sentence:-
12	What are manuscripts? Manuscripts are the handwritten documents on palm leaf or bark of tree.
13	What are tributaries? Tributaries are smaller rivers that flow into a bigger river.
14	Why was Magadha famous? Magadha was famous because its rulers were very powerful who established a big kingdom.
15	What was the job of the religious teachers? The job of the religious teachers was to move from one place to another to offer instruction and advice to the people, who met them on the way.
16	Where Sulaiman and Kirthar hills are located? The Sulaiman and Kirthar hills are located in the modern-day Pakistan.

17	<p>What are the occupations of the people in the Andaman Islands? The people of the Andaman Islands are engaged in fishing, hunting, and collecting forest produce.</p>
18	<p>Why do archaeologists look for bones of animals, birds, and fish? They do so to find out what people ate in the past.</p>
IV	<p>Answer in detail: -</p>
19	<p>People in the earliest times used to travel from one place to another. But their journeys were full of dangers. What type of dangers did they face?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ It is true that people in the earliest times used to travel from this place to that. ➤ But their journeys were dangerous. ➤ The hills, and high mountains including the Himalayas, deserts, rivers and seas created dangers for them. ➤ But they never got afraid of them. ➤ Instead they overcame them and continued to travel.
20	<p>Who are archaeologists? What do they do?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archaeologists are persons who study the objects of the past. • They study the remains of the buildings made of stone and brick, paintings and sculpture. • They also explore and dig the earth in order to find out tools, weapons, pots, pans, ornaments and coins.
21	<p>How can you say that Historians and Archaeologists are like detectives?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Historians often use the word source to refer to the information found from manuscripts, inscriptions and archaeology. ➤ Once sources are found, learning about the past becomes an adventure, as we reconstruct it bit by bit. ➤ So, historians and archaeologists are like detectives who use all these sources like clues to discover the past.
22	<p>What are the different ways to find out about the past? Describe briefly.</p> <p><u>Manuscripts.</u> These were the hand-written matters. They were usually written on palm leaf or the bark of the birch tree. While many of these manuscripts got destroyed, many have survived in temples and monasteries.</p> <p><u>Inscriptions.</u> They are writings on relatively hard surfaces such as stone or metal. Sometimes, kings got their orders inscribed in order to make common people aware of them. Some inscriptions kept records of victories in battle.</p> <p><u>Archaeological excavations or evidence.</u> Archaeology means the study of cultures of the past and of periods of history by examining the remains of buildings and objects found in the earth. Archaeologists explore and dig earth to find tools, weapons, pots, pans, ornaments, and coins.</p>

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How are city people different from the people living in the Andaman Islands?

- ❖ People living in the Andaman Islands manage their own food by fishing, hunting and collecting forest produce.
- ❖ On the other hand, city people depend on others for supplies of food.