

## History

## Chapter 2- East India Company: Arrival, Change in Nature &amp; Rule

1. Give one word answer:

- Which battle gave first victory against the Indian Forces by the English East Company?
- Which battle gave the East India Company rights to collect taxes from the areas of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa?
- Name a person who assists to collaborate and develop their relations with other friendly and unfriendly countries.

2. Match the following-

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|---------|--|
| a) 1757 | Battle of Buxar                          |
| b) 1498 | Death of Aurangzeb                       |
| c) 1764 | Vasco Da Gama explored sea road to India |
| d) 1707 | Battle of Plessey                        |

3. Answer the following questions briefly-

- Why the battle of Plessey was significant for the British?
- Which treaty was concluded between Clive and the Mughal Emperor Shah Alam II?
- Name the European countries that were trading from India.

4. Answer the following questions in detail-

- Explain Battle of Buxar.
- What were the causes of down fall of the Mughal Empire?

- To understand the reporting duties of a war correspondent by creating a power point presentation on the 19<sup>th</sup> century Boer Wars.

- Collect information and pictures about 'Seven Wonders of the World'. Make a PPT or paste them in a scrap book.

## Geography

## Chapter - 1 Our Resources

A.) Tick the correct answer

- Anything that can be used to satisfy a need is called-
  - Material
  - Resource

- b) Things    d) Compound
- Deposits of coal in Durg region of Bihar is an example of:
  - a) Potential resource    c) Actual resource
  - b) Ubiquitous resource    d) Renewable resource
- Petrol found in North Eastern States is an example of:
  - a) Potential resource    c) Actual resource
  - b) Ubiquitous resource    d) Renewable resource
- Air we breathe is an example of :
  - a) Localized resource    c) Ubiquitous resource
  - b) Actual resource    d) Potential resource

**B.) Short Answer Questions:**

- 1) What is the difference between natural and human made resources?
- 2) Explain sustainable development?
- 3) What is conservation of resources?

**C.) Long Answer Questions:**

- 1.) Define the resources on the basis of their origin.
- 2.) Write some ways to conserve the resources.

Chapter - 2 Land and Soil Resources

1. Fill in the blanks-

- a) \_\_\_\_\_ is among the most important natural resource.
- b) Land is used for different purposes such as \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
- c) People and their demands are ever growing but the \_\_\_\_\_ of land is limited.

2. Write short answers-

- a) Name the three uses of land.
- b) Which are the factors responsible for the uneven distribution of population in different parts of the world?
- c) What is Soil Erosion?
- d) How is soil formed?
- e) What is contour ploughing?
- f) What do you understand by land use pattern?

3. Write answers in detail-

- a) What are the various methods to conserve the land?
- b) What are the factors responsible for soil formation?

- c) Explain the two types of Soil Erosion.
4. Draw the Graphical Representation of Factors affecting Soil Erosion.

CLASS VIII

Computer Worksheet

Q1. Visit a cybercafé and examine the network there. Prepare a chart of it.

Q2. Collect information about the devices used in Internet for networking.

Q3. Prepare a chart on different topologies of network.

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