

Rulers and Buildings

Question 1.

Humayun's tomb was built:

- (a) Between 1571 and 1671
- (b) Between 1545 and 1556
- (c) Between 1562 and 1571

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Answer: (c) Between 1562 and 1571

Question 2.

Kandariya Mahadeva temple built in:

- (a) 1000
- (b) 999
- (c) 1099

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Answer: (b) 999

Question 3.

Qutb Minar has:

- (a) 2 storeys
- (b) 5 storeys
- (c) 7 storeys

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Answer: (b) 5 storeys

Question 4.

The Kandariya Mahadeva temple dedicated to:

- (a) Ganesh
- (b) Shiva
- (c) Ram

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Answer: (b) Shiva

Question 5.

World famous Taj Mahal was built by:

- (a) Shah Jahan
- (b) Akbar
- (c) Babur

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Answer: (a) Shah Jahan

Question 6.

The Rajarajeshvara temple located in:

- (a) Thanjavur
- (b) Pondicherry
- (c) Agra

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Answer: (a) Thanjavur

Question 7.

Akbar's architects were inspired from:

- (a) Babur
- (b) Alauddin Khilji
- (c) Taimur

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Answer: (c) Taimur

Question 8.

Chahar Bagh was not constructed in:

- (a) Kashmir
- (b) Jaipur and Lucknow
- (c) Agra and Delhi

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Answer: (b) Jaipur and Lucknow

Question 9.

Which one was not built by Shah Jahan?

- (a) Taj Mahal and Moti Masjid in Agra
- (b) Red Fort and Jama Masjid in Delhi
- (c) Qutb Minar

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Answer: (c) Qutb Minar

Question 10.

Qutb Minar built by Iltutmish in the year:

- (a) 1229
- (b) 1250
- (c) 1300

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Answer: (a) 1229

Question 11.

How did kings win the praise at their subjects?

- (a) By making structure for their use.
- (b) By distributing wealth
- (c) By distributing grains and foods
- (d) None of these

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Answer: (a) By making structure for their use.

They won the praise of their subjects by making structures for their use and comfort such as temples, mosques, tanks, wells, caravanserais and bazaars.

Question 12.

Who had constructed Hauz-i Sultani?

- (a) Sultan Iltutmish
- (b) Raziyya
- (c) Qutubuddin Aybak
- (d) Ghiyasuddin Balban

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Answer: (a) Sultan Iltutmish

Sultan Iltutmish won universal respect for constructing a large reservoir just outside Dehli-i-Kuhn(a) It was called the Hauz-i-Sultani or the King's Reservoir.

Question 13.

The Agra fort was built by whom?

- (a) Shah Jahan
- (b) Akbar
- (c) Jahangir
- (d) Babar

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Answer: (b) Akbar

The Agra fort was built by Akbar, the Agra Fort required 2,000 stone-cutters, 2,000 cement and lime-makers and 8,000 labourers.

Question 14.

Why were the baolis constructed?

- (a) To provide a place for bathing for royals
- (b) To fulfil the water demands
- (c) For rain water harvesting
- (d) For entertainment of royals.

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Answer: (c) For rain water harvesting

The baolis were constructed for rain water harvesting, they were large stepped-wells attached to buildings.

Question 15.

The Qutub Minar was constructed by whom?

- (a) Shah Jahan
- (b) Jahangir
- (c) Humayun
- (d) Qutbuddin Aybak

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Answer: (d) Qutbuddin Aybak

Qutb Minar was constructed by Qutbuddin Aybak he had this constructed around 1199.

Question 16.

What were the elements of Mughal `Chahar bagh garden?

- (a) It consist of four gardens divided into four quarters by artificial channels
- (b) It consist of three gardens divided into four quarters by artificial channels
- (c) It consist of ten gardens divided into four quarters by artificial channels
- (d) None of these

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Answer: (a) It consist of four gardens divided into four quarters by artificial channels

Mughal Chahar baghs consist of four gardens. These gardens are placed within rectangular walled enclosures and divided into four quarters by artificial channels.

Question 17.

What is the special feature of Fatehpur Sikri, Akbar's capital?

- (a) Building show the influence of the architectural style of British.
- (b) Building show the influence of the architectural style of Gujarat and malwa.
- (c) Building show the influence of the architectural style of Mughal style.
- (d) None of these

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Answer: (b) Building show the influence of the architectural style of Gujarat and malwa(a)

In Fatehpur Sikri many of the buildings show the influence of the architectural styles of Gujarat and Malwa.

Question 18.

Which temple was built by Rajarajadeva?

- (a) Rajarajeshvara temple
- (b) Minakshi temple
- (c) Kandariya Mahadev Temple
- (d) None of these

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Answer: (a) Rajarajeshvara temple
Rajarajadeva build Rajarajeshvara temple in Thanjavur.

Question 19.
Who constructed the Kandariya Mahadev Temple?
(a) king Raman
(b) King Dhanush
(c) king Dhangadeva
(d) None of these

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Answer: (c) king Dhangadeva
The king Dhangadeva constructed Kandariya Mahadeva temple in 999.

Question 20.
Where was the Rajarajeshvara temple constructed?
(a) Thanjavur
(b) Kota
(c) Delhi
(d) Madras

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Answer: (a) Thanjavur
Rajarajadeva build Rajarajeshvara temple in Thanjavur.

[Match the following](#)

1.

Column I	Column II
1. Shikhara	(a) Delhi
2. The Chahar bagh garden	(b) The top most point of the temple
3. Throne balcony in the diwan-i am	(c) 1643
4. Taj Mahal	(d) River front garden

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Fill in the blanks

1. Large stepped-wells were known as

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Answer: Baolis

2. destroyed Somnath temple.

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Answer: Sultan Mahmud

3. The Agra fort was built by

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Answer: Akbar

4. The Kandariya Mahadeva temple was constructed by

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Answer: Dhangadeva

5. Dhangadeva belongs to dynasty.

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Answer: Chandela

6. The Rajarajeshvara temple at Thanjavur had the tallest amongst temples of its time.

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Answer: Shikhara

7. Qutb Minar was constructed in

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Answer: 1229

8. Sultan Mahmud destroyed the great temple of

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Answer: Somnath

9. Image of chief diety was kept in the

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Answer: Garbhagriha

10. style of architecture is reflected by South Indian Temples.

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Answer: Dravidian
