

Construction of Ancient History

1. The oldest Brahmanic literature is-

- [A] Aranyak
- [B] Upanishad
- [C] Smriti
- [D] Veda

2. The last 11 hymns, which are considered as the oldest part of Rig Veda are known as-

- [A] Purusha Sukta
- [B] Trayee
- [C] Aryanka
- [D] Balakhilya

3. Tripitaka was the religious text of Buddhist. It was written in?

- [A] Prakritik
- [B] Sanskrit
- [C] Pali
- [D] Ardh-Magadhi

4. Who has written the famous work 'Historica'?

- [A] Herodotus
- [B] Arrian
- [C] Skyla
- [D] Justin

5. 'Acharang Sutra' describes-

- [A] Sermons of Gautam Buddha
- [B] Code of conduct for Buddhist monks
- [C] Sermons of Lord Mahavir
- [D] Code of conduct for Jain monks

6. Who compiled and published Extracts from Indica in 1846 as 'Megasthenese Indica'?

- (A) Cunningham
- (B) Prinsep
- (C) Swanbeck
- (D) Plutarch

7. Which of the following pair is matching one?

- (A) Taranath-Mahavamsh
- (B) Fa-Hien-Rehla
- (C) Alberuni-Kitab-ul-Hind
- (D) Bilhan-Rajtarangini

8. Which is/are types of inscriptions?

- (A) Cave Inscription
- (B) Pillars Inscription
- (C) Rocks Inscriptions
- (D) All of the above

9. To which of the following Pitaka does Khuddak Nikay belong?

- (A) Vinay Pitaka
- (B) Sutta Pitaka
- (C) Abhidhamma Pitaka
- (D) Jatak

10. When was Manusmriti written?

- (A) Sunga Age
- (B) Huns Age
- (C) Mauryan Age
- (D) Gupta Age

11. Who is the author of 'History of the War'?

- (A) Niarchus
- (B) Arrian
- (C) Plutarch
- (D) Aristobulus

12. Which Veda has 10 Mandal, 1028 Sukta, and 10580 Richas?

- (A) Rigveda
- (B) Yajurveda
- (C) Samveda
- (D) Atharveda

Answers

1. (D)
2. (D)
3. (C)
4. (A)
5. (D)
6. (C)
7. (C)
8. (D)
9. (C)
10. (A)
11. (D)
12. (A)