

G.S.- Delhi Sultanate

1. In which battle did Maharana Sanga defeat Ibrahim Lodhi?
(a) Battle of Khatoli
(b) Battle of Sarangpur
(c) Battle of Siwana (d) Battle of Khanva
2. What was Abwab?
(a) Toll tax.
(b) Religion tax such as Zakat.
(c) Tax on merchandise and custom duties.
(d) Miscellaneous kinds of taxes like the house tax, grazing tax, irrigation tax etc.
3. The Lodhi dynasty was founded by
(a) Ibrahim Lodhi (b) Sikandar Lodhi
(c) Bahlol Lodhi (d) Khizr Khan
4. Which Delhi Sultanate Sultan had a dispute with Sufi Saint Nizamuddin Auliya?
(a) Jalaluddin Khalji
(b) Ghiyasuddin Tughlaq
(c) Feroz Shah Tughlaq
(d) Mohammad-bin-Tughlaq
5. The Mongols under Chengez Khan invaded India, during the reign of
(a) Balban
(b) Iltutmish
(c) Qutubuddin Aibek
(d) Firoz Shah Tughlaq
6. With reference to Delhi Sultanate, who was the founder of Sayyid Dynasty?
(a) Khizr Khan
(b) Mubarak Shah
(c) Mohammad Shah
(d) Alauddin Alam Shah
7. Ibn Batuta's work, *Rihla*, completed in 1355, is
(a) an autobiography
(b) an account of the Delhi Sultans from Aibek to Ghiyasuddin Tughlaq
(c) a religious text
(d) an account of trade with Morocco
8. How did Sultan Qutubuddin Aibak die?
(a) He was treacherously stabbed to death by one of his ambitious nobles
(b) He was killed in a battle with Taj-u-din Yildiz, the ruler of Ghazni, who entered into a contest with him over the capture of Punjab
(c) He sustained injuries while besieging the fortress of Kalinjar in Bundelkhand and succumbed to them later
(d) He died after a fall from his horse while playing Chaugan
9. Which one of the following Muslim rulers was hailed as the 'Jagadguru' by his Muslim subjects, because of his belief in secularism?
(a) Hussain Shah (b) Zain-ul-Abidin
(c) Ibrahim Adil Shah (d) Mahmud II
10. Consider the following statements about Alauddin Khilji
1. The maximum number of Mongol invasions took place during his reign.
2. He was the first sultan to adopt the principle of measurement of cultivable land for determining land revenue.
Which of the statement(s) given above is/are correct?
(a) Only 1
(b) Only 2
(c) Both 1 and 2
(d) Neither 1 nor 2
11. After the capture of Delhi and Ajmer by Mohammad Ghori the successor of Prithviraj Chauhan founded a new kingdom with its capital at
(a) Mewar (b) Ranthambhore
(c) Chittor
(d) Ajmer
12. Who among the following was not a noble under Alauddin Khilji?
(a) Ain-ul-Mulk Multani
(b) Zafar Khan
(c) Nusrat Khan (d) Munim Khan
13. Which of the following sultans had greatest number of slaves in his court?
(a) Balban
(b) Alauddin Khilji
(c) Mohammad-bin-Tughlaq
(d) Feroz Tughlaq
14. Malik Kafur was whose Governor General?
(a) Balban (b) Alauddin Khalji
(c) Mohammed-bin Tughlaq
(d) Feroz Shah Tughlaq
15. In the Delhi Sultanate, an administrative unit called 'Paragana' was headed by an official known as
(a) Shiqdar (b) Barid
(c) Ariz (d) Amil
16. The Iron pillar, near Qutub Minar draws attention of scientists due to its
(a) antiquity (b) glitter
(c) hardness (d) rustlessness
17. The earliest example in India of a mosque built wholly in accordance with Muslim ideas was
(a) Moth ki Masjid
(b) Atala Devi Masjid
(c) Jamaat Khana Masjid
(d) Chhota Sona Masjid
18. Alai Darwaza, built by Alauddin Khilji, is a gateway leading into the extension of
(a) Qutub Minar
(b) Quwwat-ul-Islam Mosque
(c) Tomb of Iltutmish
(d) Adhai Din Ka Jhonpra
19. Which of the following was not built by Alauddin Khilji?
(a) City of Siri
(b) Tomb of Jalaluddin
(c) Hauz-i-Alai
(d) Jamaat Khana Masjid
20. The largest standing army of the Sultanate, directly paid by the state was created by
(a) Iltutmish
(b) Alauddin Khilji
(c) Mohammad-bin-Tughlaq
(d) Sikander Lodhi

Answer Key-English

1. (a) 2.(d) 3.(c) 4.(b) 5.(b) 6.(a) 7.(d) 8.(d) 9.(c) 10.(c)
11. (b) 12.(d) 13.(c) 14.(b) 15.(a) 16.(d) 17.(c) 18.(b) 19.(b) 20.(c)