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OLYMPIAD PRACTICE WORKSHEET

Q1. James Mill divided the Indian history into three periods. They were:

- (a) Muslim period, Hindu period, Christian period
- (b) Hindu period, Muslim period, Christian period
- (c) Hindu period, Muslim period, British period
- (d) Dark period, Enlightenment period, British period

Q2. The 18th century is also known as the period of:

- (a) Enlightenment
- (b) Colonization
- (c) Imperial
- (d) Renaissance

Q3. Britishers ruled in India for a period of

- (a) 150 years
- (b) 100 years
- (c) 190 years
- (d) 200 years

Q4. The colonial period in India began with the battle of Plassey in _____.

- (a) 1757
- (b) 1859
- (c) 1947
- (d) 1921

Q5. _____ is a newspaper that was started in the freedom movement and is still published.

- (a) Hindustan
- (b) Kesri
- (c) both (a) and (b)
- (d) none of these

Q6. One of the finest examples of architecture during the colonial period is

- A) Qutub Minar
- B) Red fort
- C) Taj Mahal
- D) India Gate

Q7. A train that operates on Delhi-Lahore route via Attari-Wagah border crossing:

- A) Rajdhani express
- B) Jammu Tavi
- C) Lahore Express
- D) Samjhauta Express

Q8. Prime minister's clean India mission is popular as _____.

- A) Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojna
- B) Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan
- C) Pradhan Mantri Rojgar Yojna

D) Green India, Clean India

Q9. Which among the following statements is not true about James Mill?

A) Mill wanted to civilize India

B) He believed that Asian societies were at a lower level of civilization as compared to Europe

C) He wanted the British to conquer all the Indian territories to ensure happiness of Indians

D) He believed that the Hindu and Muslims kings in the pre-British period were Enlightened rulers.

Q10. Important documents about the Indian history were preserved in

A) Archives and museums

B) Books

C) Magazines

D) Newspapers

Q11. The map of _____ region was the first geological map made in India.

(a) Rajasthan

(b) Mysore

(c) Hyderabad

(d) Bengal

Q12. The book "History of India" was written by:

(a) Jawahar Lal Nehru

(b) Mahatma Gandhi

(c) Dadabhai Naroji

(d) James Mill

Q13. De-industrialization meant destruction of traditional industries such as weaving, pottery, iron-smelting etc. True or False?

(a) True

(b) False

Q14. Feeling of great love towards one's motherland is known as

(a) Nationalism

(b) Archives

(c) Enlightenment

(d) Colonialism

Q15. What do we call the subjugation of one country over the other?

(a) Colonization

(b) Nationalism

(c) Monarchy

(d) Democracy

Q16. When was the National archives of India set up?

(a) 1921

(b) 1947

(c) 1920

(d) 1857

Q17. Britishers came to India as

(a) Social reformers

(b) Inventors

(c) Rulers

(d) Traders

Q18. Which one of the following is a fundamental right?

(a) Right to freedom of religion

- (b) Right to property
- (c) Economic right
- (d) Fundamental right

Q19. The headquarters of East India Company is located in _____

- (a) London
- (b) France
- (c) Russia
- (d) Germany

Q20. Books provided major help in spreading the nationalist spirit among the masses.

- (a) True
- (b) False