

29. Which of the following Architectural components were introduced by Mughals in India?

1. Pietra Dura
2. Jaali Work
3. Arabesque
4. True Domes

Select the correct option using the code given below:

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 1 and 2 only
- (c) 2 and 4 only
- (d) 1, 3 and 4 only

30. With reference to the Rise of Islam in India, consider the following statements:

1. Slave Dynasty was the first Muslim dynasty that ruled India.
2. Prithvi Raj Chauhan defeated Mahmud of Ghazni in the First Battle of Tarain.
3. Persian was the official language of most Indian empires such as the Ghaznavids.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

31. With reference to the Indus Valley Civilization, consider the following statements:

1. Cholistan and Banawali were the part of Harappan civilization.
2. Indus Valley Civilization belonged to proto-historical period.
3. Mohenjodaro was exclusively devoted to craft production.
4. The people of Indus Valley Civilization belonged to Nordic region.

5. Gold was unknown to Indus Valley Civilization.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1, 2 and 3 only
- (b) 1, 4 and 5 only
- (c) 2, 3 and 5 only
- (d) 1 and 2 only

32. With reference to the Angria Bank, consider the following statements:

1. It is a submerged plateau situated offshore from the southern coast of Odisha.
2. It has been identified as a large hypoxic zone.
3. It is located in the Exclusive Economic Zone of India

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

33. With reference to the Myristica swamps, consider the following statements:

1. These are tropical freshwater swamp forests in the valleys of the North Eastern Himalayas.
2. Myristica trees are evergreen, water-tolerant trees that have dense stilt roots.
3. The swamps are typically found in valleys, making them prone to inundation during monsoon rains.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 2 and 3 only
- (c) 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3