

Medieval History (NCERT Based)

Attempt all the questions in not more than 200 words each

1. Discuss the political and administrative structure of the Delhi Sultanate during the medieval period in India.
2. Analyze the factors that led to the rise of Sufism in medieval India. Discuss the impact of Sufism on society, culture, and the spread of Islam in the region.
3. Explain the major economic and agricultural developments that took place in medieval India. Discuss the impact of trade, urbanization, and the growth of guilds on the economy.
4. Discuss the significant contributions of Emperor Akbar to the Mughal Empire. Analyze his policies on governance, religious tolerance, and the integration of diverse cultures.
5. Describe the major administrative and revenue reforms introduced by Sher Shah Suri. Assess their impact on governance and the subsequent Mughal administration.
6. Explain the causes and consequences of the Maratha resistance against Mughal authority. Discuss the rise of Maratha power and their efforts to establish an independent state.
7. Discuss the role and contributions of the Sikh Gurus during the medieval period in India. Analyze their teachings, socio-religious reforms, and their efforts to establish a separate Sikh identity.
8. Discuss the political organization and administrative system of the Chola Empire. Analyze the role of the king, regional governors, and village assemblies in the governance of the empire.
9. Discuss the religious policies and patronage of the Chola rulers. Analyze the contributions of the Cholas to the growth of Shaivism and the construction of grand Shiva temples.
10. Explain the decline of the Chola Empire. Discuss the internal and external factors that led to the weakening and eventual downfall of the empire.
11. Describe the origin and early history of the Marathas. Discuss the factors that led to their rise as a regional power and the key leaders who played a significant role in shaping the Maratha Empire.
12. Assess the impact of the Marathas on the political, social, and cultural landscape of India. Discuss their contributions in the fields of administration, architecture, literature, and the promotion of regional languages.
13. Discuss the significance and characteristics of the Sangam Age in ancient South India. Describe the social, economic, and cultural aspects of the period, highlighting the contributions of the Sangam literature.
14. Analyze the political organization and administration during the Sangam Age. Discuss the role of the three ancient Tamil kingdoms (Cheras, Cholas, and Pandyas), their relationship with each other, and their governance structures.
15. Discuss the establishment and growth of the Vijayanagara Empire. Describe the key factors that led to its rise, including the political and military strategies employed by its founders and subsequent rulers.
16. Analyze the cultural and architectural achievements of the Vijayanagara Empire. Discuss the significant contributions of Krishna deva Raya to art, literature, and temple architecture.