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Q.1 A) Choose the right option and rewrite the sentence:

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- 1) The Louvre Museum in Paris was established in the _____ century.
a) 15th b) 16th c) 18th d) 19th
- 2) _____ of Tudela is known as the first European traveler / discover.
a) Benjamin b) Macro Polo c) Ibn Batuta d) Gerardus Mercator
- 3) In ancient times, _____ was looked upon as a game for entertainment.
a) Kabaddi b) Phugadi c) Chess d) Hunting
- 4) ‘Harshacharit’ was written by _____.
a) Aryabhata b) Valmiki c) Bhanabhata d) Veda Vyasa

Q.1 B) Identify the wrong pair in the following, correct it and rewrite.

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- 1)

1. Historiography	- Study of historical documents
2. Numismatics	- Study of Linguistics
3. Epigraphy	- Study of inscriptions
4. Genealogy	- Study of lineage
- 2)

1. Health Tourism	- Visiting Yoga training camps
2. Geographic Tourism	- Visiting for Ayurveda therapy
3. Agro – Tourism	- Visiting farms and rural areas
4. Historical Tourism	- Visiting forts
- 3)

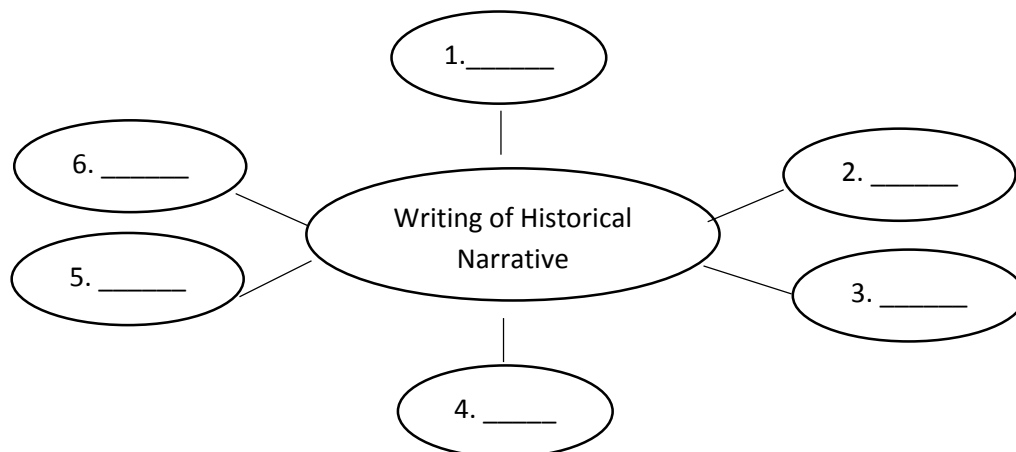
1. Indian struggle	- Adolan
2. Indian struggle	- Zansi ki Rani
3. Indian struggle	- Mughal Azam
- 4)

1. Chitrakathi	- Painting
2. Nagara	- Architecture
3. Hindustani	- Music
4. Lavani	- Sculpting

Q.2 A) Complete the following chart. (Any 2)

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1)



2)

Applied History and Research						
Philosophy	1.	2.	Industry and Commerce	3.	Arts	Humanities
	_____	_____		_____		

3) **Dos and Don'ts at Heritage / tourist sites**

Dos	Don'ts
1. _____	1. _____
2. _____	2. _____

Q.2 B) Write short Notes. (Any 2)

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- 1) Tourism based on Special Events
- 2) Different types of races
- 3) Western style of painting

Q.3 A) Explain the following with its reasons. (Any 2)

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- 1) Scope of historiography keeps expanding.
- 2) Indian Historiography has been influenced greatly by social and political movements.
- 3) Encyclopedia helps motivate the reader to read extensively.
- 4) Maharashtra has a unique place in the history of entertainment.
- 5) Painting styles are an important source of historians.

Q.3 B) Answer the following questions in 25:30 words. (Any 2)

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- 1) Write short note on Magazines and Journals
- 2) What are indoor games? Give Examples.
- 3) Write about Gandhara School of art.

Q.4 Read the paragraph and answer the following.

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Radio: 'Indian Broadcasting Company' (IBC), a private radio company was the first one to broadcast daily programmes. Later the same company was taken over by the British Government and named as, 'Indian State Broadcasting Service (ISBS)'. On 8th June 1936 it was renamed, as 'All India Radio (AIR)'.

After Independence, AIR becomes an integral part of the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting (India). Initially, it broadcasted Government programmes and schemes. It was named as 'Akashvani' on the suggestion the famous poet Pandit Narendra Sharma. Akashvani broadcasts various entertainment, awareness creating and literary programmes. It also broadcasts special programmes for farmers, workers, the youth and women. The 'Vividh Bharti' programmes are broadcasted in 24 regional languages as well as 146 dialects of Indian languages. Lately, various new channels like 'Radio Mirchi' are providing radio services.

- i) Akashvani (AIR) is an integral part of which ministry?
- ii) What was the new name of IBC?
- iii) In how many regional languages and local dialects are 'Vividh Bharati' programmes broadcasted?
- iv) How was AIR named 'Akashvani'?

Q.5 Answer the following in brief. (Any 2)

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- 1) What is the contribution of Itihasacharya (Historian) V.K. Rajwade to historiography?
- 2) Describe any three types of tourism.

3) Observe the image given below and answer the following questions.

- i) Who is the man in the picture?
- ii) Name one of his notable works?
- iii) Mention his contribution to Hindi cinemas?



Political Science

Q.6 Choose the correct option from the given options and complete the sentences.

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- 1) Voting elections, government structure, etc. is only _____ form of democracy.
a) economic b) political c) social d) all – inclusive
- 2) The trade union movement in India has background of _____.
a) freedom struggle b) globalisation c) prestigious past d) industrialisation
- 3) There are _____ recognised parties in India.
a) five b) seven c) nine d) six
- 4) _____ from the present state of Himachal Pradesh was the first voter.
a) Sukumar Sen b) Shyam Sharan Negi c) Prem Kumar Ghumal d) P.N. Chadda

Q.7 Explain with reasons whether the following statements are true or false. (Any 2)

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- 1) The opinion of the minorities should not be taken into consideration.
- 2) The Communist Party of India was split.
- 3) Indian democracy is considered the largest democracy in the world.

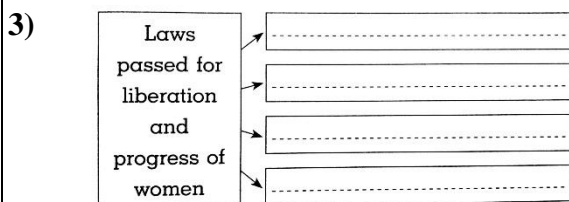
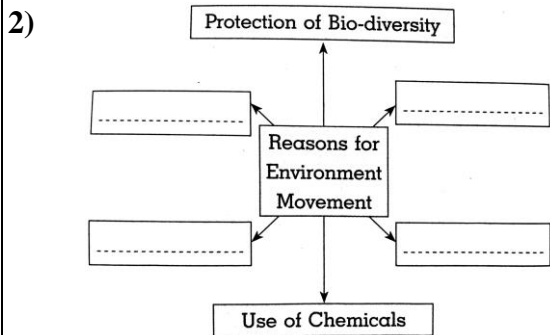
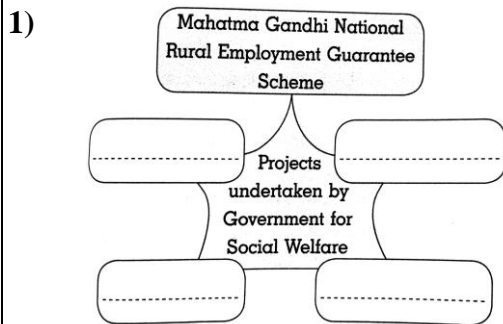
Q.8 A) Explain the following statements by giving reasons. (Any 2)

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- 1) Criminalisation of politics
- 2) Dr. Rajendrasinh Rana is called the Waterman of India.
- 3) Women representation in Lok Sabha

Q.8 B) Complete the graphical representation. (Any 2)

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Q.9 Answer the following questions in brief. (Any 2)

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1. What measures are adopted by India to strengthen democracy?
2. How did the objectives of women's movement change after independence?
3. What challenges are faced by the Election Commission to conduct free and fair elections?
4. The Judiciary in India has played an important role in strengthening democracy. Explain.

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