

Social Studies Self - Assessment Test – 1

Full Marks – 20

Class - 4

Time – 45 minutes

1. Answer these questions : (2x4)

- a) What is history? What is the origin of the word 'history'?
- b) Name the two sources of history.
- c) What do you understand by the term 'Leap Year'?
- d) Distinguish between AD and BC.

2. Give one word answer : (1x4)

- a) The official civil calendar of India which was adopted in 1957.
- b) The author of Meghadoot.
- c) People who study remains of the past.
- d) The study of coins.

3. Fill in the blanks : (1x4)

- a) Old buildings which are important historically are called _____.
- b) Literature that is not religious is called _____.
- c) The calendar which is internationally the most popular civil calendar is _____.
- d) The first month according to Saka Calendar is _____.

4. State whether these statements are 'True' or 'False' : (1x4)

a) History is the link between the past and the present.

b) Arthashastra is an example of religious literature.

c) The month 'September' consists of 31 days.

d) CE is often used in place of AD.