



HISTORY

BOOKS - FULL MARKS HISTORY (HINGLISH)

THE THREE ORDERS

**Ncert Textbook Questions Solved | Answer In
Brief**

1. Describe two features of early feudal society in France.



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2. How did long-term changes in population levels affect economy and society in Europe?



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3. Why did knights become a distinct group and when did they decline?



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4. What was the function of medieval monasteries?



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Ncert Textbook Questions Solved | Answer In A Short Essay

1. Imagine and describe a day in the life of a craftsman in a medieval French town.



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2. Compare the conditions of life for a French serf and a Roman slave.



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More Questions Solved | Very Short Answer Type Questions

1. How was western European society divided?



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2. The clergy was considered to be the most important in medieval European social order.

What were the reasons?



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3. What were the two sections of Third Order?



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4. What do you understand by Labour Rent?



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5. What was Tithe?



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6. What do you know about Friars?



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7. What was Taille?



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8. Write a few restrictions that were imposed on the serfs.



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9. What were the duties of the serfs?



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10. What was the basis of economic organisation?



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11. Discuss a few advantages of feudal system.



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12. What were the drawbacks of feudal system?



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13. What were cathedral towns?



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14. What was Manar?



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15. Discuss any four factors responsible for the decline of feudalism.



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16. The monks living in St. Benedict monastery followed some rules. Enumerate two of them.



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17. Where was shortage of silver felt in 14th century? Did it have any affect on the trade?



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18. Discuss any two factors that were responsible for the rise of nation-state during 16th century.



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19. What were the causes of the growth of towns in Europe during the middle age?



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20. What do you understand by vassalage?



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1. Describe the life of Christian monks in a monastery during the medieval period of Europe.



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2. What do you understand by manor?
Describe in brief.



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3. Discuss the categories of cultivators under feudalism during the medieval age in Europe.



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4. What was the position of Pope in the medieval Europe?



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5. What is the political importance of the feudal system?



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6. Describe the merits and demerits of feudal system.



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7. How did plague affect trade and cities?



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8. Why did the rich people donate their money to churches?



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9. What do you understand by Guild?



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10. Which values enhanced the status of nobility?



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11. Knights became a distinct group under medieval European society. Why?



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12. Enumerate the two merits and demerits of medieval monasteries in Europe.



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13. Discuss the impact of environment on European agriculture.



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14. Discuss the social changes that had taken way to the development of monarchy-feudal system.



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15. How was European Society divided under the feudal system? Explain. Write in brief the reasons of their development.



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16. Discuss the growth of town after the decline of Roman empire.



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17. Agricultural technology was very primitive.
Why?



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18. Describe a few characteristics of feudal system.



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19. Discuss the causes of the development of cities in medieval Europe.



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More Questions Solved iiii Long Answer Type Questions

1. Discuss the following:

(i) Serf (ii) Monk (iii) Cathedrals



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2. Why do you think the people of new towns were considered of fourth order? Explain.



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3. Which causes were responsible for the rise of middle class?



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4. How did technological changes affect agriculture during 11th century?



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5. Discuss the achievements of the nation-states.



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6. What were the causes that led to the decline of feudalism in Europe?



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7. Discuss in detail about the emergence of cathedrals.



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8. Discuss the political changes which occurred during 15th and 16th centuries in Europe.



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9. "Why did Europe's economic progress slow down by the early 14th century"? Give reasons?



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10. Discuss the major drawbacks of feudalism which prevailed in medieval Europe.



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More Questions Solved | Passage Based Questions

1. Read the following passages and answer the questions that follow:

In Benedictine monasteries, there was a manuscript with 73 chapters of rules which were followed by monks for many centuries.

Here are some of the rules they had to follow:

Chapter 6: Permission to speak should rarely be granted to monks.

Chapter 7: Humility means obedience.

Chapter 33: No monk should own private property.

Chapter 47: Idleness is the enemy of the soul,

so friars and sisters should be occupied at certain times in manual labour, and at fixed hours in sacred reading.

Chapter 48: The monastery should be laid out in such a way that all necessities be found within its bounds: water, mill, garden, workshops.

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What does chapter 47 say?



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common storehouse of the brethren, and who would never neglect their duty to look after these.

Who was appointed for the protection of windows?



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Windows were precious. How?



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Who would receive their allowances, namely coins?



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[More Questions Solved V Map Skills](#)

1. On the map of Western Europe mark and locate the following extent of feudalism:

(i) St. Denis (ii) Bingen (iii) London (iv) Rome (v)

Vienna



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Test Your Skills | Very Short Answer Type Questions

1. What do you mean by Three Orders?



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2. State any two privileges enjoyed by the nobles in France.



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3. What was the role of ministers in 12th century?



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4. Who were the Viking people?



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5. What do you understand by cathedral towns?



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6. Discuss any two reasons for the development of towns and cities in the

medieval period.



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Test Your Skills II Short Answer Type Questions

1. What is feudalism? How did it decline?



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2. What do you understand by manorial estates? Describe its few characteristics.



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3. Discuss the emergence of cathedral towns of France.



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Test Your Skills Iii Long Answer Type Questions

1. Discuss the life of monks and nuns of the medieval Europe.



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2. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of feudalism.



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