



# HISTORY

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1. Bostan Tea Party's is associated with which one of the following?

- A. French Rvolution
- B. American Revolution
- C. English Revolution
- D. Russian Revolution

**Answer: B**



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2. Rousseau's study greatly contributed to which one of the following ?

A. Glorious Revolution in England

B. American War of Independence

C. The Bolshevik Revolution in Russia

D. The French Revolution

**Answer: D**



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**3. What is the reason for July 4, 1776 to be significant in the American history ?**

A. Abolition of Slavery

B. Adoption of Constitution

C. End of the American War of  
Independence

D. Declaration of Independence

**Answer: D**



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4. Which one of the following is the theme of The Communist Manifesto' written by Marx and Eangels ?

A. Tools of production

B. Theory of state

C. Abolition of State

D. Class Struggle

**Answer: D**



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5. Which one of the following political theories advocates the "Dictatorship of Proletariat"?

A. Democratic socialism

B. Fabian socialism

C. Liberalism

D. Marxism

**Answer: D**



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6. Who authored the Declaration of Independence (USA) ?

A. George Washington

B. Benjamin Franklin

C. Thomas Jefferson

D. Clavin Coolidge

**Answer: C**



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7. In which country did the Industrial Revolution begin in the year 1750 ?

A. Franch

B. Italy

C. Germany

D. Russia

**Answer: D**



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8. In which country did the first Marxist revolution take place ?

A. Germany

B. Italy

C. Great Britain

D. Russia

**Answer: D**



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9. Historical materialism is a tenet of which one of the following political theories?

A. Capitalism

B. Liberalism

C. Fascism

D. Marxism

**Answer: D**



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10. Who of the following published a famous pamphlet known as 'Right of Mass' and urged the people in England, America and France of fight for their liberty ?

- A. Thomos Jefferson
- B. Thomos Paine
- C. John Locke
- D. Jean Jacques Rousseau

**Answer: B**



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11. Which of the following political theories advocates the withering away of the state ?

A. Capitalism

B. Fascism

C. Marxism

D. Democratic Socialism

**Answer: B**



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12. With which one of the following is the 'Tennis Court oath' associated ?

- A. English Revolution
- B. American Revolution
- C. French Revolution
- D. Russian Revolution

**Answer: C**



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**13.** Which of the following countries is "Orange Revolution" associated ?

A. Brazil

B. Sudan

C. Turkey

D. Ukraine

**Answer: C**



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14. Who among the following was the author of "Common Sense" the revolutionary pamphlet of the American Revolution ?

- A. Thomas Paine
- B. Thomas Jefferson
- C. George Washington
- D. Samuel Adams

**Answer: A**



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15. Which of the following were the watch words of the French Revolution ?

A. Right , Liberty and Equality

B. Liberty, Equality and Justice

C. Liberty, Equality and Fraternity

D. Rights , Equality and Justice

**Answer: C**



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16. The immediate cause of the revival of human rights in post Second World War period was

A. massive loss of lives in the war

B. nuclear bombing of Hiroshima and Nagasaki by the Americans

C. Growing knowledge of brutal atrocities of Nazis over the Jews

D. emergence of Soviet Union as a Superpower.

**Answer: C**



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**17. Socialism refers to**

A. State -controlled economy

B. liquidation of the bourgeoisie

C. removal of peasantry from  
administration

D. establishment of military dictatorship.

**Answer: A**



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**18.** According to Karl Marx, attainment of communism is possible only after ?

A. resloution of tension between the leader  
and led

B. completion of permanent revolution

C. emergence of exploitation -free society

D. disappearance of difference between urban and rural areas

**Answer: C**



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**19.** "No Taxation without Representation " was the popular slogan of

A. Indian freedom struggle

B. American war of independence

C. Russian revolution

D. French revolution

**Answer: B**



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**20.** Which among the following is/are the impact/ impacts of industrial revolution in England ?

1. Cottage industry was replaced by the factory system of production using machines.

2. It led to the overpopulation of villages.

3. It led to the emergence of working class movements.

A. 1, 2 and 3

B. 1 and 3 only

C. 1 only

D. 2 and 3 only

**Answer: A**



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21. The international body which was formed in Europe (in 1889) to coordinate the efforts of socialists all over Europe was called ?

A. Social Democratic party

B. Commune

C. Second International

D. Labour Party

**Answer: C**



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22. Which one among the following countries is not touched by the Stilwell Road constructed during the World War II ?

A. Myanmar

B. Thailand

C. China

D. India

**Answer: C**



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**23.** Assertion (A) : The Americans refused to pay taxes imposed by the British Parliament during the American War of Independence.

Reason (R) : The american has no representation in the British Parliament.

A. Both A and B are individually true and R is the correct explanastion of A.

B. Both A and R are individually true that but R is NOT the correct explanation of A

C.

D. A is true but R is false.

**Answer: A**



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**24.** Statement I: The Russian Revolution of 1917 inspired the Indian working class movement.

Statement II: The non- Cooperation Movement (1921-22) saw the involvement of the Indian working class.

A. Both the statements and individually true and statement II is the explanation of statement I.

B. Both the statements are individually true but statement II is not the correct explanation of statement I.

C. statement I is true but statement II is false

D. statement I is false but statement II is true.

**Answer: B**



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**25.** Which of the following statements about Russia is/are correct ?

1. Russia emerged as the first socialist state in the world.
2. Socialist state in Russia was established by Bolsheviks in 1917.

Select the correct using the code given below:

A. 1 only

B. 2 only

C. Both 1 and 2

D. Neither 1 nor 2

**Answer: C**



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**26.** Who among tyhe following did not bring trading ships to the port of surat in pre-British times ?

A. Portuguese and English

B. Russian and German

C. English and Arab

D. French and Arab

**Answer: B**



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**27.** Who among the following was not a member of the " Big Four " in the Congress of Vienna (1815)?

A. Great Britain

B. Russia

C. Austria

D. Franch

**Answer: D**



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**28.** Which of the following American coloiners did not attend the first Continental Congress held in Philadelphia?

A. Philadelphia

B. New York City

C. Boston

D. Providence

**Answer: B**



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**29.** The Stamp Act Congress consisting of delegates from nine of the thirteen colonies met in 1765 at



A. Rhode Island

B. Connecticut

C. Georgia

D. Maryland

**Answer: C**



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**30.** The Bolshevik Revolution started in Russia during the region of

A. Czar Alexander I

B. Czar Alexander II

C. Czar Alexander III

D. Czar Nicholas II

**Answer: D**



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**31.** Which of the following statement(s) is/are true for Olympe de Gouges ?

1. She was one of the most important

politically active women in revolutionary France.

2. She was one of the members of the Committee that drafted the Declaration of Rights of Man and Citizen.

3. She wrote the Declaration of the rights of women and citizen.

Select the correct answer using the code given below :

A. 1 only

B. 3 only

C. 1 and 2

D. 1 and 3

**Answer: D**



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**32.** Statement I : The city of Rome revived in a spectacular way in the 15th century. Statement II : From the 15th century onwards, artists were known individually by name, not as member of a group or a guild, in Roman society.

A. Both the statements are individually true and statement II is the correct explanation of statement I.

B. Both the statements are individually true but statement II is not the correct explanation of statement I.

C. statement I is true but statement II is false

D. statement I is false but statement II is true

**Answer: A**



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**33.** Statement I: Chartism was the political reform campaign for democratic rights which swept over Britain between 1838 and 1848.

Statement II : The trade union movement declined by the 1830s as it failed to fulfill the aspirations of the working class.

A. Both the statements are individually true and statement II is the correct explanation of statement I.

B. Both the statements are individually true but statement II is not the correct explanation of statement I.

C. statement I is true but statement II is false

D. statement I is false but statement II is true

**Answer: A**



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**34.** Which o the following was/were the feature(s) of Lenin's New Economic policy (NEP) for the Soviet Union ?

A. 1 only

B. 2 and 3

C. 1,2 and 4

D. 4 only



**Answer: D**



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**35.** Which of the following was/were the reasons for the defeat of British during the American War of Independence ?

A. 1,2 and 4

B. 3 only

C. 2 and 3 only

D. 1, 2 and 3

**Answer: C**



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**36.** The industrial revolution in England had a profound impact on the lives of people. Which of the following statements are correct about that ?

A. 1 and 3 only

B. 1 and 2

C. 1,3 and 4

D. 3 and 4

**Answer: C**



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**37. Consider the following statements:**

A. 1 only

B. 2 only

C. Both 1 and 2

D. Neither 1 nor 2

**Answer: A**



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**38.** Although used earlier by French and German writers, the term industrial Revolution in English was first popularized

- A. Adam Smith
- B. Amonld Toynbee
- C. James Mill
- D. Bertned Russell

**Answer: B**



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**39.** In the 19th century, the majority of the workers in Japan's modern industries were mainly

- A. Japanese men and children
- B. Japanese women and Chinese men
- C. Women
- D. Japanese and Chinese men

**Answer: C**



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**40.** The cylindrical stone seals were used in which civilization ?

A. Harappan

B. Egyptian

C. Roman

D. Mesopotamian

**Answer: D**



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**41.** Who among the following used the term Industrial Revolution for the first time in English to describe the changes that occurred in the British industrial development between 1760 and 1820?

A. Friedrich Engels

B. Eric Hobsbawm

C. Arnold Toynbee

D. Georges Michlet

**Answer: C**



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**42.** Who among the following first used the term 'Industrial Revolution' in English to describe the changes that occurred in British industrial development between 1760 and 1820 ?



A. Karl Marx

B. Georges Michelet

C. Amold Toynbee

D. Friedrich Eagles

**Answer: C**



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**43.** Which one of the following statements about the Olympde Gouuges (1748-1793) is correct ?

A. She declared that although citizens should have equal rights, they are not entitled to the same honours by the state

B. She was a supporter of the Jacobin government

C. She was jailed for treason by the National Assembly

D. She declared that the nation is the union of women and men.

**Answer: D**



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**44.** Which one of the following statements about Renaissance Humanist culture is NOT true ?

A. It slackened the control of religion over human life

B. It believed that human nature was many-sided

C. It was concerned with good manners

D. It criticized material wealth, power and  
glory

**Answer: D**



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**45.** Consider the following statements about merchant guilds of South India ?

1. Ayyavole merchant guild was originally established in Aihole.

2. Magnigraman merchant guild was subordinated to the Anjuvannam merchant guild in the 13th century.

A. 1 only

B. 2 only

C. Both 1 and 2

D. Neither 1 nor 2

**Answer: A**



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46. When did the Stamp Act congress consisting of delegates from 9 of the 13 colonies of America meet in New York City ?

A. 1763

B. 1764

C. 1765

D. 1766

**Answer: C**



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47. The treaty of Schonbrun (1809) was signed after which one of the following battles ?

A. Battle of Austerlitz

B. Battle of Tilisit

C. Battle of Wagram

D. Battle of Lisbon

**Answer: C**



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**48.** Which of the following statements about the new model Unions is/are correct ?

1. The New Model Unions were formed in the 1850s.

2. The New Model Unions were formed in the 1880s.

3. The New Model Unions comprised a Labour Party idea

4. The New Model Unions excluded women in the 1920s.

Select the correct answer using the code given below :



A. 1

B. 2

C. 3 and 4

D. 3 only

**Answer: A**



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**49.** The Truman Doetrine of 1947 was announced to achieve which one of the following ?

A. Containment of the USSR

B. Increasing agricultural production in the  
USA

C. Offering friendship to Europe

D. Strengthening the UNO

**Answer: A**



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**50.** Which of the following statements is/are correct ?

1. In 1948, Burma was admitted to the United Nations and immediately supportated the USA in the Cold War

2. In 1948, Burma joined the United Natons but refused to denounce China as the aggressor in the Korean War

Select the correct answer using hte code given below

A. 1 only

B. 2 only

C. Both 1 and 2

D. Neither 1 nor 2

**Answer: C**



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**51.** Who among the following presented 'The April Theses ' to the Russian people in 1917 ?

A. Stalin

B. Trotsky

C. Bukharin

D. Lenin

**Answer: D**



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**52.** The treaty of Yandabo was signed in

A. 1826

B. 1825

C. 1824

D. 1823

**Answer: A**



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