



MIT Civil Services Training Institute (MIT-CST)

Test - 1



Topic: Art & Culture, Ancient & Medieval

No. of Questions: 10

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Total Marks: 100

Timing: 1:30 hrs

No. of pages: 1

Instructions:

1. Each questions 10 marks
2. Cellphones are not allowed during the examination.

Q.1. Caves initially served the purpose of mere shelter, then a place for ascetics and latter become the hallmark of visual art of Indian art and culture. Elucidate
(150 Words)

Q.2. Assess Ellora as a unique art center of different cultural stream
(150 Words)

Q.3. On basis of evidences, assess the social, political, and economical life of people of harappan civilization.(150 Words)

Q.4. The sixth century BC was a period of religious and economic unrest in India.comment
(150 Words)

Q.5. write short notes on following topics
In 50 words each

- 1.BHARATNATYAM
2. RAJPUT PAINTINGS
- 3.KHAYAL MUSIC

Q.6. How far do you agree with ht historians who call Gupta era as the golden era of Indian history.
Comment (150 Words)

Q.7. Ellaborate the factors to prove that harappans had successful trade. Also discuss the various theories of decline of harappan civilization. (150 Words)

Q.8. The might of the Chollas is not only seen politically. But also socially and economically. Elaborate
(150 Words)

Q.9. Evaluate the reasons for the success of Turkish invasion and defeats of rajputs. (150 Words)

Q.10. the 6 the century BC was a period of social and economics culmination elaborate. (150 Words)