

# SARALA BIRLA PUBLIC SCHOOL

Birla Knowledge City, Mahilong, Ranchi

CLASS-VIII (2020-21)

Sub: ..HISTORY

Assignment-5



## Chapter 1: Modern India

### A. Choose the correct option.

1. The first history of India covering all periods was written by
  - a) James Rennell
  - b) James Mill
  - c) Akbar
  - d) Robert Clive
2. A survey to get information on the size, distribution and composition of a population is called
  - a) Source material
  - b) Demography
  - c) Census survey
  - d) Sampling
3. The British began to colonise India around the
  - a) Mid-eighteenth century
  - b) Fifteenth century
  - c) Late eighteenth century
  - d) Mid-nineteenth century
4. Which of the following is not a primary source for studying modern Indian history?
  - a) James Mill's work
  - b) Official letters
  - c) Victoria Memorial
  - d) Newspaper reports
5. The British completed their first census survey of India around the
  - a) Mid-fifteenth century
  - b) Mid-eighteenth century
  - c) Early nineteenth century
  - d) Late nineteenth century
6. The wars and administrative actions of rulers are of greatest

- interest to scholars of
- a) Ancient history                      c) Political history
  - b) Modern history                      d) Social history
7. Which of the following types of historical source material is official?
- a) Survey reports                      c) Personal reports
  - b) Newspaper reports                d) Folk songs
8. In India the modern period began around the ..... century
- a) Fifteenth century                      c) Mid-eighteenth century
  - b) Late eighteenth century              d) Mid-nineteenth century
9. The first battle of Panipat was fought in the year of
- a) 1556              b) 1526              c) 1536              d) 1456
10. IbadatKhana was built by .....
- a) Babar                      b) Akbar              c) Jahangir              d) James Mill
11. The political and economic subjugation of a region by a foreign country is called
- a) Urbanisation              c) Modernisation
  - b) Industrialisation              d) Colonisation
12. The British completed their first census survey of India in the year of
- a) 1888              b) 1871              c) 1876              d) 1872
13. Map of India was prepared by
- a) James Rennell              c) James Mill
  - b) John Locke                      d) Warren Hastings
14. Important historical documents and the records of

governments,families and other organisations are stored in ...

- a) Archives    b)Record room    c)Museums    d)Office

15. Aurangzeb died in the year

- a) 1710    b) 1707    c) 1770    d)1701

**B. Activity:**

Make a timeline of the period of Akbar's reign (1556-1605).--- in c.w.copy.