



MCQs:

1. Which of the following statement/s is/are true?

1. The UNHRC is an inter-governmental body under the United Nations.

2. International Court of Justice can suspend any Council member that committed human rights violation during its membership term.

(a) 1 only

(b) 2 only

(c) Both 1 and 2

(d) Neither 1 nor 2

Ans a

Explanation:

- The UNHRC is an inter-governmental body under the United Nations. It is responsible for the protection and promotion of human rights across the world.
- The UNGA can suspend any Council member that committed human rights violation during its membership term. A two-thirds majority vote is required by the General Assembly to suspend a member.

2. Lingaraja Temple is an example of?

(a) Vesara Architectue

(b) Dravida Architecture

(c) Kalinga Architecture

(d) Pallava Architerture

Ans: c

Explanation:

- It is an example of the Kalinga Style of Architecture. This style broadly comes under the Nagara style.
- The temple is built in red stone.



3. Vikramshila Gangetic Dolphin Sanctuary is located at?

- (a) Madhya Pradesh
- (b) Uttar Pradesh
- (c) Bihar
- (d) Odisha

Ans: c

Explanation:

- It is located in Bhagalpur District of Bihar, India.
- It was designated as a protected area for the endangered Gangetic dolphins in 1991.

4. Which of the following statement/s are true?

- 1. Under Aurangzeb, the Mughal school paintings acquired greater charm, refinement and dignity.**
- 2. Jahangir did not encourage art and thus much of the quality of the Mughal painting was lost.**

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2

Ans: d

- Under Jahangir, the Mughal school paintings acquired greater charm, refinement and dignity.
- The emperor Jahangir had a great fascination for nature and took delight in the portraiture of birds, animals and flowers.
- Aurangzeb did not encourage art and thus much of the quality of the Mughal painting was lost.
- This was the time of mass migration of court artists to provinces.

5. Phad Paintings is associated with?

- (a) Punjab



- (b) Gujarat
- (c) Manipur
- (d) Rajasthan

Ans: d

- Phad is a type of scroll painting. Phad painting depicts the heroic deeds or a heroic figure, the daily life of a peasant, rural life, animals and birds, flora and fauna.