



ASIAN GRAMMAR SCHOOL

1st Term Assessment – 2019

History - Grade 8

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Duration: 2¹/₂ hours

Underline the correct answer (20 marks)

01. Ancestors established their settlements in the
i. Dry zone ii Wet zone iii Intermediate zone iv. Ruhuna
02. Village with a tank is known as
i. Vapigama ii Degavapigama iii Paddy vapigama iv Hundaravapigama
03. Abhayawewa was known as
i. Basawakkulama ii Gaminivapi iii Jayaganga iv Parakramasamudraya
04. Thissa Wewa was built by king
i. Dutugamunu ii Saddhatissa iii. Dewanampiyatissa iv Upatissa
05. The king who started making large scale of tanks was
i. Dutugamunu ii Parakramabahu I iii Wasabha iv Walagamba
06. Today Mayeth Wewa is known as
i. Basawakkulama ii Minneriya iii Mahavilachchiya iv. Mahakanadara
07. Manihira tank today is known as
i. Minneriya ii Mahakanadara iii Manaketiya iv Mayeth Wewa
08. 'Single drop of water should not be sent to the sea without using' this statement was said by king
i. Dathusena ii Parakramabahu I iii Vijayabahu I iv Dewanampiyatissa
09. Anuradhapura and Polonnaruwa were known as ancient
i. Ruhunurata ii Mayarata iii Rajarata iv Sithawaka

Match 'A' and B to find the correct answer from the question number 10-15

A

B

10. Kalawewa

King Kashapa

11. Gaminivapi

King Dhatusena

12. Sigiriya Water park

King Pandukabaya

13. Isurumuniya Temple

King Dutugamunu

14. Mahamegawana Park

King Mutasiva

15. Lovamahapaya

King Dewanampiyatissa

16. Ancient potters were known as

i. Swarnakara ii Thambakara iii Kokuru iv KAumbakara

17. Shiva Dewala I belonged to the period of

i. Anuradhapura ii Kotte iii Polonnaruwa iv Kandy

18. Wessagiriya is famous for

i. Sculptures ii Pictures iii wood carvings iv. Metal work

19. 'Kantaka Sthupa' is situated in

i Mihintale ii Anuradhapura iii Polonnaruwa iv Kotte

20. The book 'Ancient Irrigation in Sri Lanka' was written by

i. Mahanama Thero ii Rahula Thero iii Robert Knox iv. R.L. Brohier

PART TWO

Answer all the questions

01. Mark and colour the following in the Sri Lankan map (10 marks)

dry zone / wet zone / south – east monsoon / north – west monsoon / Anuradhapura

02. Write three uses of constructing large scale tanks in Rajarata Era (6 marks)

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03. Write two requirement of constructing canals in early Sri Lanka (4marks)

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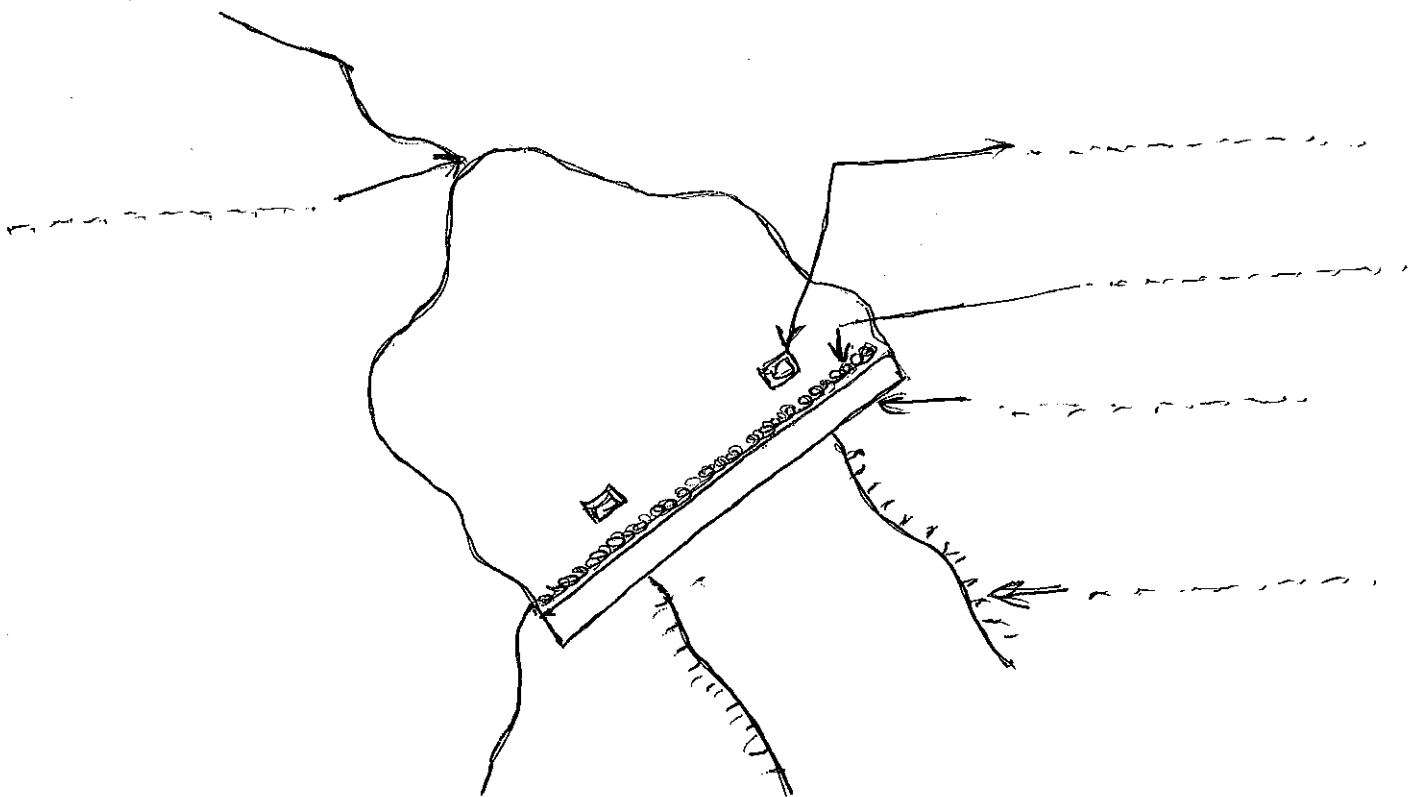
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04. Use the answers that has been given and label the following structure of a tank. (10marks)

(dam / bisokotuwa / ralapanawa / inner spill / canal)



05. Match A and B (5 marks)

i. To add the beauty

ii. Removal of rainy water

iii to keep the environment cool

iv . Consumption

v. Water Garden

Eth Pokuna

Nadana Uyana

Abayagiri Pokuna

Ponds in Rajagala

Nelum Pokuna

06. Write three key features of water gardens (6marks)

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07. Name two water gardens in the Rajarata period (4marks)

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08. Use the answers in the brackets to match with the following Kings (10marks)

(Demala Maha Seya / Rankoth WEhera / Mirisawetiya / Abhayagiri Stupa / Jethawana Sthupa)

- i. King Mahasen -
- ii. King Walagamba –
- iii. King Dutugamunu -
- iv. King Parakramabahu I -
- v. King Nishankamalla -

09. Write an article about the technology of irrigation in the Rajarata period. (10marks)

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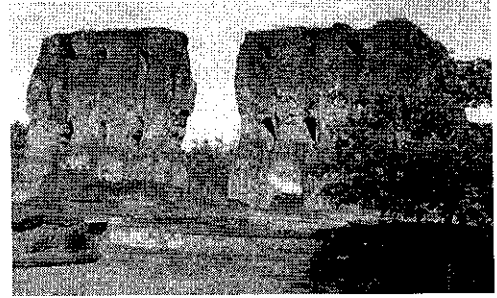
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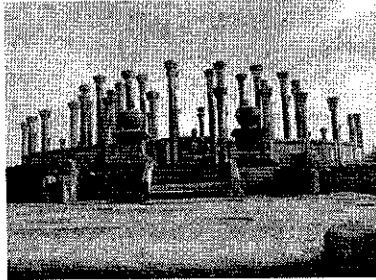
10. Name the following pictures and write the place (10marks)



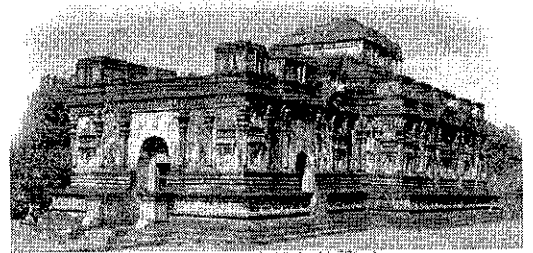
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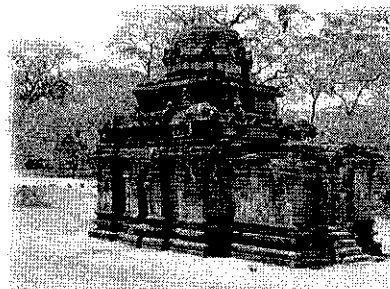


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