

Chapter-4

Worksheet-1

Choose the correct option:

1. _____ have found seeds of wheat, barley, rice, pulses, millets, peas and sesame.
 - a. Sociologists
 - b. Archaeologists
 - c. Cerographers
 - d. Cartographers

2. The Rigveda was recited and heard rather than _____.
 - a. Read
 - b. Write
 - c. Both a and b
 - d. None of these

3. Sanskrit is part of a family of languages known as _____.
 - a. Tibeto-Burman
 - b. Indo-European
 - c. Indo-Western
 - d. Tibeto-Northern

4. Other languages used in the north-east belong to the _____ family.
 - a. Tibeto-Burman
 - b. Indo-European
 - c. Indo-Western
 - d. Tibeto-Northern

5. _____ were composed by sages (rishis).
 - a. shlokas
 - b. words
 - c. hymns
 - d. books

6. Two words were used to describe the people or the community as a whole.
 - a. Jana
 - b. Vish



- c. Both a and b
 - d. None of these
7. the people who composed the hymns described themselves as _____.
- a. Dasas
 - b. Aryas
 - c. Dasyu
 - d. None of these
8. The practice of erecting megaliths began about _____ years ago.
- a. 5000
 - b. 8000
 - c. 1000
 - d. 3000
9. Generally, the dead were buried with distinctive pots, which are called _____.
- a. Black and Yellow Ware
 - b. Black and Red Ware
 - c. Black and Blue Ware
 - d. Black and Green Ware
10. _____ contain more than one skeleton.
- a. Megaliths
 - b. Monoliths
 - c. Otoliths
 - d. None of these

Answer the following Questions.

- 11. Mention one achievement of the Chinese around 3500 years ago.
- 12. Write the meaning and use of oracle bones in China.
- 13. List the names of rivers mentioned in Vedas.
- 14. How do we know who was buried?
- 15. Discuss in brief three Vedic gods, considered especially important.
- 16. For which three things were battles fought by the Rigvedic age people?
- 17. Write about Charaka.
- 18. Were some burial spots meant for certain families? If yes, give some facts about your answer.

19. Discuss “Food at Inamgaon” as archaeologists have found different proofs from different sites.

20. In the Rigveda, people were described in terms of the work they did and the languages they spoke. In the table below, fill in the names of six people you know, choosing three men and three women. For each of them, mention the work they do and the language they speak.

NAME	WORK	LANGUAGE