

2014

**EARLY CIVILIZATION ART CULTURE AND  
ARCHITECTURE**

Paper : 1.4

Full Marks : 100

Time : 3 Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions.*

1. Fill in the blanks (any five) : 1×5
- a) Catal Huyuk city remains are found in \_\_\_\_\_.
  - b) \_\_\_\_\_ is a monster carved out of a single rock.
  - c) Kings Chamber is located \_\_\_\_\_ of pyramid.
  - d) Ziggurat is a \_\_\_\_\_
  - e) The material used for building the huts during Vedic age is \_\_\_\_\_
  - f) The meaning of the word 'Mastaba' is \_\_\_\_\_
  - g) \_\_\_\_\_ is one of the main factors affecting style of architecture.
  - h) Torana is the name of the Gate of \_\_\_\_\_
2. Answer (any five) questions : 1×5
- a) What are Chaityas?
  - b) Why Persia didn't have any temples?
  - c) What are the three major styles of Buddhist architecture?
  - d) Who built the palace of Percipolis?
  - e) Who founded the city of Nirevet?
  - f) What was Nalanda famous for?
  - g) What are the two rivers that flow around the Mesopotamian Civilization?
  - h) What was the chief building material of Indus Valley Civilization?

3. Write short notes on : (with sketches) (any six) 5×6
- a) Mastabas
  - b) Obelisks
  - c) Sphinx
  - d) Gopuram
  - e) Great Bath-Mohenjodaro
  - f) Dolmen Tomb
  - g) Pyramids of Giza
  - h) Stonchenge
  - i) Lamasee
  - j) Hamurabi
4. Answer (any four) questions. Give necessary sketches. 10×4
- a) Write a brief note on Vedic village
  - b) What are the main features of Buddhist architecture? Give one example of each with description and sketches.
  - c) What are the various factors that affect the style, of architecture?
  - d) What are river valley civilizations, and why do civilizations generally develop on river banks? Name some of the important river valley civilizations alongwith their locations and a brief description of each.
  - e) Explain the characteristic of West Asiatic architecture with typical example.
  - f) Explain with sketches the great stupa at Sanchi.
5. What are the differences and similarities between Egyptian and Indus valley civilization with respect to their Social, Political, Religious, Cultural and also aspects of building methodologies/materials. 20.

Or

What is Rock Cut Architecture? Explain with suitable sketches, rock cut structures in different part of India.