

history gk questions pdf

1. **Who was the founder of the Rashtrakuta dynasty?**
Dantidurga
2. **Which empire built the Virupaksha Temple at Hampi?**
Vijayanagara Empire
3. **Who was the last ruler of the Maurya dynasty?**
Brihadratha
4. **When did the French Revolution end?**
1799
5. **Who started the Brahmo Samaj?**
Raja Ram Mohan Roy
6. **Which king is associated with the construction of the Sanchi Stupa?**
Ashoka
7. **Where was the capital of the Kushan Empire?**
Purushapura (Peshawar)
8. **Who wrote the ancient Indian text 'Rajatarangini'?**
Kalhana
9. **Which treaty ended the Third Anglo-Mysore War?**
Treaty of Seringapatam
10. **Who was the ruler of Mysore during the Anglo-Mysore Wars?**
Tipu Sultan
11. **Which medieval kingdom was ruled by the Hoysalas?**
Karnataka region
12. **Who introduced the Din-i Ilahi religion?**
Akbar
13. **Which Mughal emperor built the Peacock Throne?**
Shah Jahan
14. **Who founded the Satavahana dynasty?**
Simuka
15. **Which Greek ambassador visited Chandragupta Maurya's court?**
Megasthenes
16. **Which ancient kingdom controlled the Silk Route in India?**
Kushan Empire
17. **Who discovered the city of Troy?**
Heinrich Schliemann
18. **Which Indian reformer started the Aligarh Movement?**
Sir Syed Ahmed Khan

19. In which year did the Battle of Buxar take place?

1764

20. Who was the first ruler to establish the Delhi Sultanate?

Qutb-ud-din Aibak

21. Which ancient Indian text mentions the Mahajanapadas?

Anguttara Nikaya

22. Who founded the Pala dynasty in Bengal?

Gopala

23. Which leader started the Swadeshi Steam Navigation Company?

V. O. Chidambaram Pillai

24. Which Indo-Greek king adopted Buddhism?

Menander (Milinda)

25. Who was the leader of the Indigo Revolt in Bengal?

Digambar Biswas

26. Which dynasty built the Sun Temple at Modhera?

Solanki dynasty

27. Who introduced the “Doctrine of Lapse”?

Lord Dalhousie

28. Which Indian port city was known as “Black Town” during the British period?

Madras (Chennai)

29. Who founded the Arya Samaj?

Swami Dayanand Saraswati

30. Who authored the Buddhist text Milinda-Panha?

Nagasena

31. Which kingdom was ruled by Kharavela?

Kalinga

32. Which monument in Iran is known as the Gate of All Nations?

Persepolis