

Ancient Civilisations

I. Choose the correct answer

1. (i) The oldest civilisation in Mesopotamia belonged to the Akkadians.
(ii) The Chinese developed the Hieroglyphic system.
(iii) The Euphrates and Tigris drain into the Mannar Gulf.
(iv) Hammurabi, the king of Babylon was a great law maker.
a. (i) is correct b. (i) and (ii) are correct
c. (iii) is correct d. (iv) is correct
2. (i) Yangtze River is known as Sorrow of China.
(ii) Wu-Ti constructed the Great Wall of China.
(iii) Chinese invented gun powder.
(iv) According to traditions Mencius was the founder of Taoism.
a. (i) is correct b. (ii) is correct
c. (iii) is correct d. (iii) and (iv) are correct
3. What is the correct chronological order of four civilisations of Mesopotamia
a. Sumerians - Assyrians - Akkadians - Babylonians
b. Babylonians - Sumerians - Assyrians - Akkadians
c. Sumerians - Akkadians - Babylonians - Assyrians
d. Babylonians - Assyrians - Akkadians - Sumerians
4. **Assertion (A):** Assyrians of Mesopotamian civilisation were contemporaries of Indus civilisation.
Reason(R): The Documents of an Assyrian ruler refer to the ships from Meluha
a. A and R are correct and A explains R
b. A and R are correct but A doesn't explain R
c. A is incorrect but R is correct
d. Both A and R are incorrect

Find out the correct statement

5. a. The Great Bath at Harappa is well-built with several adjacent rooms.
b. The cuneiform inscriptions relate to the epic of Gilgamesh.
c. The terracotta figurines and dancing girl made of copper suggest the artistic skills of Egyptians.
d. The Mesopotamians devised a solar calendar system.
6. a. Amon was an "Egyptian God".
b. The fortified Harappan city had the temples.
c. The great sphinx is a pyramid-shaped monument found in ancient Mesopotamia.
d. The invention of the potter's wheel is credited to the Egyptians.

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