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**Work Sheet 2 – 2020**

**Class-12D**

**Sub:History Chapter 1-Remembering the past.**  
**SubTopic -Inheritance of the Past**

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Answer the following questions. (MCQ)

(1×15=15)

1. The art of writing history on modern lines in India began
  - a. With the coming of the British
  - b. With the coming of the Mughals
  - c. With the coming of the Turks
  - d. With the coming of the Afghans
  
2. 'Historiography ' means
  - a. Art of writing History
  - b. Art of drawing sketches
  - c. Art of speaking
  - d. Art of learning
  
3. The 1<sup>st</sup> attempt to study India's past was made
  - a. After the Revolt of 1857
  - b. After the Battle of Plassey
  - c. After the Battle of Buxar
  - d. After the 1<sup>st</sup> Carnatic War
  
4. The Grant of Diwani was given in the year
  - a. 1764
  - b. 1763
  - c. 1785
  - d. 1765
  
5. The Britishers tried to justify the colonial rule by projecting
  - a. Superiority of the Danish
  - b. Superiority of the British
  - c. Superiority of the Portuguese
  - d. Superiority of the European
  
6. Historian who presented a distorted form of Indian history
  - a. V.A.Smith
  - b. Ranajit Guha
  - c. Amallesh Tripathi
  - d. Eric Hobsbawn

7. The book written by James Mill
  - a. History of British India
  - b. History of European India
  - c. History of Danish India
  - d. History of Spanish India
  
8. 'Early History of India' was written by
  - a. V.A. Smith
  - b. James Mill
  - c. James Bond
  - d. Ranajit Guha
  
9. Eminent Indian historian who reconstructed the Indian history –
  - a. Radhakumud Mookherjee
  - b. Ranajit Guha
  - c. Amalesh Tripathi
  - d. Sumit Sarkar
  
10. The Colonial historians belittled India's past saying that it was borrowed from
  - a. China
  - b. Turkey
  - c. Greece
  - d. America
  
11. The English Colonial Historians believed that the Indians had no experience of
  - a. Nationhood
  - b. Motherhood
  - c. Fatherhood
  - d. Brotherhood
  
12. The colonial approach present India as
  - a. Land of despotism
  - b. Land of hypocrits
  - c. Land of materialism
  - d. Land of egoism
  
13. In a number of articles historian K.P.Jayaswal made reference of
  - a. Democracies
  - b. Oligarchies
  - c. Republics
  - d. States
  
14. In the 6<sup>th</sup> century B.C. there developed \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. 32 Mahajanapadas
  - b. 24 Mahajanapadas
  - c. 45 Mahajanapadas
  - d. 16 Mahajanapadas

15. The Indian historians gave example of which all India empire to demonstrate all India consciousness of political unity.

- a. Gupta
- b. Mauryan
- c. Nandas
- d. Palas

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