

CLASS:-11TH, HISTORY,

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS,

CHAPTER:-7

Question 1.

What had the students in universities to do prior to the starting of printing?

Answer:

Before the start of printing, the students had to read a few hand written copies or texts of manuscript. It was very difficult to make available every student a copy of that text.

Question 2.

Who was Andreas Vasesius?

Answer:

Andreas Vasesius (1514-64) was a professor of medicine in Padua University. He dissected the human body. It led to the beginning of modern physiology.

Question 3.

What do you understand by realism?

Answer:

Anatomy, physics, geometry and a sense of beautification gave a new form to Italian art. Later on, it came to be known as realism.

Question 4.

What was the name of the book composed by Jacob?

Answer:

The Civilization of the Renaissance in Italy.

Question 5.

When was humanism adopted in curriculum of the universities in Italy?

Answer:

Humanism was adopted in curriculum of the universities in Italy during 14th century.

Question 6.

What do you understand by classical architecture?

Answer:

During the period, the Roman history was read and the remains were dug up by archaeologists. It inspired a new style of architecture that was revival of the imperial Roman style. It was called classical architecture.

Question 7.

Who was Thomas Moore?

Answer:

Thomas Moore was a great writer of England. 'Utopia' was his literary masterpiece.

Question 8.

What do you know about Ptolemy's 'Almagest'?

Answer:

Ptolemy's Almagest was a work on astronomy. It was written in Greek before 140CE. Later it was translated into Arabic.

Question 9.

Write any two features of humanist thought.

Answer:

Two features of humanist thought were:

- To encourage dignity of humans beings.
- Freedom of human life from control of religion.

Question 10.

'All men are bad and ever ready to display their vicious nature'.

Who said this and why?

Answer:

It was said by Machiavelli. He was of the opinion that human desires are insatiable and he was motivated to face every fair and unfair means to meet them.

Question 11.

What kind of impression do you get about the status of women in business families?

Answer:

Women were very supportive. They co-operated their husbands in every bit of business. In families of merchants and bankers , wives looked after the business when the male members were away on work.