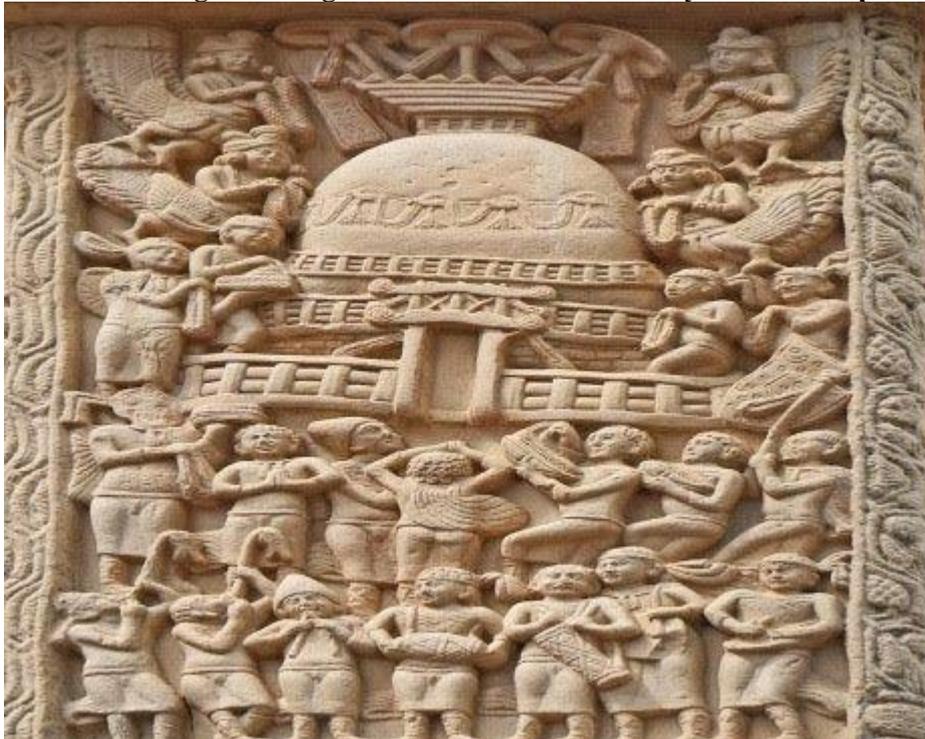


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1. Ancient Mesopotamian texts refer to copper coming from a place called 'Magan'. Which place were they referring to?
2. Whom did Ashoka appoint to spread the message of dhamma?
3. Read the following information and mention the context in which the statement is connected-
" Many Kushana rulers also adopted the title ' devaputra' or 'son of God'."
4. Which among the following was a strategy adopted by the Brahmanas to enforce the varna order?
 - A) assert that varna order was a human creation
 - B) advised kings to punish those who violated these norms
 - C) persuaded people that their status was determined by Birth
 - D) persuaded people that their status was determined by occupations they practised.
5. Look at the given image and state what does the symbol of 'stupa' stand for?



Question For Visually Impaired candidates only: In lieu of Question number 5. Which of the following was a non-Buddhist symbol used to decorate stupa:

- A) Shalabhanjika
- B) Wheel
- C) Stupa
- D) Tree

**6. Correct the following statement and rewrite it:
According to Jainism, asceticism and the middle path are required to free oneself from the cycle of Karma.**

7. Identify the Bhakti tradition which favoured widow remarriage.

- A) Alvars**
- B) Nayanars**
- C) Lingayats**
- D) Siddhas**

8. What is the source to know about the Virashaiva tradition in Karnataka?

9. Differentiate between 'Nayaks' and the 'Amara-nayakas'.

10. Given below are two statements, one labelled as Assertion (A) and the other labelled as Reason (R).

Assertion (A): Archaeologists suggest that in the north-eastern corner of the urban core rich traders lived.

Reason (R): Numerous tombs, mosques, and fine Chinese porcelain have been found here.

- A) Both (A) and (R) are correct and (R) is the correct explanation of (A)**
- B) Both (A) and (R) are correct, but (R) is not the correct explanation of (A)**
- C) (A) is correct, but (R) is not correct**
- D) (R) is correct, but (A) is not correct**