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NCERT Solutions For Class 7 History Social Science Chapter 9 The Making Of Regional Cultures

1. Match the following :

Anantavarnam	– Kerala
Jagannatha	– Bengal
Mahodayapurma	– Orissa
Lilatilakam	– Kangra
Mangalakavya	– Puri
Miniature	– Kerala

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2. What is Manipravalam? Name a book written in that language.

Answer: Manipravalam is a language. The book written in that language is Lilatilakam.

3. Who were the major patrons of Kathak?

Answer: The Mughals were the major patrons of Kathak.

4. What are the Important architectural features of the temples of Bengal?

Answer:

Architectural features of the temples of Bengal:

1. Double roofed or dochala, four roofed (chauchala).
 2. Comparative more complex-four roofed structures-four triangular roofs placed on four walls moved up to coverage on curved line or a point.
 3. Built on a square platform.
 4. Interior plain.
 5. Outer walls decorated with paintings, ornamental tiles or terracotta tablets.
6. **Why did minstrels proclaim the achievements of heroes?**

Answer: Minstrels used to recite poems and songs which depicted the stories of the " Rajputs' heroic deeds. By reciting such poems and songs these minstrels inspired others to follow the examples of Rajputs. Ordinary people were also attracted by these stories.

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