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Understanding Diversity Class 6 Extra Questions Short Answer Type (REVISION)

Question 1.

How are history and geography tied in the cultural life of a region? Clarify with examples from Ladakh and Kerala.

Answer:

Kerala and Ladakh are different in terms of geographical features.

- Geography of Kerala made possible the cultivation of spices and rice.
- Its coastal location made fishing possible.
- Geography of Ladakh made possible the wool collection as a major occupation of the Ladakhi people.

History of both the regions has seen similar cultural influences.

- Chinese and Arab Traders came to these regions and set up trading occupations there.

Question 2.

How is the influence of diverse cultures still in vogue?

Answer:

Influence of diverse cultures is still in vogue because of the following:

- Man's life is on the move at present.
- We go from place to place and adopt the culture of new places where we live in.
- Our cultural traditions also undergo a change.
- We also adopt several things from our neighbourhood.
- Our daily life also changes accordingly.
- We also hear stories of other's customs and traditions.

Question 3.

How was unity in diversity seen during the British rule in India?

Answer:

- People of India have diverse cultures, customs, traditions and backgrounds.
- British took advantage of this diversity and ruled India for nearly 300 years.

But the diverse people rose against the British as one nation. They showed unity in diversity and threw their rule from India.

- Man and woman from different cultures, customs, traditions and backgrounds came together to oppose the British.
- They took part in the freedom struggle.

- They went to jail together.
- They worked together to decide joint actions.
- They acted as one against the British.

Ultimately they uprooted the British Empire from India and attained freedom in 1947.