**Class 8 (Social Science) Assignments**

**Chapter-1 How, When and Where**

Choose the correct answer:

Question 1.  
Who was the last Viceroy of India?  
(a) Lord Canning  
(b) Lord Mountbatten  
(c) dtipon  
(d) Lord Wellesley

Question 2.  
Medieval period was  
(a) the old period of history  
(b) the period associated with the growth of all the forces of modernity  
(c) none of the above

Question 3.  
The British thought surveys were important for  
(a) writing history  
(b) effective judgement  
(c) effective administration  
(d) none of these

Question 4.  
The British preserve official documents because  
(a) the preserved documents reveal the progress made by country in the past  
(b) one can study the notes and reports which were prepared in the past

(c) their copies may be made and used in modern times  
(d) all of the above

Question 5.  
Which one of the sources do historians use in writing about the last 250 years of Indian history?  
(а) Official records of the French administration  
(b) Official records of the British administration  
(c) Official records of the Church administration  
(d) None of the above

Question 6.  
Which of the following is NOT the period of division of Indian History by James Mill?  
(a) Hindu  
(b) Muslim  
(c) Christians  
(d) Sikhs

Question 7.  
Which is NOT the source of describing history.?  
(a) Diaries of people  
(b) Conversation between two people  
(c) Accounts of pilgrims and travellers  
(d) Autobiographies of important personalities

Question 8.  
The National Archives of\* India came up in the  
(a) 1910s  
(b) 1920s  
(c) 1930s  
(d) 1940s

**9.**Advertisements help create taste. How?

**10**. By what criteria do we choose a set of dates as important?

**11**. Why do we associate history with a string of dates?

**12.** Why do we try and divide history into different periods?

**13**. What is Colonial?

**14.**What sources do historians use in writing about the last 250 years of Indian history?

**15**. James Mill divided Indian history into three periods – Hindu, Muslim, Christian. True or False?

**16**. The British thought surveys were important for effective administration. Do you agree?