CLASS 8 | ENGLISH

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CHAPTER - 03 | : EXPLORE INDIA

QUIZ-01

- **1.** Who was the host of the State Level School Quiz Competition?
- A) Mr. P.K. Baruah
- B) Anjali Das
- C) Aparna
- D) Hazrat Ali

Answer: B – Anjali Das

Explanation: Anjali Das, an Assistant Teacher of the organising school, was the host of the quiz.

breath of the native land.

- **2.** How many school teams participated in the state-level quiz competition?
- A) 7
- B) 5
- C) 4
- D) 6

Answer: B – 5

Explanation: Five school teams from five zones of the state took part in the State level quiz competition.

- **3.** Which team won the State Level School Quiz Competition?
- A) Team B
- B) Team D
- C) Team E
- D) Team A

Answer: B - Team D

Explanation: Team D (R.K.M. School, Cachar) won and will represent the state in the National School Quiz Competition.

- **4.** The ancient name of Assam, besides Kamrup, was:
- A) Kamatapur
- B) Rangpur
- C) Pragjyotishpur
- D) Sonitpur

Answer: C – Pragjyotishpur

Explanation: The quiz mentioned Pragjyotishpur as another ancient name for Assam.

- **5.** What does the saffron colour in the national flag signify?
- A) Peace and truth
- B) Courage and sacrifice
- C) Growth and prosperity
- D) Life and movement

Answer: B – Courage and sacrifice

Explanation: The saffron band represents courage and sacrifice.

- **6.** In which state is Porbandar, the birthplace of Mahatma Gandhi, located?
- A) Maharashtra
- B) Gujarat
- C) Madhya Pradesh
- D) Uttar Pradesh

Answer: B – Gujarat

Explanation: Porbandar is in Gujarat, as clarified during the quiz.

- **7.** Which place is known for the first oil refinery in India?
- A) Digboi
- B) Dibrugarh
- C) Sivasagar
- D) Tezpur

Answer: A - Digboi

Explanation: Digboi in Assam is known for its oil fields and the first oil refinery.

- 8. The Qutub Minar was built in 1193 by:
- A) Iltutmish
- B) Qutubuddin Aibak
- C) Alauddin Khilji
- D) Sher Shah Suri

Answer: B – Qutubuddin Aibak

Explanation: The quiz confirmed that Qutub Minar was built by Qutubuddin Aibak in 1193.

- **9.** Which is the national tree of India?
- A) Neem tree
- B) Peepal tree
- C) Banyan tree
- D) Mango tree

Answer: C – Banyan tree

Explanation: The Banyan tree (Borgos in Assamese) is India's national tree.

- **10.** When was 'Jana Gana Mana' adopted as India's national anthem?
- A) 15th August 1947
- B) 26th January 1949
- C) 24th January 1950
- D) 2nd October 1950

Answer: C - 24th January 1950

Explanation: The quiz mentioned that the national anthem was adopted on 24th January 1950.

