1. Write briefly about the criteria needed to be fulfilled for recognition of a 'World Heritage Site'.

2015

1. Write the chief teaching of Lord Buddha. How far was Buddhism a reform movement within Hinduism?
2. In which part of our country "Pongal" is celebrated. Mention its significance.

2017

1. How did external invasions influence the art and culture of India in the post-Mauryan period?
2. Analyze critically that Buddha's teachings to a large extent could be helpful in understanding and resolving the problems of today's society.
3. Distinguish between culture and civilization.
4. Name the States of India in which Garba and Tamasha dance form originated.

2018

1. Describe the achievements of the Gupta period in the fields of science, art and architecture.
2. Name two plays written by Kalidasa.
3. What do you know about the Allahabad Pillar Inscription?
4. Name the authors of the books, Katha Guru Charita and Kadam-Kali
5. What are Mudras? How many fundamental mudras are required to depict a particular emotion?