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Mention the significance of inscriptions for providing information about the Cholas.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 2

Who established the rule of the Cholas?

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Short Answer Questions | Q 3

Why did Rajaraja undertake a naval expedition against Ceylon and Maldives?

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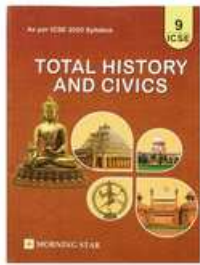
Short Answer Questions | Q 4

Name any three great rulers of the Chola dynasty.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 5

Give any two achievements of Rajendra Chola.



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Short Answer Questions | Q 6

Name the new capital built by Rajendra Chola.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 7

Why did the Cholas build a strong naval fleet?

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Short Answer Questions | Q 8

What made the Chola administration strong and effective?

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Short Answer Questions | Q 9

Name the two languages promoted by the Cholas.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 10

Name any two features of temple built by the Cholas.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 11

Which is the best example of Chola temples?

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Short Answer Questions | Q 12

What is known as the 'gopuram'?

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Short Answer Questions | Q 13

To what use was the temple put during the Chola period?

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Short Answer Questions | Q 14

Name one important literary source that gives information about the Cholas. Name the author of this text and the ruler, whose exploits it describes.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 15

Name the last ruler of the Cholas.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 16

Who finally defeated the Cholas?

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Short Answer Questions | Q 17

Give an example of sculpture during the Chola period.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 18

Who wrote the Tamil Ramayana?

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Short Answer Questions | Q 19

Name the book written by Kamban.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 20

Name any two literary works (literary sources) to reconstruct the age of Imperial Cholas.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 21

Name any two archaeological sources to reconstruct the age of Imperial Cholas.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 22

Under whose rule, the Cholas rose to imperial greatness towards the end of the 10th century AD?

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Short Answer Questions | Q 23

Mention any two victories won by Cholas under Rajaraja I.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 24

Who among the Chola kings adopted the title of 'Gangaikonda'? Name the city commemorating the event.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 25.1

What names were given to the following territorial divisions of the Chola kingdom:

Province

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Short Answer Questions | Q 25.2

What names were given to the following territorial divisions of the Chola kingdom:

District

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Short Answer Questions | Q 26

What was the method of electing members of the village assembly under the Cholas?

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Short Answer Questions | Q 27

Mention any two duties assigned to a village assembly under the Cholas.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 28

Give one evidence to suggest that Cholas constructed magnificent temples.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 29

Who translated the Ramayana into Tamil?

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Short Answer Questions | Q 30

Name the two scholars (one Buddhist and another Jain) who made a rich contribution to Tamil literature.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 31

Mention any two sources of revenue of the Chola rulers.

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Short Answer Questions | Q 32

Give two evidence to suggest that the Cholas employed their resources in public work projects.

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With reference to the sources of information about the Cholas, give the significance of the following:
Chola Inscriptions.

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Structured Questions | Q 1.2

With reference to the sources of information about the Cholas, give the significance of the following:
Brihadeshwara Temple.

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Structured Questions | Q 2.1

With reference to the Chola period explain the following:

Taxes imposed by the Cholas.

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Structured Questions | Q 2.2

With reference to the Chola period explain the following:

Administration of the Kingdom,

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Structured Questions | Q 2.3

With reference to the Chola period explain the following:

The three types of village assemblies.

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Structured Questions | Q 3.1

With reference to the Chola Administration, write short notes on:

The King, the chief administrator

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Structured Questions | Q 3.2

With reference to the Chola Administration, write short notes on:

Local Self-Government

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Structured Questions | Q 4.1

Study the picture of the Brihadeswara Temple and answer the following question:



Who built this temple?

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Structured Questions | Q 4.2

Study the picture of the Brihadeswara Temple and answer the following question:



To which Deity was the temple dedicated?

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Structured Questions | Q 4.3

Study the picture of the Brihadeswara Temple and answer the following question:



Mention two special features of this temple

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Structured Questions | Q 5.1

With reference to the South Indian temples answer the following question:

The role of the temple as an employer.

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Structured Questions | Q 5.2

With reference to the South Indian temples answer the following question:

The role of the temple as a landlord.

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Structured Questions | Q 5.3

With reference to the South Indian temples answer the following question:

The role of the temple as centres of learning.

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Structured Questions | Q 6.1

With reference to Chola literature, write on the following:

Kalingattuparani

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Structured Questions | Q 6.2

With reference to Chola literature, write on the following:

Religious and secular literature.

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Structured Questions | Q 7.1

Write short notes on the revenue system of the Cholas.

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Structured Questions | Q 7.2

Write short notes on the copper-plate grants

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Structured Questions | Q 8.1

With the accession of Rajaraja I (985-1014 AD) began the most glorious epoch of the Cholas. In this context, explain briefly:

His Conquests.

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Structured Questions | Q 8.2

With the accession of Rajaraja I (985-1014 AD) began the most glorious epoch of the Cholas. In this context, explain briefly:

His activities as a Great Builder and a Ruler.

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Structured Questions | Q 9.1

King Rajendra I (1014-1044 AD) raised the Chola empire to the pinnacle of glory. In this context explain:

His main Conquests.

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Structured Questions | Q 9.2

King Rajendra I (1014-1044 AD) raised the Chola empire to the pinnacle of glory. In this context explain:

His attainments as a Great Builder.

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Structured Questions | Q 10.1

Under Cholas, the ruler was the pivot on which turned the whole machinery of the state, but actual administration was not highly centralised. In this context, explain briefly.

The position of the Chola Monarch.

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Structured Questions | Q 10.2

Under Cholas, the ruler was the pivot on which turned the whole machinery of the state, but actual administration was not highly centralized. In this context, explain briefly.

Functioning of the autonomous rural institutions (Gram Sabhas)

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Structured Questions | Q 11.1

Discuss people's social life under Imperial Cholas with reference to:

Caste System

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Structured Questions | Q 11.2

Discuss people's social life under Imperial Cholas with reference to:

Religion

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Structured Questions | Q 12

Write a brief not on the works of art and public works projects of the Chola rulers.

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Structured Questions | Q 13

Write a brief note on the development of Tamil Literature under the Cholas.

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