

Class6th
History ch-7

Que1) Make a list of the occupations of the people who lived within the Mauryan empire.

Ans:

A list of the occupations of the people who lived within the Mauryan empire:

Trade or Commerce

Jobs with emperor

Crafts

Agriculture

Animal rearing

Forest produce-gathering

Hunting animals for food

Fishing.

Que2) Complete the following sentences:

Ans:

1) taxes

2) Governors

3) Roads, rivers

elephants, timber, honey, and wax.

Que3) State whether true or false:

Ans:

False

True

False

True.

Que4) What were the problems that Ashoka wanted to solve by introducing 'dhamma'?

Ans:

The problems Ashoka wanted to solve by introducing dhamma were:

- 1) Communalism .
- 2) Violence or killing of animals.
- 3) To maintain peace in families and among neighbours.
- 4) Respecting one's elders.
- 5) Treating all creatures with compassion.
- 6) Giving gifts to brahmins and monks.
- 7) Show respect to other religions too.
- 8) Try to understand the main ideas of other religions.

Que5)What were the means adopted by Ashoka to spread the message of 'dhamma'?

Ans:1) Ashoka appointed officials (called 'dhamma mahamatta') to go from place to place and tell people about 'dhamma'. 2)Ashoka got his messages inscribed on rocks and pillars too, in a language called as Prakrit which was comprehensible to all. 3)Messengers were also sent to other parts of the world.