

# Nationalism in India

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How

1) What was the main point of difference between the Congress and Muslim League?

Ans →

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\* It was largely secular party and did not have any differentiation between the religions and among the people.

\* It claimed to represent both - the Hindus and the Muslims. ~~or the Muslims~~

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Muslim League

\* It was a party which particularly wanted a separate state of Pakistan.

\* ~~≠~~ The Muslim League represented only Muslims.

2) Ans → The writer of Novel Anandamath is was Bankim Chandra Chatterjee

3) ~~Ans~~ → what did the spinning wheel in Swaraj flag <sup>represent</sup> ~~do~~?

Ans) By 1921, Gandhiji had designed the Swaraj flag. It was again a tricolour & had a spinning wheel in the centre, representing the Gandhian ideal of self-help.

4) ~~Ans~~ →

1) How had a variety of cultural processes developed a sense of collective belonging in India during the 19th century? Explain.

Ans) The sense of collective belonging came partly through the experience of united struggles. But there were a variety of cultural processes through which nationalism captured people's imagination.

\*) History and fiction, folklore and songs, popular prints and symbols, all played a part in the making of nationalism.

\*) The image of Bharat Mata was created by Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyay.

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\* Vande Mataram as a hymn to the motherland widely song during the swadeshi movement of in Bengal.

\* History was also important means of creating a feeling of nationalism that gave pride in the nation.