

7. seals often show animals and figures of gods.

iii) Answer in brief:-

1. What is prehistory? How is it different from history?

Ans- The study of events before ~~human~~ human learnt to write is called prehistory.

2. What is archaeology?

Ans- The study of ~~events before~~ the physical remains of human life in the past called archaeology.

3. On what materials were ancient manuscripts written?

Ans- ancient manuscripts written in stone, clay tablets, dried bark of trees, thin beaten copper plates and dried palm leaves.

4. mention two secular sources of literature used to study Indian history.

Ans. The two secular sources of literature used to study Indian history is Raviatarangini / Arthashastra.

5. How do coins help us study history?

Ans. Coins help us study history because in ~~the~~ <sup>upper</sup> front of ~~the~~ coin were drawn or written ~~on~~ <sup>on</sup> bottom were ~~it~~ <sup>they</sup> come from <sup>and</sup> who is the king ~~of~~ <sup>of</sup> that place.<sup>1</sup>