

Worksheet

I) Choose the correct answer.

1 The east india Company was formed by some merchants of \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Holland      b) Spain       c) England      d) France

2 Vasco da Gama was a \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) British      b) French       c) Portuguese      d) Dutch

3 The Battle of Plassey occurred in \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) 1757      b) 1764      c) 1857      d) 1775

4 Who led the revolt of 1857 in Awadh?

- a) Begum Hazrat Mahal      b) Kunwar sikh      c) Tantia Tope      d) Rani Lakshmi Bai

5 \_\_\_\_\_ was the mughal Emperor.

- a) Bahadur shah Zafar      b) Akbar      c) Aurangzeb      d) Jahangir

II) Fill in the Blanks.

Lord Dalhousie \_\_\_\_\_ introduced the Doctrine of lapse.

Bahadur shah Zafar was the leader of the leader of the Great Revolt of 1857.

The Doctrine of lapse made many indian rulers unhappy.



- 4 After 1857, India was no longer ruled by governor-general but by government.
- 5 The Battle of Plassey was fought between Siraj-ud-Daulah and the British.

### III.) Match it.

#### Column A

#### Column B

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| 1 Doctrine of lapse was introduced by          | a. Enfield        |
| 2 The Battle of Plassey was fought in the year | b. Lord Dalhousie |
| 3 The rifle the Company introduced             | c. 1757           |
| 4 Bahadur Shah Jolani                          | d. Awadh          |
| 5 Begum Hazrat Mahal                           | e. Delhi          |

### IV.) Write True or false.

- 1 Vasco da Gama was the European to arrive in India False
- 2 Siraj-ud-Daulah won the Battle of Plassey. False
- 4 ~~1~~ Mangal Pandey was the first Indian sepoy to openly refuse ~~to use~~ to use the controversial cartridges True ~~False~~
- 3 ~~2~~ Indians were ~~is~~ happy with the policies of the British False ~~True~~
- 5 ~~3~~ Kunwar Singh led the revolt in Bihar True