

# Karnataka Board Class 12, 2026 History Question Papers

Time Allowed :3 Hours

Maximum Marks :70

Total questions :38

## General Instructions

**Read the following instructions very carefully and strictly follow them:**

1. The paper is divided into Section A and Section B.
2. Section A includes objective-type questions.
3. All questions in Section A are compulsory.
4. Section B includes short answer, and long answer type questions.
5. Answers must be written legibly within the word limit.
6. Use of unfair means or electronic devices is prohibited.
7. Follow the correct format and instructions for each section.

## Section - A

**1. The Satavahana capital 'Pratishthana' is presently located in**

- (A) Karnataka
- (B) Madhya Pradesh
- (C) Bihar
- (D) Maharashtra

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**2. The Second battle of Tarain was fought between**

- (A) Mohammad Ghazni and Pruthviraj Chouhan
- (B) Mohammad Ghori and Pruthviraj Chouhan
- (C) Mohammad Ghori and Jayachandra
- (D) Mohammad-bin-Quasim and Pruthviraj Chouhan

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**3. 'Vishishtadvaita' Philosophy was propounded by**

- (A) Madhwacharya
  - (B) Shankaracharya
  - (C) Basaveshwara
  - (D) Ramanujacharya
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**4. The First Session of The Indian National Congress was held in**

- (A) 1885
  - (B) 1886
  - (C) 1887
  - (D) 1881
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**5. The Arab traveller who said that "The Rashtrakuta empire is one of the four greatest empires in the world."**

- (A) Alberuni
  - (B) Al-Masudi
  - (C) Sulaiman
  - (D) Nikitin
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**6. Bandobast System was implemented by**

- (A) Raja Surjan Rai
  - (B) Muzaffar Shah
  - (C) Mansingh
  - (D) Raja Todarmal
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**7. The First of the Europeans to enter India through the sea route**

- (A) British
  - (B) Portuguese
  - (C) Dutch
  - (D) French
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**Section - B**

**8. Write about the Religion, Literature and Art-architecture during the Vijayanagar period.**

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**9. 'Sir M. Vishveshwaraiah is called the Maker of Modern Mysore'. Analyse.**

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**10. Describe the village administration of the Cholas.**

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**11. Describe the Conquests of Shivaji.**

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**12. Discuss the Personality of Swami Vivekananda.**

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**13. What were the important factors that led to the growth of Indian Nationalism?**

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**14. Write about the Political, Social, Economic and Religious Condition of Aryans.**

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**15. Describe the achievements of Pulikeshi II.**

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