ST. THOMAS SCHOOL

SUBJECT: SOCIAL SCIENCE

CLASS – V-

Chapter-16 Great People

Important points to learn:



Kalidas:

- * Kalidasa was a famous poet and dramatist.
- ❖ He lived in the court of Chandragupta II.
- His famous poems are Raghuvamsha and Kumarasambhava



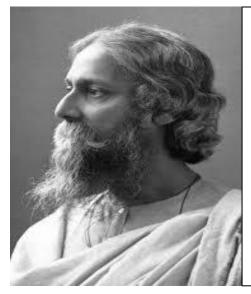
Tansen:

- ❖ Tansen was a famous singer and musician in the Akbar's court.
- ❖ He was one of the 'navratnas'.
- ❖ He learned music from Swami Haridas.
- He composed ragas such as Raga Malhar and Raga Deenak



Sir Syed Ahmad Khan:

- ❖ He was a social reformer in British India.
- He worked hard towards improving the lives of poor people and women.
- ❖ He laid stress on the education of the masses.
- ❖ He laid the foundation of Aligarh Muslim University.



Name the following:

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(iii)

(iv)

Rabindranath Tagore:

- ❖ He was a poet, writer, musician and philosopher.
- ❖ He was awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1913 for Gitanjali.
- ❖ He composed our national anthem-Jana Gana Mana.
- He developed his own style of music called Rabindra Sangeet and a new dance form Rabindra Nritya.
- ❖ He started an educational institution in 1902 called Shantiniketan, now known as Visva-Bharati University.
- ❖ He wrote nearly 50 books and more than 3000 poems.

WORKSHEET

(i)Name one raga composed by Tansen:
(ii)Person who laid the foundation of Aligarh Muslim University:
(iii)Name the educational institution started by Rabindranath Tagore:
(iv)Person who was among the 'navratnas' of Akbar:
(v)Year in which Rabindranath Tagore got Noble Prize:
Match the following:

(a) Gitanjali

(c) 1902

(b) Swami Haridas

(d) Chandragupta II

Note: Paste these notes in notebook.

Shantiniketan

Rabindranath Tagore

Tansen

Kalidas

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