



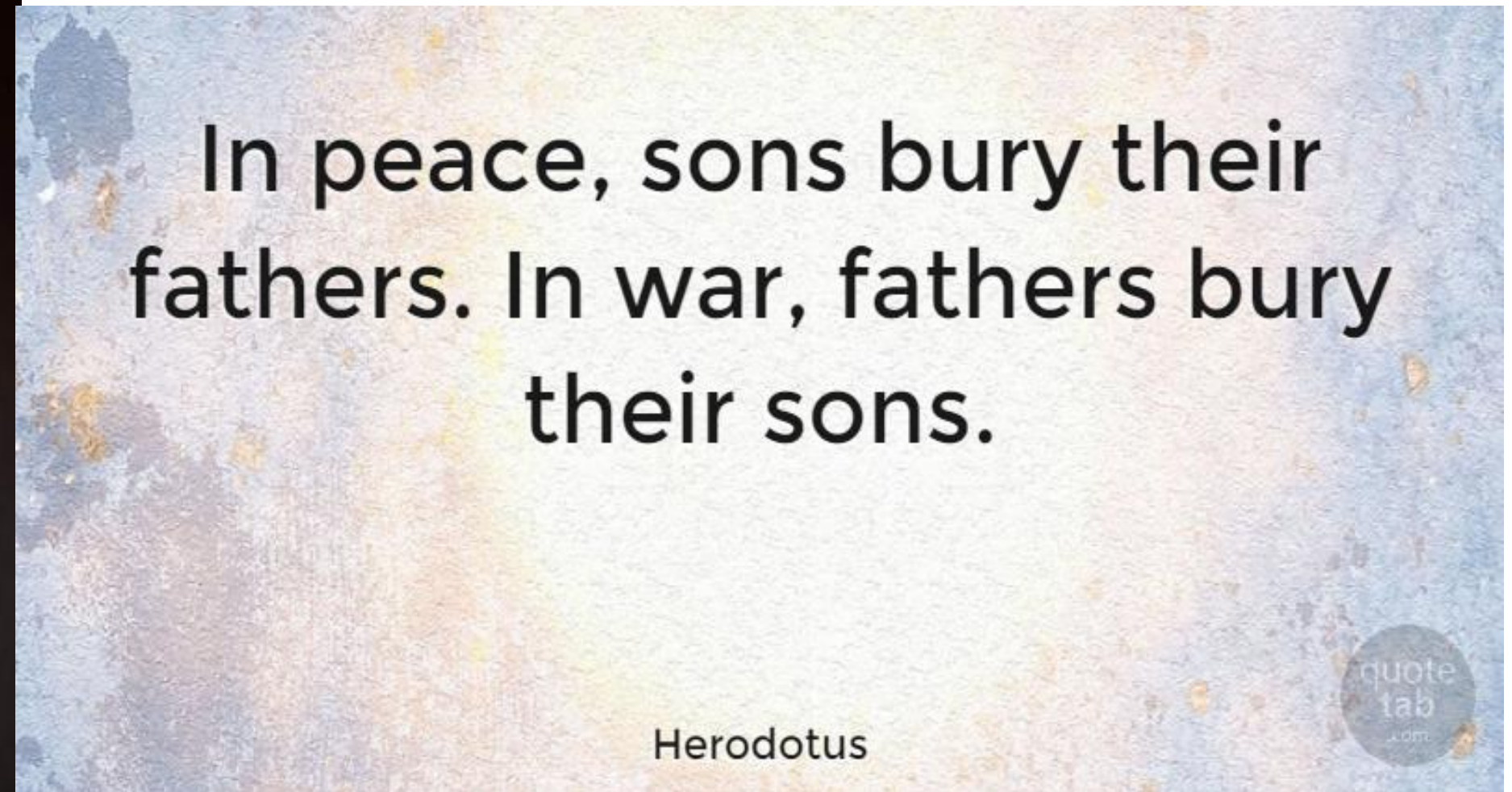
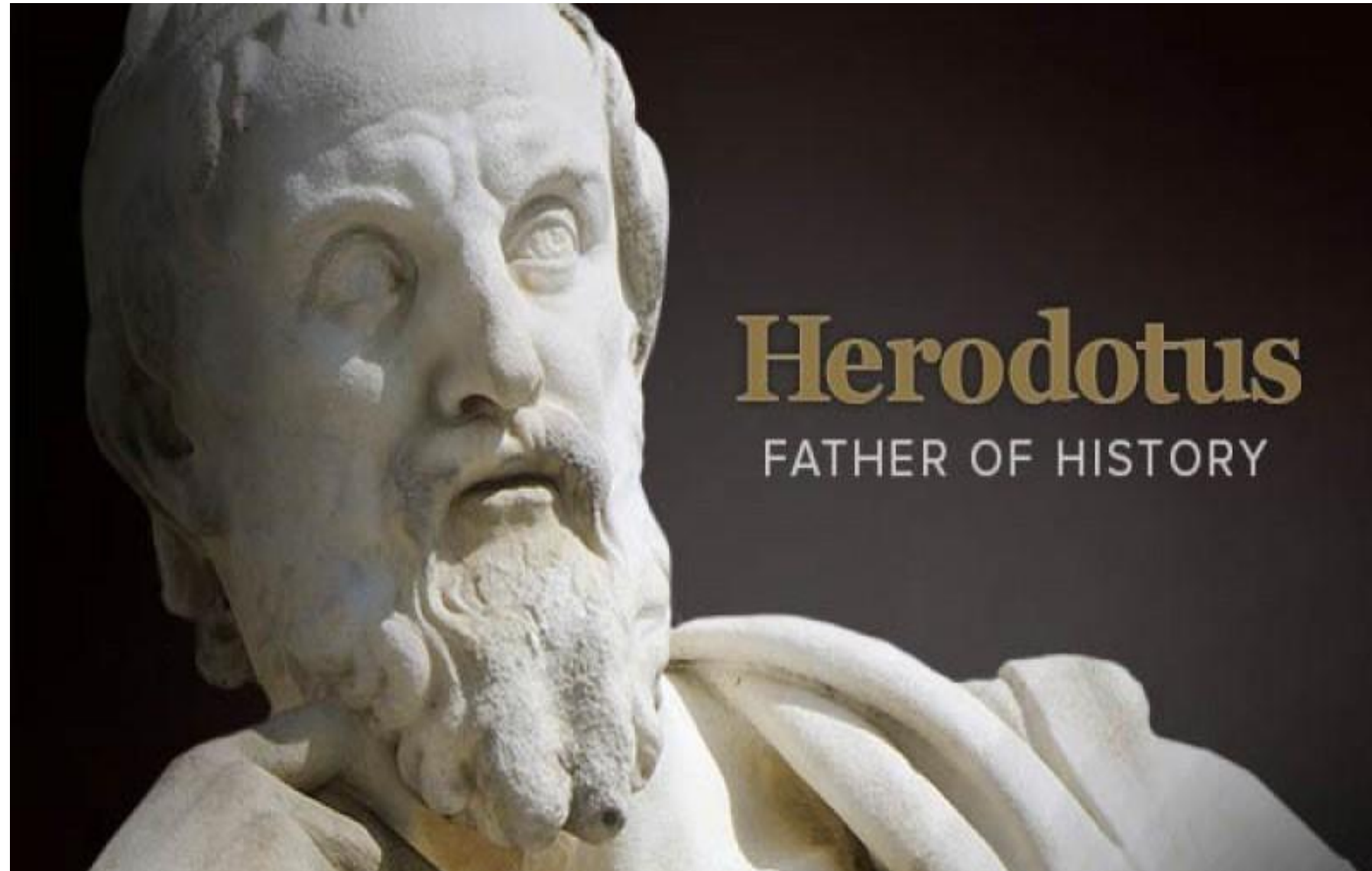
**GRADE-VI
HISTORY
CHAPTER-1
STUDYING THE PAST**

What is History?



WHAT IS THE MEANING OF THE TERM **history**

... and how to pronounce it ?



HISTORY HAS DIFFERENT MEANINGS

Source: Passingham, Steve, (1995: 8)

History is the record of our past prepared by historians

History is everything that happened

History is the bridge connecting the past with the present and pointing to the future

History is knowing about the past to give meaning to the present and hope for the future

History is concerned with our roots and the relationships of our roots to the present

History is an investigation and interpretation of the past

History is the record of the changing lives of people through time

FACTS
Names | Dates
Facts | Events

CRITICAL THINKING
Disciplinary Thinking
Evidence | Causation
Significance | Accounts
Empathy

What makes the history/past
we teach usable?

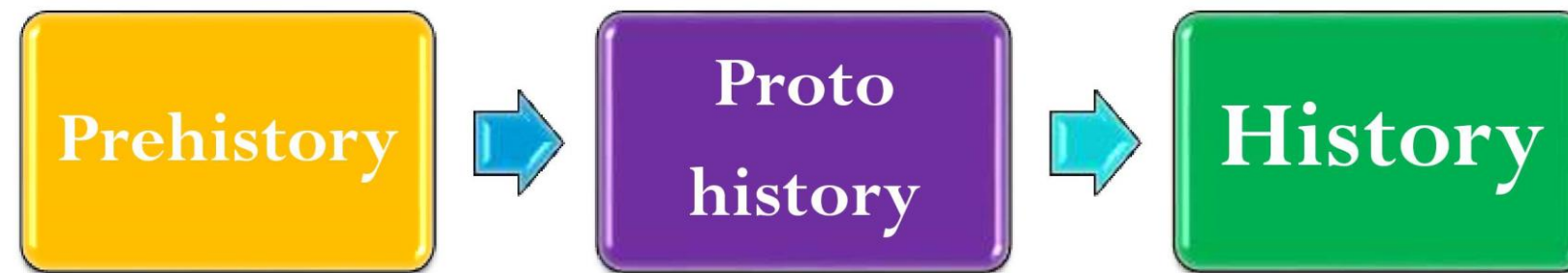
HISTORICAL CONSCIOUSNESS
Meaning-Making | Story Narrative
Overarching Frames | Big Problems



Time and Dates

- **Historians have divided the past into three broad time periods to make the study more convenient:**

Classification of History



Navya Rai

ARCHEOLOGY

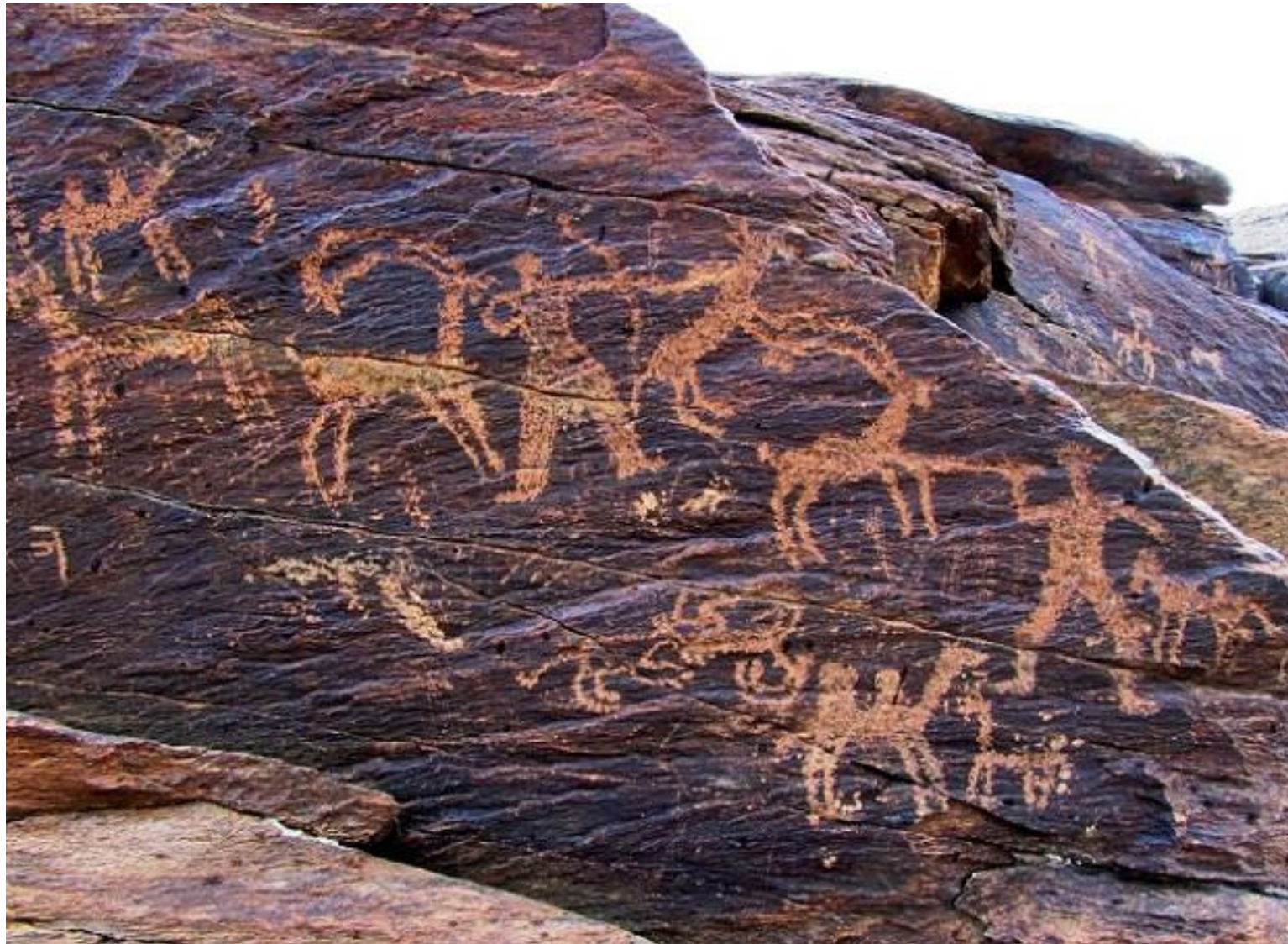


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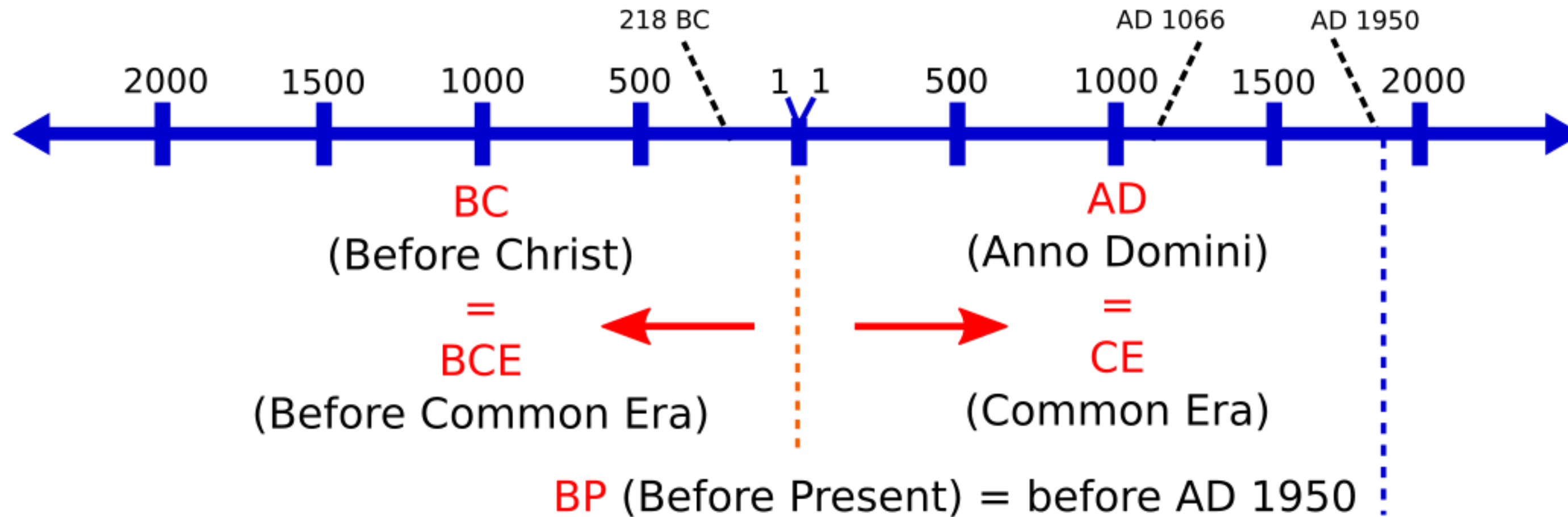




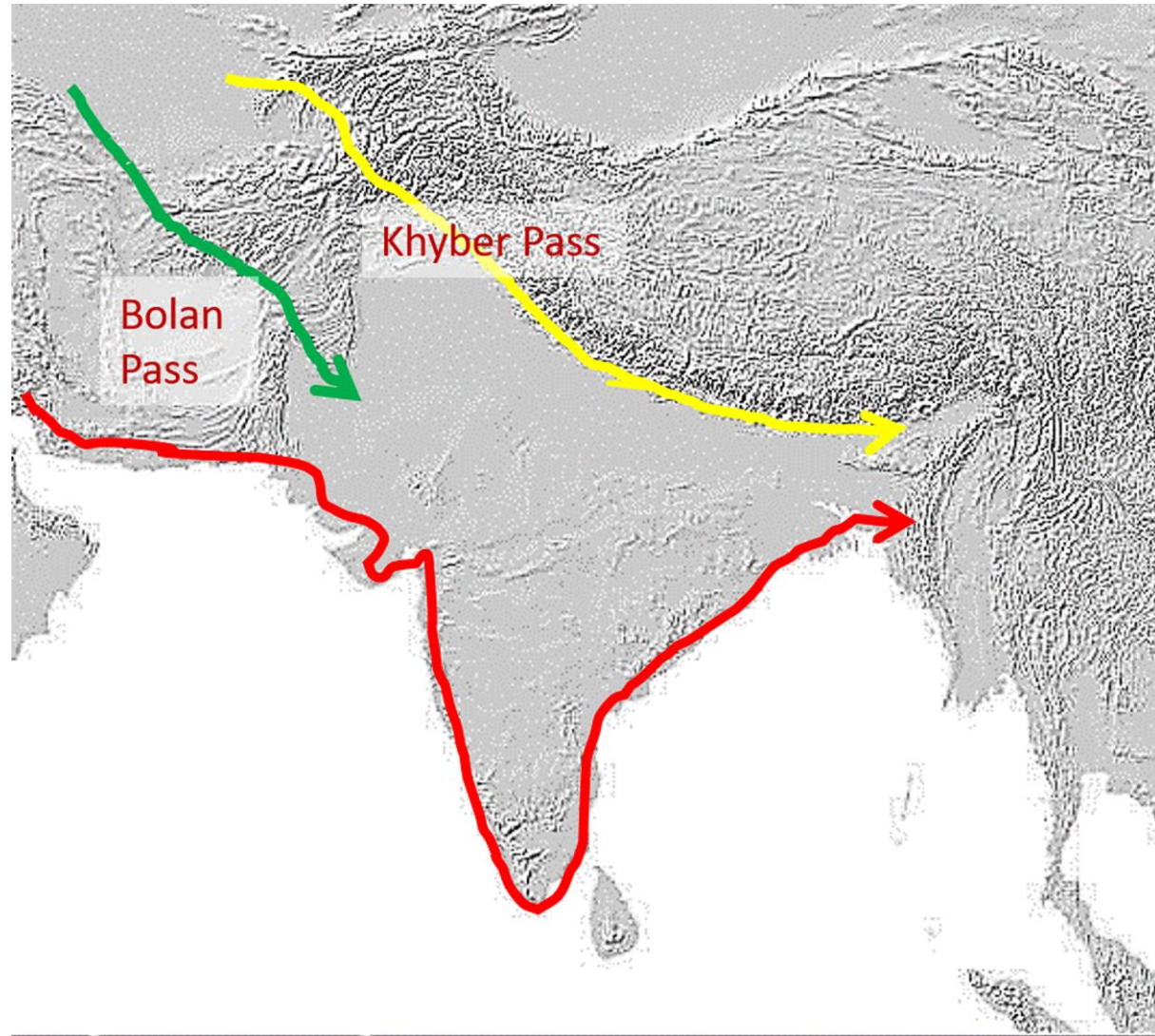
B.C. does stand for
“before Christ,” but A.D.
actually stands for the
Latin phrase anno
domini, which means “in
the year of our Lord.”

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Questions.org

BC - BCE and AD - CE Terms



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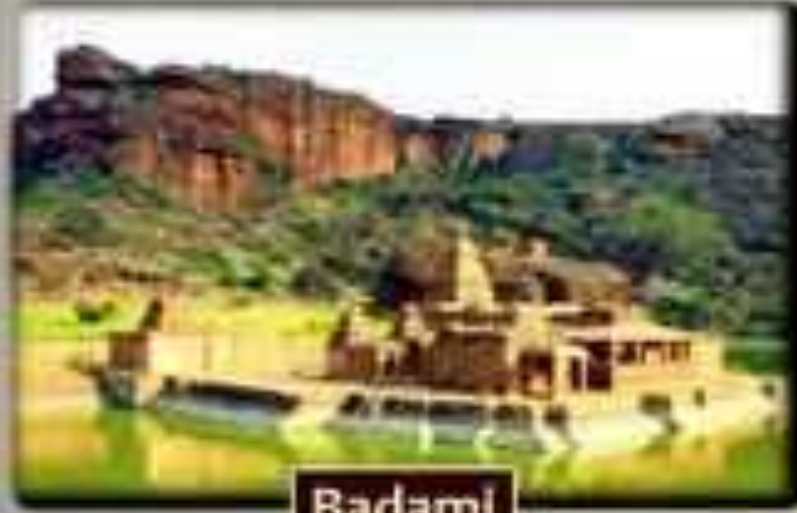


Why did they settle there?

- Fertile land
- Available food and water
- Protection from invaders
 - Hindu Kush
 - Himalayan Mountains
 - Bay of Bengal
 - Arabian Sea

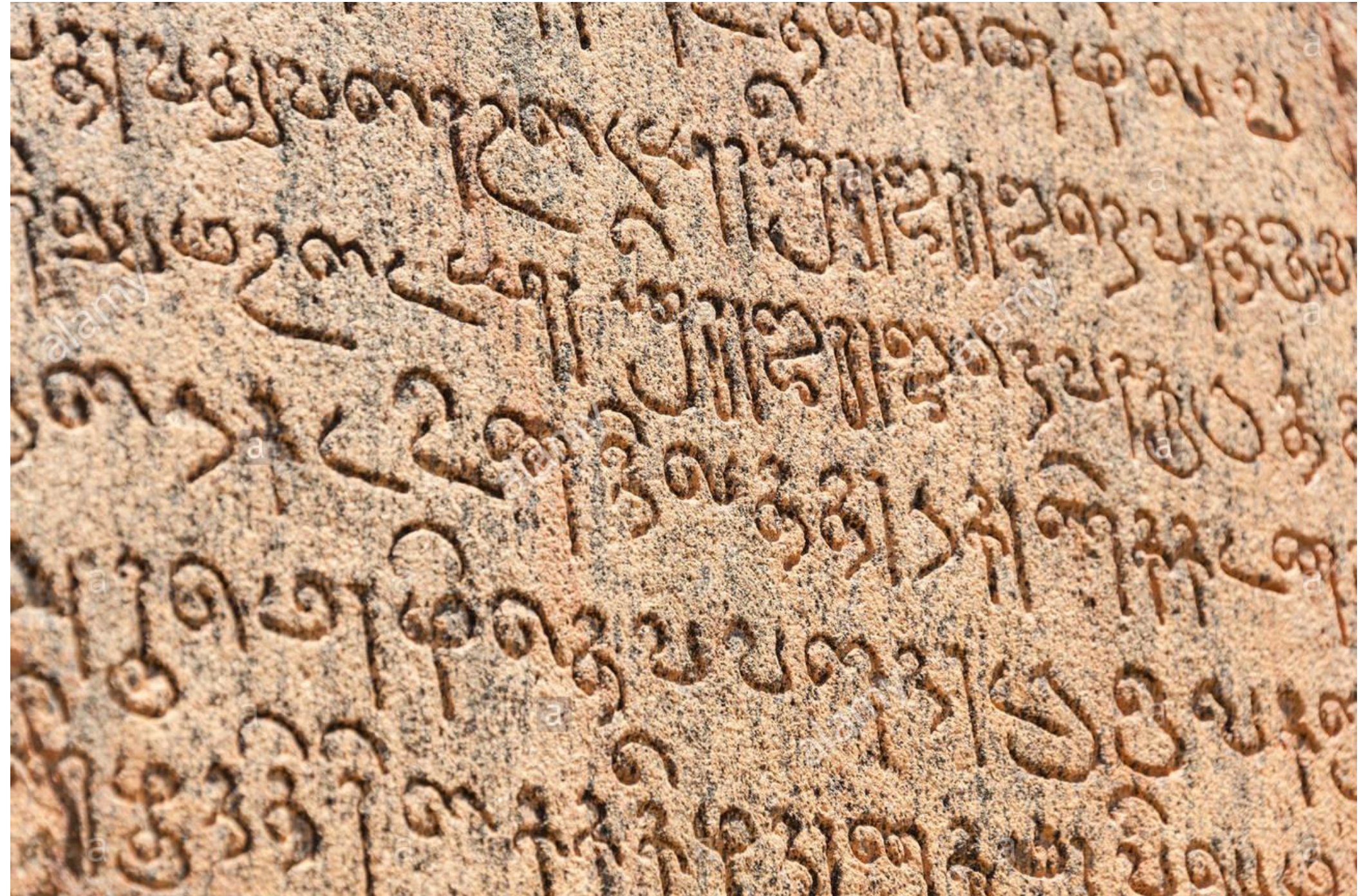
The Sources of Indian History



Study of Monuments and Ruins

 <p>Asoka's Pillars</p>	 <p>Ajanta Caves</p>	 <p>Ellora Caves</p>	 <p>Elephanta Caves</p>
 <p>Badami</p>	 <p>Aihole</p>	 <p>Pattadakal</p>	

INSCRIPTIONS



COINS OF ANCIENT INDIA



BAHAWALPUR



GWALIOR



HYDERABAD



JODHPUR



MEWAR

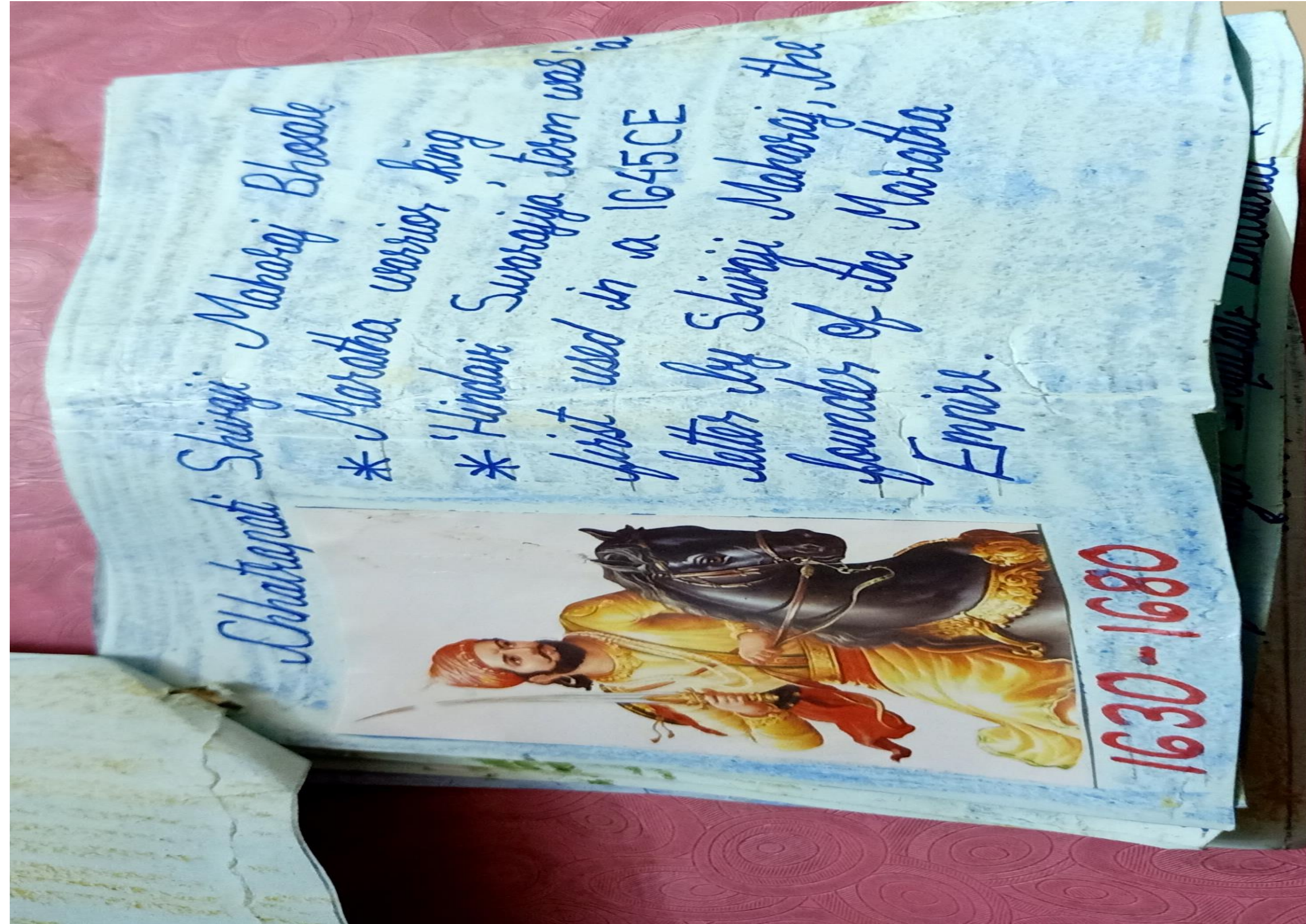


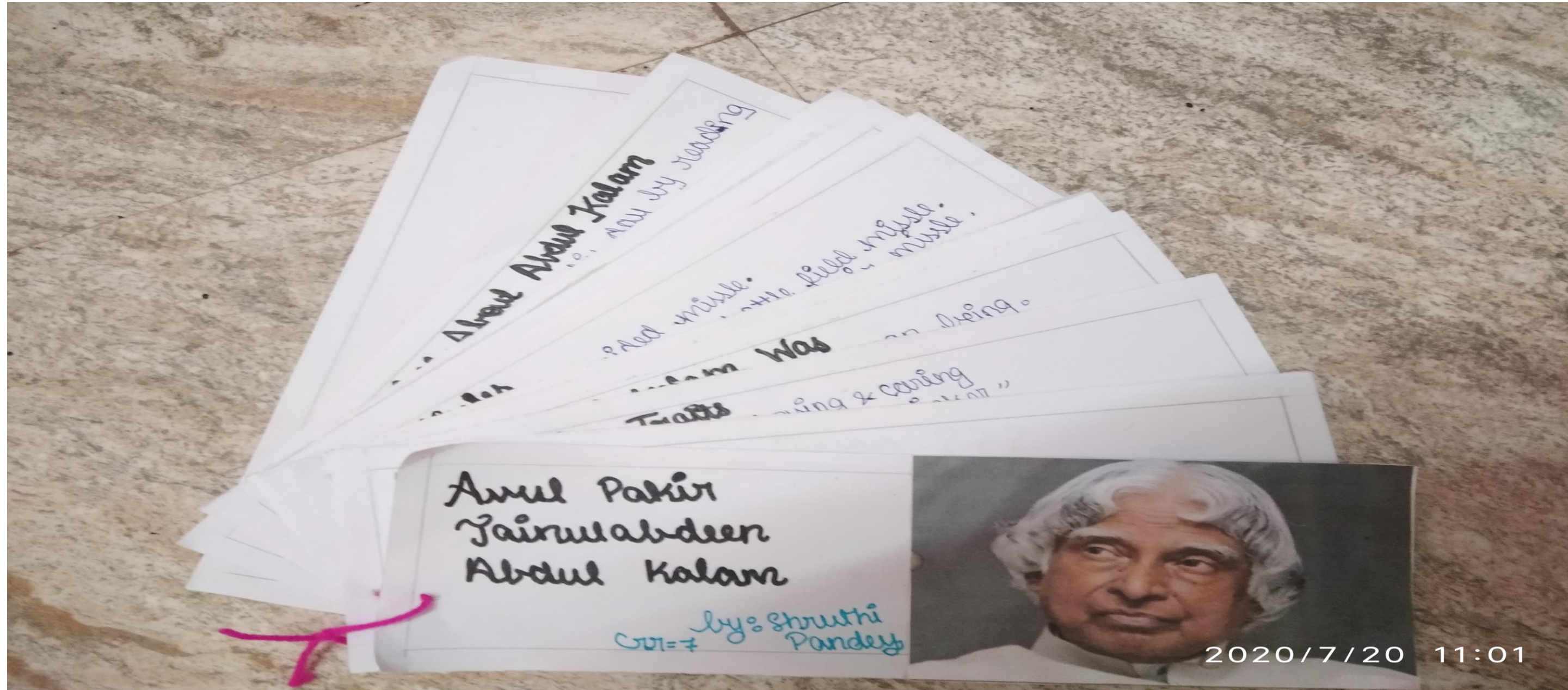
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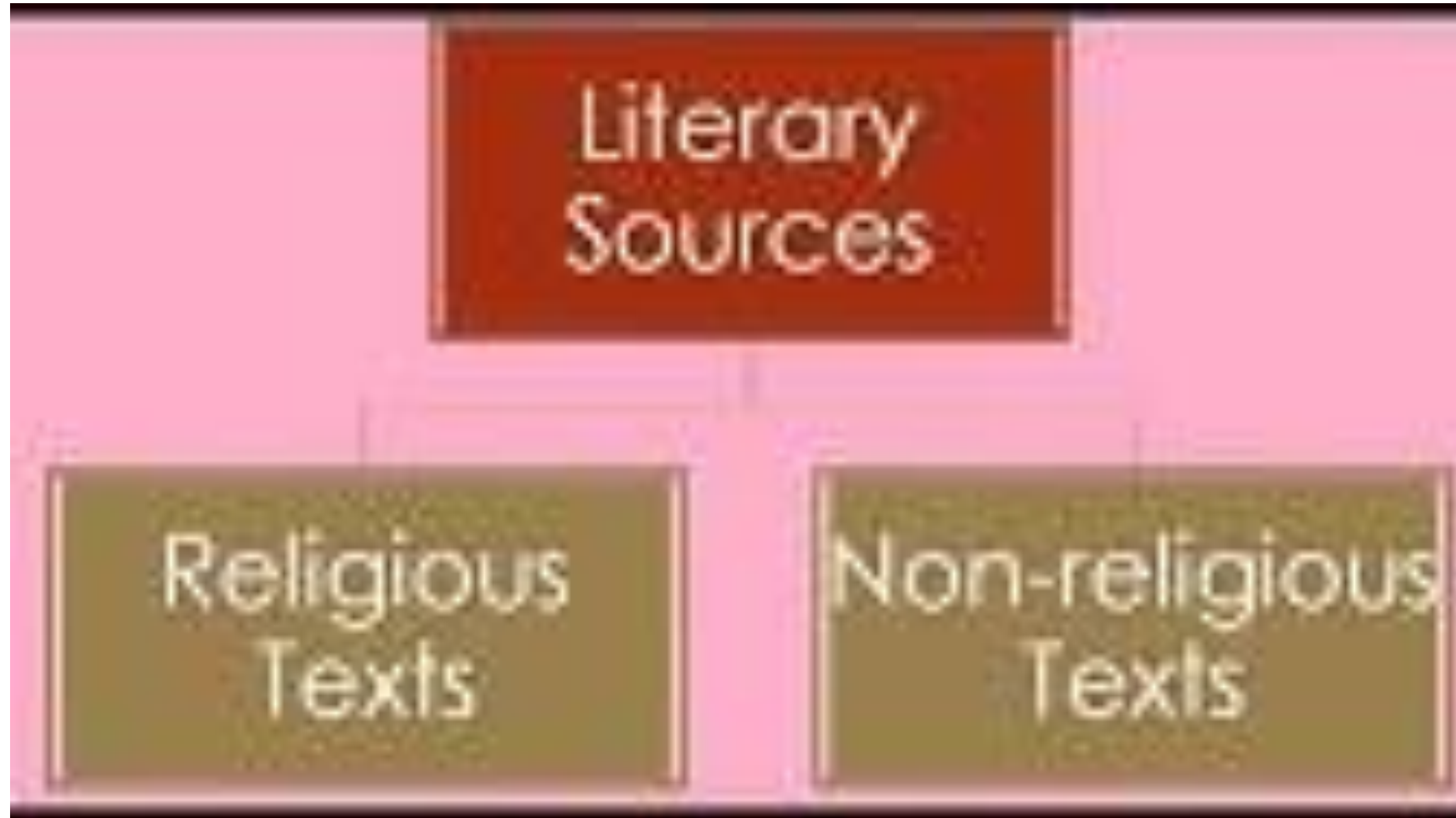
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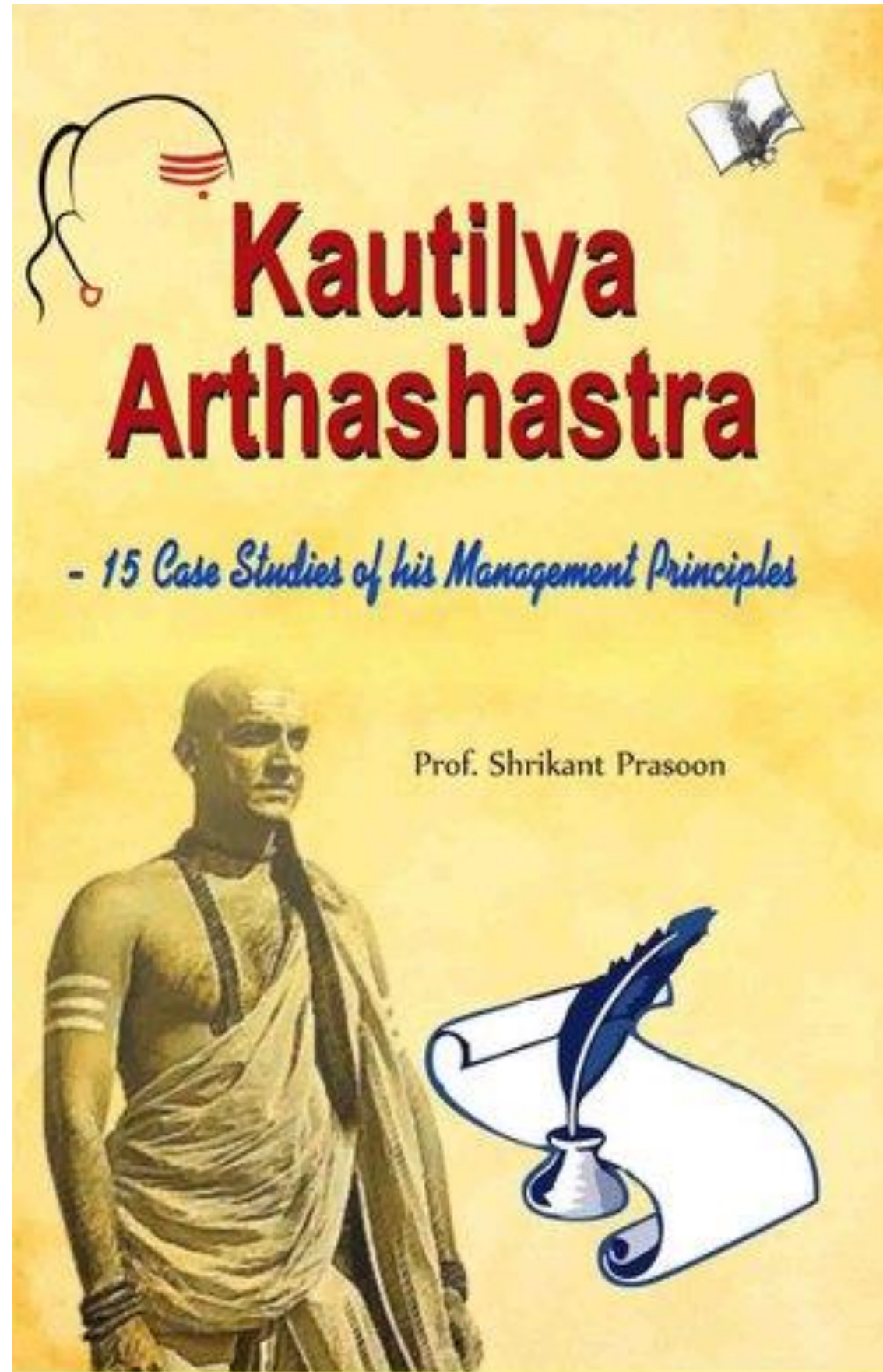


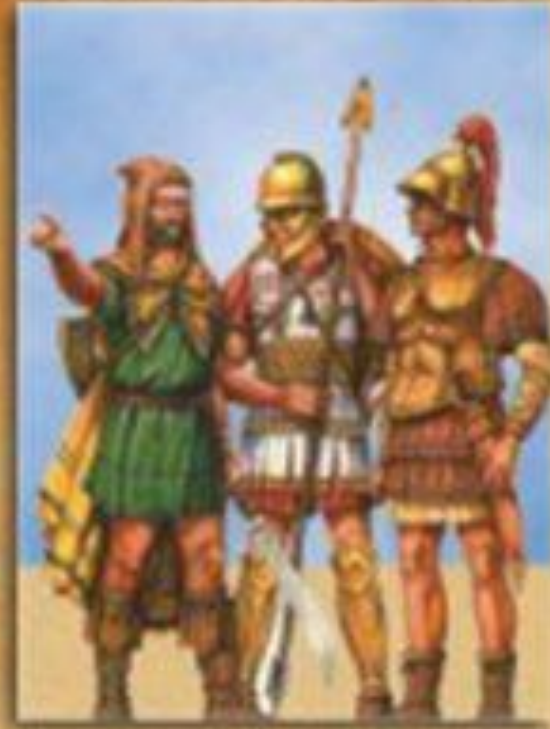










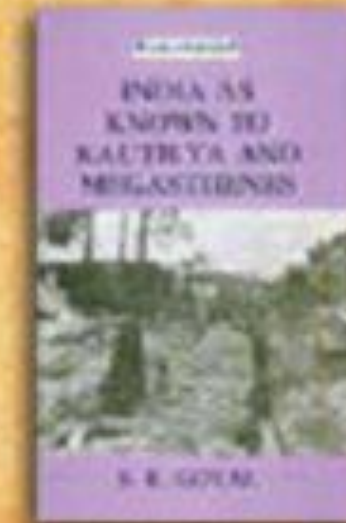


Megasthenes
300 BCE
Greek Ambassador



at
Court of
Chandragupta

“ the whole country is under tank based irrigation systems and is very prosperous because of the double harvests which they are able to reap each year.”



Indika

**DESIGN A MANUSCRIPT DEPICTING ANY
INCIDENT OF THE
PREHISTORY/PROTOHISTORY/HISTORY.**

REFERENCES:

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