

**WORK SHEET
SECOND TERM
SUBJECT- SOCIAL SCIENCE
LESSON 7- CRAFTS AND INDUSTRIES
CLASS- VIII**

I. Fill in the blanks:

1. The term chintz is derived from the Hindi term.....
2. India's first modern cotton mill was established inin 1854.
3. The famous Damascus swords of Tipu Sultan were made of
4. The Tribes of central India were iron smelters.

II Tick the correct answer.

- A. Which of the following was not a weaver community?
a) Tanti b) Kaikkolar c) Saliyar d) Rangrez
- B. The Calico Act of 1721 was passed to
(a) Promote the import of Indian calicos into England
(b) help English traders buy calicoes and chintz
(c) ban the use of Indian calicoes in England
(d) Popularize the use of Indian calicoes and chintz
- C. The British in India took no interest in developing
(a) coal mining (b) the steel industry (c) the jute industry (d) railways
- D. Sakchi was an ideal site for a steel plant because
(a) it was in India
(b) it was close to sources of the required minerals and water
(c) its people wanted a steel plant to be set up there
(d) it was the only place Jamsetji Tata could get

III Define the following:

- a. Bandhani
- b. Calico
- c. Deindustrialization
- d. Jamdani

IV. Give reasons for the following.

- (a) TISCO flourished during the First World War
- (b) Iron smelting in India declined under British rule.

V. Answer the following:

1. What was traded under the name piece goods?
2. Mention any two inventions that contributed to the Industrial Revolution in Europe.
3. What was wootz steel?
4. How did the agents of the English East India Company financially ruin the Indian cloth makers?
5. How did the Charter Act of 1813 cause deindustrialization?
