

Sangam SKM College Nadi – 2021

Year 9 Social Science

Worksheet 1 – Week 2

Answers

1. Give a reason why the Indians first came to Fiji?
The idias came to Fiji during indenture system to work in the sugarcane farms.
2. Why has the caste system disappeared slowly in Fiji?
According to Indian caste system Indians were not allowed to mingle with other caste people, mostly the higher-class people were to allowed to mingle with the lower class. When the Indians were coming to Fiji they mingle with each other in the ship due to that the caste system broke down.
And also British were not following the caste system and they treated everyone as the laborer's thus everyone was working and staying together as laborers in Fiji.
3. Identify and describe the caste that is still practiced in Fiji.
The caste system is not practiced today in Fiji.
4. State the differences and similarities between the Indian Caste system and I-taukei Social System.
In a traditional i-Taukei society, the people are led by the chief or Turaga who, in the past happened to be the strongest, powerful and could defeat his fellowmen in fights. Thereafter, his descendants also became chiefs or leaders.
Therefore in Indian caste system, people are strictly divided according to birth and occupation. The Brahmins were of the highest caste while the Shudras were of the lowest caste
5. Identify your social status and describe your roles and responsibilities.
 - Student –
Role- to interact with other students, teachers in school. Learn.
Responsibility- Come to school regularly.

(note- students can also right answers as son, grandson, sibling)

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Solution- Week 1

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1. Explain why regional agencies were established and two of its objectives.

- ✓ Regional Agencies were established to focus on issues in the Pacific Region.
 - 1.] To further economic development and regeneration;
 - 2.] To promote business efficiency and competitiveness;

2. State the contribution made by USP to the Pacific region and where is its main campus located?

- ✓ University of the South Pacific **provides tertiary and higher education** to the Pacific region to meet the training and the development needs of the newly emerging island states of the Pacific and to strengthen institutional capacity in the region.
- ✓ Headquarters in Suva Fiji.

3. Explain the major function of the Forum Fisheries Agency (FFA).

Function

a.] It protects and conserves the marine resources of the member nations. It gives each island country the right to enforce the 200-mile Exclusive Economic Policy that arose from the law of the Sea Conference