

## Class-VI

### BGS: Chapter-1

#### History of Bangladesh

##### Creative Question (from revision worksheet):

1. Country 'A' was born in 1947. But the country was divided into two parts by a distance of about 1200 miles. One part was East part and other part was west part. The capital of country 'A' was in west. East part emerged as an independent country through a war with west part in 1971.

- a) Who was the founder of Pala dynasty?
- b) Explain the agriculture of ancient Bangladesh.
- c) Discuss the reason behind the war indicated in the stem.
- d) "In exchange of so much blood and supreme sacrifice east part achieved their independence". Evaluate the statement.

##### Answer:

- a) 'King Gopal' was the founder of Pala dynasty.
- b) In ancient age, agriculture was the main economic power of Bangladesh.

Bangladesh was surplus in agriculture. In that period, paddy was the main crop. Bangladesh had fame for the cultivation of sugarcane, cotton mustard seed and betel-leaf. Some fruits like coconut, mango, jackfruit, banana etc. were also remarkable agricultural product.

- c) In the stem, the liberation war of Bangladesh has been indicated.

Pakistan was born in 1947 and it has two parts. But East Pakistan did not get the taste of freedom and they declared liberation war against West Pakistan for various types of discrimination between East and West Pakistan. Like\_\_

Political discrimination: The capital of Pakistan was in West Pakistan and power was also in their hand.

Cultural discrimination: West Pakistanis had tried to destroy Bangla language, literature and culture.

Economic discrimination: The Pakistani rulers enjoyed unilateral power and damaged our economy.

For these types of discrimination towards the East Pakistan, the people of East Pakistan began to get united against West Pakistani rulers and started liberation war.

d) In the stem, the East part is our Bangladesh.

Bangladesh achieved their victory at 16 December, 1971. But the war started at 26 March, 1971 under the leadership of "Bangabandhu Sheikh MujibarRahman". At the night of 25 March, Pakistani army attacked the sleeping people of Bangladesh with heavy tanks and artillery and committed genocide at random. Under the leadership of Awami league "Mujib Nagar Government was formed who organized the liberation war. People from all levels including police, EPR members, farmers, workers and students joined the liberation war. In the massacre of Pakistani army 30 lac people attained martyrdom during liberation war.

In the stem, Country 'A' was born in 1947. But the country was divided into two parts. East part emerged as an independent country through a war with west part in 1971.

From above discussion, now we can say that, in exchange of so much blood and supreme sacrifice east part achieved their independence. In one side there is sorrow of deaths and there is joy of achieving an independent country.

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