

1-4 Diversity in India

New words.

1. diversity
2. appreciation
3. inclusive
4. intricate
5. embroidery
6. Chikankari
7. Kanjeeravaram
8. entrepreneur
9. cuisine
10. tourism
11. tapestry
12. tradition
13. embracing
14. artisans
15. Kanchipuram
16. technique
17. craftsmanship
18. culinary
19. hospitality
20. harmonious
21. accessibility
22. architecture

Define

1. Handloom : A machine for weaving cloth operated by hand.
2. Embroidery : It is the art of decorating fabric with needle and thread.
3. Adaptation : It is a process by which organisms change to survive in their environment.
4. Architecture : The art or practice of designing and constructing buildings.
5. terrain : It refers to the shape and features of the land like mountains, plains and valleys.

Answer these questions:

Q1. What do you understand by cultural diversity?

Ans. Cultural diversity means having many different types of cultures in a country like India.

Q2. Why should we appreciate cultural diversity?

Ans. We should appreciate this diversity so that we learn to respect and accept each other. It helps us make strong bond with people from different communities and understand their unique ways of living life.

Q3. Are Kalamkari and Phulkari techniques the same? Justify.

Ans. No, both the techniques are not same.

Kalamkari - It is a form of hand-painted or block painted textile art. It involves drawing intricate designs using natural dyes and a pen-like tool called Kalam. It is in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana.

Rhulkari - It is traditional embroidery technique where floral patterns are intricately embroidered onto fabric. It is ^{an embroidery technique from} in Punjab.

Q.4. How is India's cultural diversity reflected in its cuisine and handicrafts?

Ans. India's cultural diversity is reflected in its cuisine and handicrafts with regional variations.

Cuisine

1. Makki di roti and sarson da saag - Punjab
2. Papaya Khari - Assam
3. Appam - Kerala
4. Litti Chokha - Bihar
5. Misal Pav - Maharashtra
6. Dal Bati Churma - Rajasthan

Handicrafts

1. Chikan kari - Lucknow
- 2) Phulkari - Punjab
- 3) Kantha - West Bengal
- 4) Kalamkari - Andhra Pradesh
Telangana
- 5) Batik - West Bengal,
Tamil Nadu
- 6) Tie and Dye - Gujarat, Rajasthan

Q.5. How does terrain and climate affect diversity in India? (HOTS)

Ans India's diverse terrain and climate have shaped distinct cultures, languages and ecosystems across regions and traditions contributing to its rich and complex cultural tapestry.

Give Reason —

1. Cultural Diversity is essential.

Ans. This diversity is essential because it helps us learn new things from each other, makes our communities stronger and allows us to appreciate the beauty of various cultures around the world.

2. India is a diverse country.

Ans. India is a diverse country because people from different backgrounds live together, celebrate festivals from various religions, enjoy delicacies from different regions and speak many languages.

Map Skill

* Locate the state which are famous for the following handicrafts.

1) Batik

2) Phulkari

3) Chikankari

4) Kalamkari

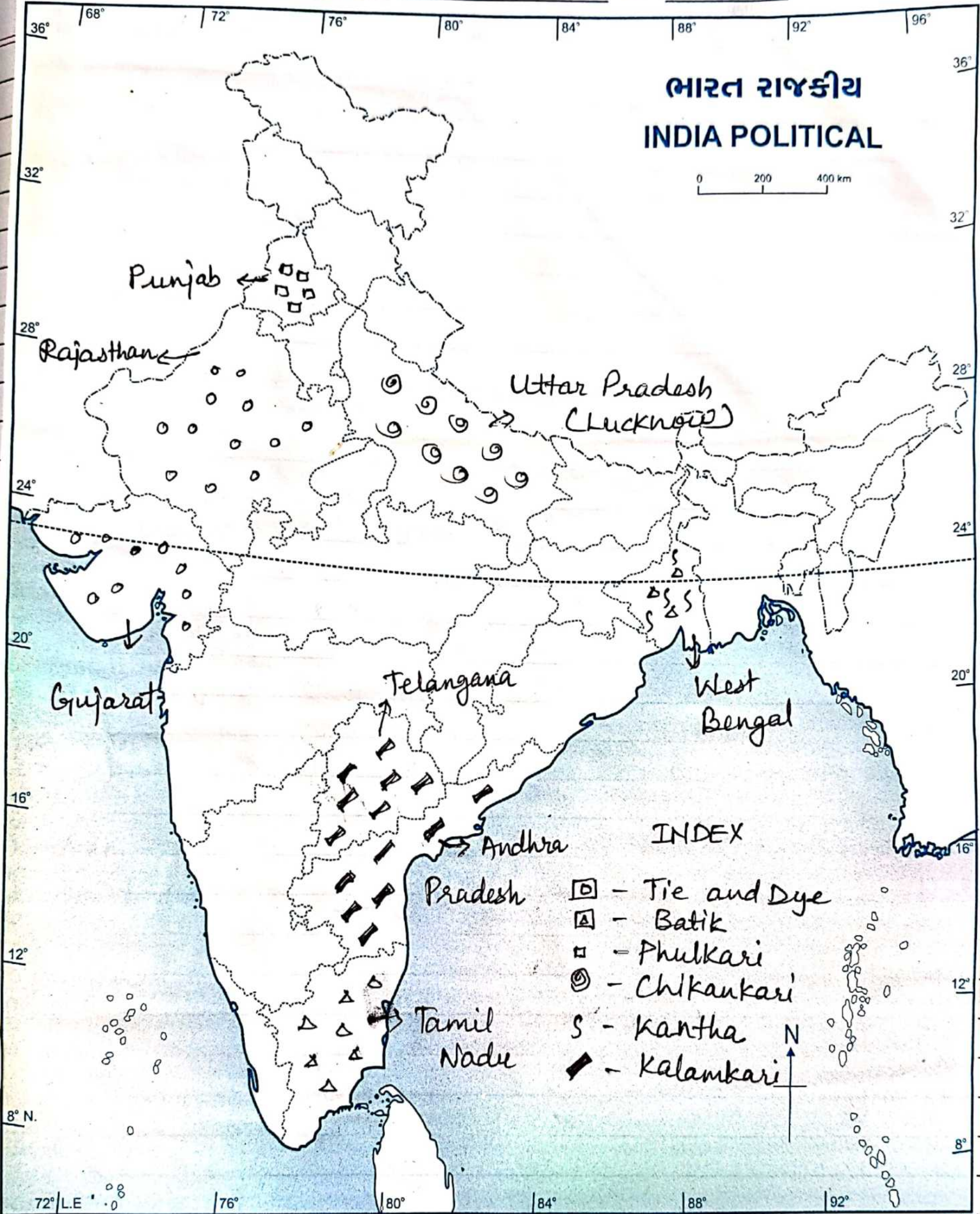
5) Kartha

6) Tie and Dye

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