

Hello friends,

Monuments are important because of their historical, political, cultural and symbolic significance. Thus it becomes obligatory to preserve and protect the monuments.

We discussed in the class on various ways in which our treasure can be preserved and protected. Few of the ways are :-

1. Public awareness :-

Masses should be made aware on the historical and cultural significance of the monuments. Government authorised guides who can help to create awareness among the common people should be employed.

2. Physical barriers :-

Physical barriers between the monuments and the visitors will reduce damage to the monuments.

3 Proper maintenance :-

The monuments should be maintained properly and regularly to increase its beauty and shelf life. It includes external painting and rust removing.

4 A study should be conducted on possible pollution hazards, wind direction and rain intensity and such other natural parameters and chalk out a scientific way to retard deterioration.

5 Industries and factories should not be allowed to set up near monuments as their harmful smoke will affect the physical appearance of monuments.

6 Visiting hours should be increased to avoid overcrowding.

7 Arrangements should be made for proper security of the spectators as well as the monuments including CCTV surveillance.

8 Lastly heavy fines should be ^{imposed} on violation of rules and regulation set to protect and preserve the monuments.

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