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Ans. Many rivers such as the Ganga and Son flowed through Magadha.

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Ans. Gupta rulers conquered the last of the ganas or sanghas.

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Ans. Agriculture

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Ans. Vaishali (Bihar)

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Ans. Ashvamedha means horse sacrifice.

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Ans. Horse

Q8. What is the modern name of Rajagriha?

Ans. Rajagriha (present-day Rajgir) is in Bihar.

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Ans. The Samaveda, Yajurveda and Atharvaveda are the Later Vedic books.