

Q&A – City Hall

1. Which of the following functions is not currently served by the Hong Kong City Hall?

- A) Marriage registry
- B) Performance venue
- C) Museum
- D) Library'

Correct answer: (c)

Hong Kong City Hall used to house the Hong Kong Art and Museum Gallery, and the Hong Kong Museum of Art. The museums moved out of the City Hall in 1975 and 1991 respectively.

2. Hong Kong City Hall was famed for its architectural style. What style is it?

- A) Victorian
- B) Bauhaus
- C) Edwardian
- D) Greek Revival

Correct answer: (b)

The City Hall's Bauhaus style set off an architectural trend in Hong Kong, and this first multi-purpose civic centre became a landmark design for Hong Kong architecture through the 1960s.

3. The importance of the Hong Kong City Hall as an arts and cultural

centre declined when which of the following building was built?

- A) Hong Kong Arts Centre
- B) Hong Kong Coliseum
- C) Shatin City Hall
- D) Hong Kong Cultural Centre

Correct answer: (d)

Built in 1989, the Hong Kong Cultural Centre at Tsim Sha Tsui, with its larger size and better facilities, gradually overtook the City Hall to become Hong Kong's arts and cultural centre.