

THE CHOLAS ADMINISTRATION



EMPEROR - axle of State Machinery

Advised by **COMs** and other dignitaries, officials

Verbal orders → by secretary

BY RAJEEV YADAV SIR

PRINCE- actively involved in State Affairs

ROYAL TOURS → MADE ADMINISTRATION EFFICIENT

Higher Officials - enjoyed the status of **PENUNDARAM**

Lower Officials - enjoyed the status of **SIRUTARAM**

CONSTRUCTION OF **TRUNK ROADS**

Administration was DEMOCRATIC

Source of REVENUE - Land Revenue and Trade Tax

TEMPLE - Hub of social and cultural affairs, art and literature flourished.

Land Revenue - collected by VILLAGE- ASSEMBLIES

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Village assemblies supervised the maintenance of tanks, forests and wastelands.

VILLAGE ASSEMBLIES :

Group of villages - NADUS

3 TYPES of Assemblies -

- UR (Commoners)
- SABHA (exclusively Brahmins)
- NAGRAM (mechants)

