

### **Definition of Craft:**

A craft work is an applied form of art, a social and cultural product reflecting the inclusive nature of folk imagination. In other words, a craft work is mainly hand made some thing and its design depends on the artist's will. Example- Nakshi kantha, embroidery things, pottery, wood crafts etc.

### **Characteristics of crafts:**

- A craft work is an applied form of art.
- It reflects the inclusive nature of folk imagination.
- It does not bear the signature of its maker.
- It retains a personal touch of its maker.
- It is distinguished by its maker's desire.