



Barasat Government College
Department of History
B.A. Honours, Internal Exam-2021
Semester I, Core Course -I
From Early Times to c.300 BCE

Time Allotted: 1 hour

Full Marks : 20

Group A

Answer any *one* question from the following: 8x1 = 8

1. To what extent was Indians history influenced by its environmental factors?
2. Discuss the economic life of the Rig Vedic period & later Vedic period.
3. Write a note on the spread of the Printed Grey Ware sites from the Indo Gangetic watershed to the confluence of Ganges & Yamuna.
4. Describe the principal features of 'sabha' & 'samiti'.
5. What were the salient features of the megalithic cultures in India from c. 1000 BCE to 300 BCE?

Group B

Answer any *one* question from the following: 12x1 = 12

1. Assess the importance of inscriptions and coins as source materials for writing the history of ancient India.
2. Did the early Indians have no notion of History ? How did the notion of early Indian History change with the times ?
3. Discuss the geographical extent and the town planning of the Harappans.
4. Explicate various theories concerning the Aryan problem & assess their significance in Indian historiography.
5. Assess the significance of the period from 300 BCE to 300 CE in the history of Tamilakam.

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B.A. Semester III, SEC-I, Internal Exam-2021
Museums & Archives

Time Allotted: 1 hour

Full Marks : 20

Write an essay on any of the themes within 1200 words :

1. Importance of Museum in Society
2. 'International Council of Museums' (ICOM)
3. History of Museums in Indian
4. Methods of conservation, Preservation and restoration of Museum objects
5. Write an essay on the different types of archives.
6. Write an essay on the importance of archives in contemporary society.
7. What are the factors that led to the establishment of archives in modern India?
8. Attempt a comparison among archives, libraries and museums.

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2. Analyse the factors responsible for the English Civil War.
3. How 'glorious' was the 'Glorious Revolution'?
4. Analyse the patterns of absolutism in 18th century Europe.
5. Do you think that the agricultural revolution of the 18th century created a favourable climate for industrialization in Great Britain?

Group B Answer any *one* question from the following: **12x1 = 12**

6. Would you say that there was an agricultural revolution in 17th century Europe?
7. How did Europe emerge as the hub of trade and commerce in the 17th century?
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Rise of the Modern West -II



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Answer any *one* question from the following: 8x1 = 8

1. Discuss the importance of the commercial Revolution as a precondition for industrialization.
2. Do you think that the Agricultural Revolution of the 18th century created a favourable climate for industrialization in Great Britain?
3. Comment on the financial institutions and technological changes on the eve of the first industrial Revolution?

Group B

Answer any *one* question from the following: 12x1 = 12

4. Do you think that the 17th century witnessed 'crises' in their economic, social and political aspects?
5. What do you mean by mercantilism? Write a note on the mercantilist confrontation between the European powers in the 17th century?
6. Explore the different forms of absolute monarchies in European states during the 17th & 18th centuries.
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Semester IV, Core Course - 8

Rise of the Modern West - II

Time Allotted: 1 hour

Full Marks : 20

Group A

Answer any *one* question from the following:

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1. Give an account of the activities of European trading companies in 17th century Asia.
2. What led to the Thirty Years' War (1618-1648) in Europe?
3. Make an estimate of Louis XIV (1638-1715) of France as an absolute monarch.
4. Do you think that the Agricultural Revolution of the 18th century created a favourable climate for the industrialization in great Britain?
5. Comment on the financial institutions and technological changes on the eve of first Industrial Revolution.

Group B

Answer any *one* question from the following:

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1. Would you say that there was an agricultural revolution in 17th century Europe?
2. Discuss the social and political ideas during the English Revolution.
3. How far did the emergence of scientific societies and academies in the 17th century bring about a change in the institutional basis of modern science?
4. What were the cardinal features of Enlightened Despotism?
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Answer any *one* question from the following:

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1. Discuss the regional variations in European trade and industry in the 17th century?
2. Comment on the Dutch colonial enterprise in the 17th century.
3. Evaluate the development of radical political thought in 17th century England.
4. Write a short note on the concept of mercantilism.
5. Do you think that the Agricultural Revolution of the 18th century created a favourable climate for industrialization in Great Britain?

Group B

Answer any *one* question from the following:

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1. Is there any 'crisis' evolved in Europe during the 17th Century?
2. How "revolutionary" was the Scientific Revolution?
3. Did the peace of Westphalia (1648) establish the ideals of national sovereignty?
4. How far is it correct to label the English Civil War, a 'bourgeois revolution'?
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Semester V, Core Course –DSC - II
Aspects of the History of Modern South East Asia II

Time Allotted: 1 hour **Full Marks : 20**

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1. How did nationalism emerge in Vietnam?
2. How did the August Revolution (August 14, 1945) take place in Vietnam?
3. What led to the First Indochina War?
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Group B : Answer any one question from the following: 12x1 = 12

1. Trace the decline of the French colonial empire in Indochina.
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Semester V, Core Course -XI
History of Modern Europe (1789-1919 AD)

Time Allotted: 1 hour

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Group A: Answer any one question from the following:

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1. Write a note on the conflict between the Girondists and Jacobins?
2. What were the effects of the Continental System on England?
3. Why did the Industrial Revolution first occur in England?
4. What were the fundamental tenets of Utopian Socialism?
5. Write a note on the emancipation of serfs by Alexander II in Russia.

Group B : Answer any one question from the following: 12x1 = 12

1. How did the contemporary social and economic crises contribute to the political crisis of the French monarchy in 1788-89CE?
2. To what extent did the writing of the philosophers contribute to the French Revolution?
3. Make an assessment of the Jacobian Republic. Was the 'Reign of Terror' Justified?
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B.A. Semester V, CC-11, Internal Exam-2021
History of Modern Europe – 1 (1789 CE-1919 CE)

Time Allotted: 1 hour

Full Marks : 20

Group A

Answer any *one* question from the following:

8x1 = 8

1. Describe briefly the causes of success of the Constituent Assembly.
2. Would you agree with the view that Napoleon was the 'Child of the Revolution'?
3. Mention the role of Garibaldi in the movement for Italian unification.
4. What were the main features of Bismarck's Foreign Policy ?
5. What was the 'Weltpolitik' of Kaiser William-II ?

Group B

Answer any *one* question from the following:

12x1 = 12

1. How did the contemporary social and economic crises contribute to the political crisis of the French monarchy in 1788-89 CE?
2. Was the French Revolution a bourgeois revolution?
3. What was the immediate impact of the Industrial Revolution in England ?
4. Was German unification achieved more by 'coal and iron' than 'blood and iron' ?
5. How was Europe divided into two armed camps at the eve of the First World War ?

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Semester VI, Core Course -XIV
Trends in World Politics (1919 CE-2001 CE)

Time Allotted: 1 hour **Full Marks : 20**

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1. What were the implications of the Locarno Pact?
2. What led to the Nazi-Soviet Non-Aggression Pact of 1939?
3. How far was the Korean War resulted from the conflict of aims of the great powers?
4. Why do you consider the political changes in Cuba since the mid-1950's significant?
5. Discuss the impact of globalization on contemporary world politics?

Group B: Answer any one question from the following: 12x1 = 12

1. Do you think that the Versailles Settlement contained the seed of the Second World War?
2. Discuss the impact of the Great Depression on international relations during the 1930's.
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Paper V

Duration : 4 Hours

Full Marks : 100

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1. Why did the Revolt of 1857 fail?
2. What do you mean by the Ilbert Bill Controversy (1883)?
3. When and why did the Muslim League emerge?
4. Bring out the significance of the Morley-Minto Reforms (1909)
5. What was the significance of the Lucknow Pact?
6. What were the proposals of the Cabinet Mission?
7. Write a short note on the Telengana Movement.
8. Write a short note on 'Green Revolution'?

Group B : Answer any four of the following questions:

20 x 4 = 80

1. Do you agree with the view that the participation of peasants provided the link between the military mutiny and the rural uprisings in India in 1857?
2. How did the Aligarh Movement seek to reform Muslim society in India? Would you call it modernist?
3. What was the social base of the Moderates? Evaluate their contribution to Indian National Movement between 1885 & 1905.
4. Examine the different trends in the Swadeshi Movement in Bengal.
5. Analyse the rise of Gandhiji in Indian politics. How did Gandhiji give a new look to the Indian National Movement?
6. Trace the growth of working class movement in India between 1919 and 1939.
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8. Was the partition of India in 1947 inevitable?
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Semester VI, Core Course -XIV

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Group A

Answer any *one* question from the following: 8x1 = 8

1. Explain the impact of the rise of the Third Reich on European balance of power.
2. Discuss the domestic policy of Mussolini.
3. How far was the Suez crisis a product of Arab nationalism?
4. Discuss the impact of globalisation on contemporary world politics.
5. What did the 9/11 terrorism attack signify in world politics?

Group B

Answer any *one* question from the following: 12x1 = 12

1. "Peace Settlement of 1919 contained the seeds of its destruction." Elucidate.
2. How did the French search for security affect European diplomatic relations during the inter-war period ?
3. Discuss the impact of the Great Depression on international relations during the 1930's.
4. Would you argue that the Cold War was the fallout of ideological differences?
5. To what extent was the Non Aligned Movement an attempt by the Third World to steer clear of the Russian and American blocks? Were the Non- Aligned nations successful in this attempt?

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7. Do you think that Britain and France inadequately handled the challenge of fascism during the 1930's?
8. How did Stalin seek to ensure the security of the Soviet Union till 1939? Was he successful?
9. Analyse the different political and ideological trends in the emergence of the Third World?
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5. What did the 9/11 terrorist attack signify in world politics?

Group B

Answer any *one* question from the following: **12x1 = 12**

6. How did the French search for security affect European diplomatic relations during the inter-war period?
7. Do you think that Britain and France inadequately handled the challenge of fascism during the 1930's?
8. How did Stalin seek to ensure the security of the Soviet Union till 1939? Was he successful?
9. Analyse the different political and ideological trends in the emergence of the Third World?
10. To what extent was the Non Aligned Movement an attempt by the Third World to steer clear of the Russian and American blocks? Were the Non-aligned nations successful in this attempt?

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History of India (300BC-750 AD)



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Time Allotted: 1 hour **Full Marks : 20**

Group A

Answer any *one* question from the following: 8x1 = 8

1. Critically discuss the central and city administration under the Mauryas.
2. Analyze the causes of the downfall of the Mauryas.
3. Comment on the activities of the four Buddhist councils in the spread of Buddhism.
4. Discuss the position of women in post Mauryan period.
5. Discuss the growth of literature and science in the Gupta period.
6. Write a note on the land grants of the Gupta period.

Group B

Answer any *one* question from the following: 12x1 = 12

7. Determine the nature of Ashoka's Dhamma. To what extent was this related to Buddhism?
8. Determine the political and economic importance of Kushana rule.
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Paper I

Duration : 4 Hours

Full Marks : 100

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1. Answer any four of the following questions: 5 x 4= 20
- What do you understand by Neolithic Revolution?
 - Comment on the religious life of the Harappans.
 - Write a short note on the sixteen Mahajanapadas.
 - Write a short note on Ajivika sect.
 - What is meant by Ashtangika marga?
 - How far was the contemporary economic condition responsible for the downfall of the Mauryan Empire?
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 - Comment briefly on the position of women in ancient Indian Society.

Group B :

- Answer any four of the following questions: 20 x 4 = 80
- Assess the importance of literary sources in reconstructing the history of Ancient India.
 - How were the Harappan cities planned? Describe their salient features?
 - Examine the problem of locating the original homeland of the Aryans.
 - To what extent the Buddhist and Jain religious were Protestants?
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B. A. PART-III, TEST, SESSION- 2018-19
PAPER-III

TOTAL MARKS 100

TIME: 4 Hours

Group- A (Answer any Four Questions)

4x5=20

1. a) Assess Abul Fazl as a historian.
b) Do you think that Akbar was against Islam in his later part of life?
c) Mention the differences between the rights of Zamindars and Jagirdars.
d) Explain the meaning of the terms *jama*, *hasil*, *khalisa* and *paibaqi*.
e) Classify the Zamindars of Mughal India.
f) What were the implications of the grant of Diwani in 1765?
g) What is Orientalism?
h) Briefly discuss the features of the Ryotwari system.
i) What was the Cornwallis code?

Group- B (Answer any Four Questions)

4x20=80

2. Analyse the nature of Akbar's Rajput policy. Were there any qualitative differences between his and that of Aurangzeb's?
3. Trace the evolution of the Mansabdari system from Akbar to Aurangzeb.
4. How would you explain the Jagirdari crisis of the Mughal empire? Do you think that Aurangzeb was responsible for this crisis?
5. How would you explain the rise of the Marathas in the 17th century? Was Sivaji a Hindu nationalist?
6. Discuss the reasons behind the conflict between Siraj-ud-daula and the English East India Company. What was the significance of the Battle of Plassey?
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Semester II, Core Course -3

History of India (300BC-750 AD)

Time Allotted: 1 hour

Full Marks : 20

Group A

Answer any *one* question from the following:

8x1 = 8

1. Analyze the causes of the downfall of the Mauryas.
2. Comment on the growing importance of guilds in the post Mauryan period.
3. Write a note on the land grants of the Gupta period.
4. Critically examine the growth of literature & science during the Gupta period.
5. What was the status of women in the ancient Indian society?

Group B

Answer any *one* question from the following:

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1. Do you think that the Mauryas established a centralized administrative system?
2. Why is Gautamiputra Satakarni considered the greatest Satvahana ruler?
3. Critically analyse the administrative set up of the Gupta kings.
4. Trace the growth of feudalism in ancient India. What was its significance?
5. Evaluate the rise of Sasanka in Gauda.

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B.A. Honours, Part - II -Test, 2018
Paper IV

Duration : 4 Hours

Full Marks : 100

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1. Answer any four of the following questions:

5 x 4= 20

- Examine the significance of the year 1453 in the history of Europe.
- What were the features of humanist education?
- Trace the development of map drawing in Europe in the later part of the fifteenth century.
- What is proto-Industrialization?
- How do you characterize the new merchants of sixteenth century Europe?
- Who were the Huguenots?
- What do you know about 95 thesis of Martin Luther?
- What do you mean by Copernican Revolution?

Group B :

Answer any four of the following questions:

20 x 4 = 80

- Why did feudalism flourish in Eastern Europe when it collapsed in Western Europe?
- How far did Humanism create a secular vision of life? To what extent was it reflected in Renaissance paintings and sculpture?
- Was Niccolo Machiavelli a humanist political thinker?
- In what ways did the use of gunpowder transform the art of warfare between 1450 and 1550 A.D.?
- How far were the Portuguese voyages in the fifteenth century both an episode in the long struggle of Christianity and Islam, and an attempt to reach the resources of an ancient trade in gold?
- What were Enclosures in England? In what ways did they represent a new kind of agricultural country?
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Paper V

Duration : 4 Hours

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2. What is 'Satyagraha'?
3. When and why did the Muslim League emerge?
4. Why was the Swarajya Party formed?
5. Write a short note on Telengana Movement.
6. What were the proposals of the Cabinete Mission?
7. What were the processes of integration of princely state with independent India ?
8. Why did Cripps Mission failed?

Group B : Answer any four of the following questions:

4 x 20= 80

1. Do you agree with the view that the participation of peasants provided the link between the military mutiny and the rural uprisings in India in 1857?
2. Do you agree with the view that "the theory of the deindustrialization in early colonial India is a myth"?
3. How did the Aligarh Movement seek to reform Muslim society in India? Would you call it modernist?
4. Analyse the rise of Gandhiji in Indian politics. How did Gandhiji give a new look to the Indian National Movement?
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6. Did Tebhaga Movement able to fulfill its aims?
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History of India from Early Times to c.300 CE



Time Allotted: 1 hour

Full Marks : 20

Group A

Answer any two question from the following:

5x2 = 10

1. Determine the extent of Harappan civilization.
হরপ্পীয় সভ্যতার সীমানা নির্দেশ করো।
2. Comment on the religious life of the Harappans.
হরপ্পীয়দের ধর্মীয় জীবন সম্পর্কে আলোচনা করো।
3. Write a short note on the Varna system.
বর্ণ ব্যবস্থা সম্পর্কে একটি সংক্ষিপ্ত টীকা লেখ।
4. What was the position of women in the Rig Vedic Period.
ঋক বৈদিক যুগে নারীর অবস্থা কেমন ছিল ?
5. Distinguish between Mahayanism and Hinayanism in Buddhism.
বৌদ্ধ ধর্মে মহাযান ও হীনযান-এর মধ্যে পার্থক্য কি ছিল।
6. Write a brief note on Kautilya's *Arthashastra*.
কৌটিল্যের 'অর্থশাস্ত্র'-এর উপর সংক্ষিপ্ত আলোচনা করো।
7. Write a short note on the early Kushan rulers.
আদি কুশান শাসকদের উপর সংক্ষিপ্ত আলোচনা করো।
8. Write a short note on the cultural importance of Kushana rule.
কুশান শাসনের সংস্কৃতির গুরুত্বের উপর সংক্ষেপে লেখো।

Group B

Answer any one question from the following:

10x1 = 20

1. Assess the importance of inscription and coin as source for writing ancient Indian History.
প্রাচীন ভারতের ইতিহাসের উপাদান হিসেবে লেখ এবং মুদ্রার গুরুত্ব আলোচনা করো।
2. To what extent was the Harappan civilization an urban civilization.
হরপ্পীয় সভ্যতা কতটা নাগরিক সভ্যতা?
3. How far was Ashoka's 'Dhamma' influenced by the tenets of Buddhism?
বৌদ্ধ ধর্মের আদর্শের দ্বারা অশোকের 'ধর্ম' কতখানি প্রভাবিত হয়েছিল।
4. What were the causes for the downfall of the Mauryan Empire?
মৌর্য সাম্রাজ্যের পতনের কারণগুলি কি ছিল?
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B.A. General, Internal Exam-2023
Semester IV, GE -4

History of India from 1707 CE to 1950 CE

Time Allotted: 1 hour

Full Marks : 20

Group A: Answer any *two* questions from the following:

5x2 = 10

1. Discuss the causes and consequences of the policy of Doctrine of Lapse of Lord Dalhousie?
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3. Mention the causes of the failure of the great revolt of 1857?
4. What was the Queen's Proclamation?
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Group B : Answer any *one* question from the following: 10x1 = 10

1. Do you agree with view that the Eighteenth Century was a dark age in Indian History?
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