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415101

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2023

First Semester

History

**SOCIO-CULTURAL HISTORY OF TAMIL NADU FROM
SANGAM AGE TO 1800 CE**

(CBCS – 2022 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 1 = 10)

Answer **all** the following objective questions by
choosing the correct option.

1. Arikamedu is located at _____. (CO1, K2)
(a) Tirueneveli (b) Kanchipuram
(c) Pondichery (d) Chennai
2. Adiyaman Neduman – Anchi was very much prased by
_____. (CO1, K3)
(a) Valluvar (b) Moci Kuranar
(c) Oowaiyar (d) Kabilar
3. Vinaya Vinichayam was written by _____. (CO2, K2)
(a) Agnimitrar (b) Buddhadatha
(c) Jayankondar (d) Achutha Kalappalan
4. Pallavas established Educational institution namely
_____. (CO2, K3)
(a) Gadika (b) Gurukulam
(c) Matt (d) Palli

5. The devotional song of Manikkavasakar is known as _____.
(CO3, K1)
- (a) Thevaram
 - (b) Thiruvagasam
 - (c) Mathavilsa Prakasanam
 - (d) Thirumandhiram
6. Rajendra I built a Siva Temple in his new capital at _____.
(CO3, K2)
- (a) Chidambaram
 - (b) Tanjore
 - (c) Gangai Konda Cholapuram
 - (d) Uraiyur
7. Visvanatha Nayak was appointed by _____ as Viceroy of Madurai.
(CO4, K4)
- (a) Nagama Nayak
 - (b) Krishnadeva Raya I
 - (c) Surappa Nayak
 - (d) Thiruumalai Sethupathi
8. Who was the first Sethupathi of Ramnad? (CO4, K3)
- (a) Kumara Kambana
 - (b) Visvanatha
 - (c) Sadaikka Tevar
 - (d) Muthu Krishnappa Nayak
9. Who was Ekoji? (CO5, K2)
- (a) French ruler
 - (b) Naeab of Arcot
 - (c) Maratha ruler
 - (d) British chief officer

10. Name of the British Collector who arrested Verapandya Kattabomman _____ . (CO5, K6)
- (a) Robert Clive (b) Mohamed All
(c) Cohn Jackson (d) Edward Clive

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions not more than 500 words each.

11. (a) What are the literary sources for the study of the Sangam Age? (CO1, K6)

Or

- (b) Analyse the Religious condition of the Sangam Age. (CO1, K4)

12. (a) Write about the origin of the Khalabhras. (CO2, K5)

Or

- (b) Examine the sources for the study of the Pallavas. (CO2, K2)

13. (a) Trace the contribution of the Cholas to development Tamil culture. (CO3, K1)

Or

- (b) Describe the function of Local self-Government under the Cholas. (CO3, K3)

14. (a) Discuss about the Pandya country as seen by foreign Travellers. (CO4, K5)

Or

- (b) Write a note on Muthukrishnappa Nayak. (CO4, K4)

15. (a) Estimate the achievements of Rani Mangammal. (CO5, K1)

Or

- (b) Explain the achievements of Marudhu Brothers. (CO5, K1)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

Answer **all** questions not more than
1000 words each.

16. (a) Describe the importance of archaeological Sources for the study of Ancient History of Tamil Nadu. (CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Explain about the Keeladi archaeological Excavations. (CO1, K4)

17. (a) Analyse the Socio-economic conditions of Tamil Nadu under the Pallavas. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Discuss Pallava contribution to Indian Culture. (CO2, K3)

18. (a) Trace the contribution of the Cholas to Art and Architecture. (CO3, K2)

Or

- (b) Examine the Economic conditions of the Second Pandya Empire. (CO3, K1)

19. (a) Describe the contributions of Nayaks of Madura to Art and Architecture. (CO4, K4)

Or

- (b) Point out the importance of the Battle of Talaikota. (CO4, K1)

20. (a) Write an essay on the development of Language and Literature under the British rule. (CO5, K2)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on the advent of Europe and their impact in Socio-cultural history of Tamil Nadu. (CO5, K3)

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415102

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2023

First Semester

History

INDIAN CIVILIZATION AND CULTURE UPTO 1206 CE

(CBCS – 2022 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 1 = 10)

Answer **all** the following objective questions by choosing the correct option

1. Primitive man first learnt (CO1, K1)
(a) to make fire (b) to tame animals
(c) to make a wheel (d) to grow grain
2. Which Archaeologist contributed Excavation of Kalibangan site? (CO1, K5)
(a) B.K.Thopar (b) D.Sharma
(c) Banerji (d) Luigi Pio Tessitori
3. During the Rig Vedic period, the ploughed land was called (CO2, K2)
(a) Brahmadeya (b) Devadana
(c) Kshetra (d) Payal
4. Who controlled the guilds, during the Epic Age? (CO2, K4)
(a) Mahajana (b) Vaishya
(c) Gramini (d) Shreshthi

5. During the Satavahana period, the currency was known as (CO3, K1)
- (a) Nishka (b) Karshapana
(c) Pana (d) Satakarni and Pulumavi
6. Which one of the following Revenue item was collected only in cash under the Mauryas? (CO3, K2)
- (a) Kara (b) Bhaga
(c) Hiranya (d) Pranaya
7. Name of the Chinese Traveler, whose accounts are helpful to know about the society under Harsha (CO4, K3)
- (a) Fahien (b) Itsing
(c) Marco Polo (d) Hiuen-Tsang
8. Which one of the following was an important port of Western coast during the Gutpa period? (CO4, K2)
- (a) Broach (b) Sopara
(c) Tondi (d) Puhar
9. Name of the Muslim scholar who accompanied Muhammad of Ghazni during his Indian expedition. (CO5, K4)
- (a) Ibn Batuta (b) Alberuni
(c) Amir Khusro (d) Abul Fazal
10. Idols related with Brahmanical religion have been found at (CO5, K4)
- (a) Saranath (b) Sanchi
(c) Mathura (d) Benare

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** the questions more than 500 words each.

11. (a) Give an account of Neolithic Age (CO1, K4)

Or

- (b) Explain the Art and Crafts in the Metal Age
(CO1, K3)

12. (a) Write about Position of women during the Vedic period (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) What type of Weights and measurements used by the Vedic people (CO2, K6)

13. (a) Write a short notes on Asoka's Dhamma (CO3, K1)

Or

- (b) Estimate the emergence of Trade Routes and Centers upto 200 AD. (CO3, K2)

14. (a) Narrate the Gupta Society known from the accounts of Fahien. (CO4, K3)

Or

- (b) Examine the development of Textile Industry from 400 to 700 AD (CO4, K2)

15. (a) Analyze the Social evils in 11th century AD
(CO5, K1)

Or

- (b) What do you know about Harshavardhana?
(CO5, K3)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 1000 words each.

16. (a) Critically examine the extent of Indus Valley Civilization. (CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Describe the main characteristics features of Mesolithic Age in India. (CO1, K5)

17. (a) Discuss the main teachings and beliefs of Lord Mahavira. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Elucidate on Eight fold path of Buddhism. (CO2, K4)

18. (a) Examine the changes in the production pattern during the Maurya period. (CO3, K1)

Or

- (b) Describe Alexander invasion of India and indicate its effect. (CO3, K3)

19. (a) Write down the salient features of the Gandhara School of Art (CO4, K1)

Or

- (b) Discuss how the accounts of Hiuen Tsang help us to about Indian society. (CO4, K5)

20. (a) Give an account of Gupta Art and Architecture. (CO5, K1)

Or

- (b) What is the contribution of Aryabhatta to Mathematics and Astronomy? (CO5, K1)

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415103

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2023

First Semester

History

**SOCIO – ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL HISTORY OF
INDIA FROM 1206 TO 1707 CE**

(CBCS – 2022 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 1 = 10)

Answer **all** the following objective questions by choosing the correct option.

1. In which year was Razzia removed from the throne of the Delhi Sultanate (CO1, K1)
(a) 1244 (b) 1240
(c) 1238 (d) 1236
2. Diwan -i- Kohi established by Mohammad Bin Tughlaq was the department of (CO3, K2)
(a) Agriculture
(b) Public works
(c) Rural Development
(d) Urban development
3. Who introduced the policy of Dagh and Chehra in Military? (CO2, K4)
(a) Khasru Malik (b) Firoz Shah
(c) Alauddin Khilji (d) Mubarak Khilji

4. Which of the following Sultans is known to have foundation of Agra City (CO3, K5)
(a) Bahlol Lodi (b) Sikandar Lodi
(c) Ibrahim Lodi (d) Shershah Suri
5. Which Bhakti Saint belonged to the royal family of Mewar? (CO2, K4)
(a) Andal (b) Chaitanya
(c) Mirabai (d) Ramabai
6. Every province under the rule of Bahmini Kingdom was headed by which of the following? (CO1, K5)
(a) Tarafdar (b) Afaqis
(c) Sadar -i-Jahan (d) Wazir
7. What was Bargir in Maratha Army? (CO2, K4)
(a) Infantry (b) Front liner
(c) Cavalry (d) Water carrier
8. Who constructed the grant trunk road? (CO1, K2)
(a) Jahangir (b) Sher Shah Suri
(c) Akbar (d) Shah Jahan
9. After the death of Guru Gobind Singh in 1708, the Khalsa revolted against the Mughal authority under the leadership of (CO2, K2)
(a) Guru Angad (b) Guru Amar Das
(c) Bana Bahadur (d) Guru Nanak Dev
10. What is the name of the Sanskrit grammar text that Maharishi Panini is best known for writing? (CO5, K3)
(a) Bhagavad Gita (b) Patanjali
(c) Ramayana (d) Ashtadhyayi

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 500 each words each.

11. (a) Write about the Administrative works of Iltumish.
(CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Give an account of impact of the Turkish invasion in India.
(CO1, K1)

12. (a) Write a short note on Sayyid Dynasty. (CO2, K1)

Or

- (b) Write about Art and Architecture of Lodi Dynasty.
(CO2, K1)

13. (a) Briefly mention the aspects of the Bhakti Movement.
(CO3, K1)

Or

- (b) Write a short note on Bahmini Kingdom. (CO3, K1)

14. (a) Give an account of Major Battles of Babur.(CO4, K1)

Or

- (b) Write a short note on Aurangzeb. (CO4, K1)

15. (a) Write about the development of Science and Technology in Mughal Period.
(CO5, K1)

Or

- (b) Write a short note on Mughal Paintings. (CO5, K1)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 1000 words each.

16. (a) Analyse the importance of the literary sources of Medieval Indian History. (CO1, K4)

Or

- (b) Explain the Balban's Theory of Government. (CO1, K1)

17. (a) Discuss the Economic Policy and Administration under Khilji Dyansty. (CO2, K5)

Or

- (b) Estimate the Achievements of Firoz Shah Tughlaq. (CO2, K5)

18. (a) Discuss the foreign travelers who visited the Vijayanagara Empire. (CO3, K6)

Or

- (b) Analyze the significance of indo-Islamic Architecture. (CO3, K6)

19. (a) Describe the main features of Sher Shah's Administration. (CO4, K3)

Or

- (b) Critically analyse the Akbar's Religious Policy. (CO4, K3)

20. (a) Discuss the evolution of the Sikh Community and the Khalsa Panth. (CO5, K6)

Or

- (b) Explain the Architectural development under Mughals. (CO5, K6)

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415104

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2023

First Semester

History

CULTURAL HERITAGE OF INDIA

(CBCS – 2022 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 1 = 10)

Answer **all** the following objective questions
by choosing the correct option.

1. _____ is the belief that one's own culture is superior to that of other cultures. (CO1, K1)
 - (a) Cultural relativism
 - (b) Ethnocentrism
 - (c) Xenocentrism
 - (d) Magnanimous

2. The word 'Sathyameva Jayate' is taken from _____. (CO1, K2)
 - (a) Yajur Veda
 - (b) Rig Veda
 - (c) Gopalatapani Upanishad
 - (d) Mundaka Upanishad

3. Intangible cultural heritage is also known as _____. (CO2, K2)
- (a) Living cultural heritage
 - (b) Non-living cultural heritage
 - (c) Insensate heritage
 - (d) Relativism
4. Name the Harappan City, which UNESCO declared, as India's 40th World Heritage site in 2021. (CO2, K3)
- (a) Kalibangan (b) Chanhudaru
 - (c) Dholavira (d) Banawali
5. Kanthuri festival is celebrated in which district of Tamil Nadu? (CO3, K5)
- (a) Chengalpattu (b) Tirunelveli
 - (c) Thoothukudi (d) Nagapattinam
6. Mount Abu is a popular hill station located in the _____ range of Rajasthan. (CO3, K5)
- (a) Vindhya (b) Balaghat
 - (c) Aravalli (d) Satpura
7. About which fort AbulFazal remarks, "It is situated at such a height that when looked at it from bottom to top, turban falls off from head." (CO4, K1)
- (a) Chittorgarh fort
 - (b) Kumbhalgarh fort
 - (c) Ranthombhore fort
 - (d) Mehrangarh fort
8. Sattriya is a classical dance of _____. (CO4, K3)
- (a) Manipur (b) Jharkhand
 - (c) Chhattisgarh (d) Assam

9. In which state is Sonepur the venue of one of the largest cattle fairs located? (CO5, K2)
(a) West Bengal (b) Karnataka
(c) Bihar (d) Jharkhand
10. Banganga, an annual music festival celebrated in Mumbai in the month of———. (CO5, K1)
(a) January (b) February
(c) March (d) April

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 500 words each.

11. (a) Define culture and its nature. (CO1, K1)
Or
(b) Write a note on the components of culture. (CO1, K2)
12. (a) Point out the impact of cultural heritage in India. (CO2, K5)
Or
(b) Write about the scope of cultural heritage in India. (CO2, K1)
13. (a) Give an account of Sanchi Stupa. (CO3, K2)
Or
(b) Describe the historical significance of Nalanda. (CO3, K2)
14. (a) Write a note on Tabla. (CO4, K1)
Or
(b) State the importance of the traditional handloom industry in India. (CO4, K2)
15. (a) Write a note on Buddha Purnima. (CO5, K4)
Or
(b) Explain the social importance of the KumbhMela festival. (CO5, K4)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 1000 words each.

16. (a) Write an essay on various types of cultures and their characteristics. (CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Elucidate the evolution and development of culture in India. (CO1, K5)

17. (a) Elaborate on the various features of cultural heritage in India. (CO2, K3)

Or

- (b) Critically discuss how religious pilgrimages boost regional ties and promote cultural exchange. (CO2, K4)

18. (a) Discuss the cultural importance of Varanasi. (CO3, K5)

Or

- (b) Narrate the significance of Shraavanabelagola. (CO3, K4)

19. (a) Write an essay on the Indian classical dances. (CO4, K3)

Or

- (b) Give a historical sketch of the paintings of India. (CO4, K2)

20. (a) Critically analyse how festivals mingled in the Tamil culture. (CO5, K1)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on ten major festivals celebrated in India. (CO5, K3)

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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2023

First Semester

History

HISTORY OF SIVAGANGA

(CBCS – 2022 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 1 = 10)

Answer **all** the following objective type questions
by choosing the correct option.

1. Recently, In Sivaganga district of _____, the state archaeology Department unearthed four walls which are 2,600 years old. (CO1, K1)
 - (a) Kerala
 - (b) Tamil Nadu
 - (c) Andhra Pradesh
 - (d) Assam

2. BCE is the acronym for (CO1, K5)
 - (a) Before the Common Era
 - (b) Before Colloquial Era
 - (c) Before Chapel Eternal
 - (d) Behind Christ Era

3. In which year Sivaganga District was formed? (CO2, K2)
(a) 1985 (b) 1984
(c) 1986 (d) 1983
4. How many Revenue Divisions are in Sivaganga District? (CO2, K3)
(a) 2 (b) 3
(c) 4 (d) 5
5. Keezhadi revealed the _____ era. (CO3, K5)
(a) Modern (b) Sangam
(c) Middle age (d) None of these
6. Which Palayam ruled by Marudhu Brothers _____ (CO3, K4)
(a) Panjalankurichi (b) Tanjore
(c) Sivagiri (d) Sivagangai
7. Who was called as lion of Sivagangai? (CO4, K1)
(a) Chinna Marudu (b) Maruthu
(c) Periya Marudu (d) None of these
8. Under whose protection the Velunachiyar and her daughter for eight years? (CO4, K6)
(a) Gopala Nayak (b) Oomai durai
(c) Poojal Nayak (d) Lakshmi Nayak
9. Who ruled Sivaganga District? (CO5, K1)
(a) Regunatha Sethupathy
(b) Peria Marudu
(c) Rajendra Chola
(d) Sasivarma

10. Early Tamil Literature provides evidence of (CO5, K1)
- (a) Absence of caste system
 - (b) A complex political and economic system
 - (c) Growth of Aryan influence
 - (d) A rigid caste system

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions not more than 500 words each.

11. (a) Explain the topographical features of Sivanganga. (CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) How will you narrate the profile of Sivaganga? (CO1, K1)

12. (a) Elucidate the archaeological resources. (CO2, K5)

Or

- (b) Differentiate between numismatics and monuments. (CO2, K2)

13. (a) Write a note on the contributions of Rani Velu Nachiyar in freedom struggle. (CO3, K4)

Or

- (b) State the creation of Sivanganga District. (CO3, K1)

14. (a) Illustrate the economic development of Sivaganga District. (CO4, K1)

Or

- (b) Discuss about the medical and health status of Sivaganga. (CO4, K2)

15. (a) Examine the women's position of Sivaganga. (CO5, K3)

Or

- (b) Describe village festival of Sivaganga. (CO5, K4)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

Answer **all** questions not more than 1,000 words each.

16. (a) Explain the geographical factors and their influences on the history of Sivaganga. (CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on the climate and rainfall of Sivaganga. (CO1, K2)

17. (a) Explain in detail on the Pre -history and Proto History of Keezhadi Excavations. (CO2, K3)

Or

- (b) Analyze the literary sources of Keezhadi excavations with suitable examples. (CO2, K2)

18. (a) Elucidate the roles of Marudhu brothers in freedom struggle. (CO3, K3)

Or

- (b) Explain the roles of Muthu Vaduganatha Peria Oodaya Thevar in freedom struggle. (CO3, K4)

19. (a) Explain the concept of transport and the importance of transportation in the history of Sivaganga. (CO4, K1)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on the sugar industry and solar power form of Sivaganga. (CO4, K2)

20. (a) Put forth your view points on the role of folk religion in the administration of Justice. (CO5, K1)

Or

- (b) Discuss elaborately the socio- cultural aspects of Sivaganga. (CO5, K2)

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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2023

First Semester

History

Elective : TOURISM AND TRAVEL MANAGEMENT

(CBCS – 2022 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 1 = 10)

Answer **all** the following objective questions by choosing the correct options.

1. The first tourism policy was implemented in (CO1, K1)
(a) 1980 (b) 1982
(c) 1981 (d) 1983
2. What is the full form of TERN? (CO1, K2)
(a) Tourism Emergency Response Network
(b) Tourism Emergency Regulation Netlog
(c) Tourism Emergency Response Netlog
(d) Tourism Emergency Regulation Network
3. The word Tourist was derived from the Latin word _____ (CO2, K3)
(a) tornare (b) trident
(c) toijour (d) none of these

4. Tourism industry offers _____ means of creating jobs in comparison to manufacturing industry (CO2, K3)
- (a) High cost (b) Low cost
(c) Profitable (d) Affordable
5. _____ Pricing takes into consideration the changes in price to accommodate different tourist requirements (CO3, K4)
- (a) Promotional (b) Discriminatory
(c) Mark – up (d) Follow the leader
6. Eco- Tourism is also known as (CO3, K5)
- (a) Volunteer tourism (b) Responsible tourism
(c) Ethnic tourism (d) Pilgrimage tourism
7. A travel agency is also called as _____ of tourist product (CO4, K1)
- (a) Retailer (b) Manufacturer
(c) Distributor (d) Wholesaler
8. WTTC means _____ (CO4, K2)
- (a) World Travel and Travel Council
(b) World Travel and Trade Council
(c) World Travel and Tourism Council
(d) World Tourism and Trade Council
9. With which of the following has the tourism ministry virtually signed an MOU to promote tourism as a sustainable livelihood model for the economic empowerment of women? (CO5, K3)
- (a) Travel Agents Association of India
(b) Hotel and Restaurant Association
(c) FICCI Ladies organization
(d) Both (a) and (c)

10. The international Air Transport Association (IATA) has announced the arrival at which of the following Airports of the first traveler using the IATA travel pass app to manage their travel health credentials? (CO5, K6)
- (a) Gatwick (b) Heathrow
(c) London city (d) Kenley

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 500 words each.

11. (a) Write a short note on the concept of tourism. (CO1, K1)
- Or
- (b) What are the benefits of tourism? (CO1, K2)
12. (a) What is the main purpose of travel and tourism? (CO2, K3)
- Or
- (b) What are the formalities of travel in tourism? (CO2, K2)
13. (a) List out the main functions of a travel agency. (CO3, K3)
- Or
- (b) Why is IATA important? (CO3, K3)
14. (a) Explain the aims of the Indian Association of Tour Operators(IATO). (CO4, K1)
- Or
- (b) Write about different kinds of tourism. (CO4, K2)
15. (a) How do you handle customers in tourism? (CO5, K3)
- Or
- (b) What are the main objectives TAAI? (CO5, K1)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 1000 words each.

16. (a) What are the basic components of tourism?
(CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Discuss about the scope of tourism with an example.
(CO1, K2)

17. (a) Explain the various types of Passport and Visa.
(CO2, K1)

Or

- (b) Examine the immigration and customs formalities.
(CO2, K1)

18. (a) Explain the importance of accommodation in tourism development.
(CO3, K1)

Or

- (b) What are the various types of accommodation? Explain.
(CO3, K4)

19. (a) Elucidate the functions of travel agency. (CO4, K1)

Or

- (b) Examine the origin and growth of modern travel agencies.
(CO4, K2)

20. (a) Elaborately discuss the role of international airlines in the tourism industry.
(CO5, K5)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on the TamilNadu Tourism Development Corporation (TTDC). (CO5, K5)

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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2023

Third Semester

History

CONTEMPORARY HISTORY OF INDIA

(CBCS – 2022 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 1 = 10)

Answer **all** the following objective questions by
choosing the correct option.

1. Who inaugurated Panchayati at Nagpur on October 2, 1959. (CO1, K2)
 - (a) B.G. Tilak
 - (b) Indira Gandhi
 - (c) Jawahar Lal Nehru
 - (d) B.S. Mandal

2. Ashok Mehta committee was appointed in (CO1, K1)
 - (a) 1977
 - (b) 1978
 - (c) 1976
 - (d) 1975

3. When did India test its first Nuclear Bomb successfully in Rajasthan's Pokhran? (CO2, K5)
 - (a) May 18, 1974
 - (b) May 18, 1975
 - (c) May 18, 1976
 - (d) May 18, 1986

4. P.V. Narasimha Rao, introduced (CO2, K4)
(a) Look Easy Policy
(b) Look Western Policy
(c) Look Turks Policy
(d) Look Colonial Policy
5. Sri Hari Kota Rocket Rang is located on the East Coast of (CO3, K3)
(a) Pune (b) Kerala
(c) Andhra Pradesh (d) Bihar
6. In India, The department of science and technology was established in (CO3, K6)
(a) 1970 (b) 1969
(c) 1971 (d) 1955
7. Hindu Code Bill was drafted by (CO4, K1)
(a) Dr.B.R.Ambedkar
(b) Khan Sahib
(c) Amarnath
(d) B.S. Malavia
8. Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan was launched in 2001, aimed to provide free and compulsory education to all children aged (CO4, K2)
(a) 5-10 years (b) 6-14 years
(c) 6-12 years (d) 1-10 years
9. International Anti-Corruption Day (IACD) is observed on (CO5, K1)
(a) 8th December (b) 9th December
(c) 24th December (d) 12th December

10. Which Act prescribes marriageable ages for girl as eighteen and boy as twenty one? (CO5, K1)
- (a) The Hindu Marriage Act, 1955
 - (b) The Hindu Marriage Act, 1985
 - (c) Custody and Guardianship Law
 - (d) Personal Law

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 500 words each.

11. (a) Point out the importance of Punjab Crisis. (CO1, K2)
- Or
- (b) Write in detail about the Reservation for women in India. (CO1, K1)
12. (a) What is Simla Agreement? Explain. (CO2, K6)
- Or
- (b) Write a short note on Kargil War. (CO2, K4)
13. (a) Narrate the objectives of Liberalisation. (CO3, K3)
- Or
- (b) Examine, the Green Revolution. (CO3, K4)
14. (a) Assess the Bhoodan Movement. (CO4, K1)
- Or
- (b) Narrate the challenges and progress in the Indian Education system. (CO4, K2)
15. (a) What is Regional Separation? Explain. (CO5, K3)
- Or
- (b) Write in detail about Left Wing Extremism. (CO5, K3)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 1000 words each.

16. (a) Describe the role of Vallabhai Patel for the Integration of princely status in India. (CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) Is Nehru the maker of modern India? Discuss. (CO1, K1)

17. (a) Explain the Indo-Pak relations. (CO2, K4)

Or

- (b) Narrate the Non Alignment. (CO2, K2)

18. (a) List out the achievements of first Five Year plan. (CO3, K4)

Or

- (b) Point out the formation and functions of DRDO. (CO3, K4)

19. (a) Evaluate Chipko movement. (CO4, K1)

Or

- (b) Assess the save Narmada Movement. (CO4, K2)

20. (a) Explain the impacts of corruption in India. (CO5, K4)

Or

- (b) Point out the major causes for corruption in India. (CO5, K5)

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415302

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2023

Third Semester

History

HISTORY OF EUROPE FROM 1453 TO 1789 CE

(CBCS – 2022 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 1 = 10)

Answer **all** the following objective questions by
choosing the correct answer.

1. A central features of Byzantine culture was (CO1, K4)
 - (a) Orthodox Hinduism
 - (b) Orthodox Jainism
 - (c) Orthodox Christianity
 - (d) Orthodox Islam

2. Who was the last Byzantine Emperor? (CO1, K1)
 - (a) Henry IV
 - (b) Louis XVI
 - (c) Constantine XI Palaiologas
 - (d) Maria Theresa

3. Who was commonly styled “The Navigator”? (CO2, K2)
 - (a) Philip, II
 - (b) Peter-I
 - (c) King Henry
 - (d) Louis V

4. _____ was the Birth place of Renaissance (CO2, K1)
- (a) Italy (b) Rome
(c) Germany (d) England
5. The First Bourbon king of France was _____ (CO3, K4)
- (a) George V (b) Henry IV
(c) Joseph II (d) Mary Anotine
6. Isabella ascended the Throne of castile in (CO3, K5)
- (a) 1586 A.D (b) 1474 A.D
(c) 1636 A.D (d) 1789 A.D
7. Reformation means (CO4, K5)
- (a) Correction (b) Re Birth
(c) Last Judgement (d) Marriage
8. Who lit the flames of the Reformation? (CO4, K5)
- (a) Martin Luther (b) Charles-V
(c) Julius-II (d) Leo-X
9. Louis XIV became king of France in (CO5, K1)
- (a) 1643 A.D (b) 1773 A.D
(c) 1666 A.D (d) 1526 A.D
10. Who made the German Language, the official Language for Military officers? (CO5, K6)
- (a) Peter, The Great (b) Maria Theresa
(c) Henry VIII (d) John Tetzal

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 500 words.

11. (a) Write in detail about the conquest of Mehmed-II
(CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Briefly mention about the siege of Trebizond.
(CO1, K2)

12. (a) Narrate the Renaissance in England. (CO2, K6)

Or

- (b) Evaluate the Results of Renaissance. (CO2, K4)

13. (a) Analyse the reforms of Duke sully. (CO3, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain about the Edicts of Nantees (1598).
(CO3, K1)

14. (a) Point out the causes of the Reformation. (CO4, K3)

Or

- (b) Describe the Reformation in Germany. (CO4, K1)

15. (a) Critically analyse the causes of the decline of Sweden.
(CO5, K2)

Or

- (b) Assess the reforms of Colbert. (CO5, K6)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 1000 words each.

16. (a) Explain the contributions of Byzantine empire to science and medicine. (CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Assess the culture of Byzantine. (CO1, K2)

17. (a) List out the causes of geographical discoveries. (CO2, K4)

Or

- (b) Evaluate, the results of geographical discoveries. (CO2, K6)

18. (a) Describe the basic principles of feudalism. (CO3, K4)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on administration of Philip II in Spain. (CO3, K3)

19. (a) Assess the results of reformation in Europe. (CO4, K1)

Or

- (b) Describe the counter-Reformation. (CO4, K1)

20. (a) Examine the administration of Peter, the Great in Russia. (CO5, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain the Austrian succession war. (CO5, K2)

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415303

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2023

Third Semester

History

HISTORIOGRAPHY AND METHODOLOGY

(CBCS – 2022 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 1 = 10)

Answer **all** the following objective questions
by choosing the correct option.

1. Who said “History is an account of the unchanging past”?
(CO1, K4)
(a) E.H. Carr (b) Aristotle
(c) N.Subramanian (d) J.S. Mill
2. “History is a science, no less and no more” said by
(CO1, K3)
(a) Karal Marx (b) Hegel
(c) J.B. Bury (d) V.A. Smith
3. Who introduced two principles essential for
historiography? (CO2, K2)
(a) Herodotus (b) Thucydides
(c) Hecataeus (d) Gibbon

4. The word progress means. (CO2, K3)
(a) Walk forward (b) Walk Down
(c) Walk backward (d) Sleep Walk
5. History of British India was written by (CO3, K1)
(a) R.G. collingwood (b) James Mill
(c) Karal Marx (d) Abul Fazal
6. Auguste comte, the founder of ————— (CO3, K4)
(a) Marxism (b) Positivism
(c) Synthesis (d) Problems
7. Kalhana's Rajatarangini is the earliest extant History of (CO4, K4)
(a) Bihar (b) Waranasi
(c) Kashmir (d) Delhi
8. Harsha charitha is the history of Harsha of Thaneshvar and kanauj in ————— chapters. (CO4, K3)
(a) 6 (b) 7
(c) 8 (d) 9
9. Documentation consists of ————— components. (CO5, K1)
(a) 6 (b) 7
(c) 8 (d) 5
10. ————— is an alphabetic list of all sources material to which reference has been made. (CO5, K2)
(a) A Bibliography (b) Foot notes
(c) Scope (d) Plagiarism

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 500 words each.

11. (a) Explain the uses of history. (CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Point out the scope of history. (CO1, K6)

12. (a) What are the character of Greek Historiography? Explain. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Assess the Biblical view of Historiography. (CO2, K3)

13. (a) Narrate the Positivism. (CO3, K1)

Or

- (b) Examine the merits and Demerits of Marxism. (CO3, K2)

14. (a) Explain the Alberuni contributions to medieval Indian Historiography. (CO4, K1)

Or

- (b) Bring out the recent trends of Indian History. (CO4, K1)

15. (a) What is internal criticism? Explain. (CO5, K6)

Or

- (b) Elaborate the purpose and form of Foot notes. (CO5, K6)

Part C (5 × 8 = 40)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 1000 words each.

16. (a) Discuss, History as a science or Art. (CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Explain the Kinds of History. (CO1, K2)

17. (a) Explain the contributions of thucydides to Historiography. (CO2, K1)

Or

(b) Point out the nature of Roman Historiography. (CO2, K6)

18. (a) Identify the Marx's view of History. (CO3, K4)

Or

(b) Discover the nature of Enlightenment Historiography. (CO3, K3)

19. (a) Narrate the Indo-Muslim Historiography. (CO4, K4)

Or

(b) Summaries the role of K.A. Nilakanda sastri to Indian Historiography. (CO4, K1)

20. (a) Point out the types of Research. (CO5, K6)

Or

(b) Explain the Requisites of a Researcher. (CO5, K4)

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415304

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2023

Third Semester

History

SOCIAL RELIGIOUS MOVEMENT IN MODERN INDIA

(CBCS – 2022 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 1 = 10)

Answer **all** the following objective questions
by choosing the correct option.

1. Who setup the name “Hindu College” which is today known as Presidency College? (CO1, K1)
 - (a) Ramabai
 - (b) Nehru
 - (c) Raja Ram Mohan Roy
 - (d) Gokhale

2. Select the name that referred to as the “Bard of Bengal”. (CO1, K1)
 - (a) Swami Vivekananda
 - (b) Rabindranath Tagore
 - (c) Satyajit Roy
 - (d) Sukumar Roy

3. Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar is famously associated with which social reform (CO2, K2)
- (a) Remarriage of widows
 - (b) Religious Tolerance
 - (c) Caste system promotion
 - (d) Untouchability
4. List out which community in India Jyotira Phule is known for his contribution to the Education. (CO1, K1)
- (a) Brahmin
 - (b) Dalits
 - (c) Muslims
 - (d) Christians
5. Identify the main focus of Dayanand Saraswat's teachings. (CO2, K4)
- (a) Advocating for Women's Rights
 - (b) Reforming the caste system
 - (c) Re-establishing the Ancient Hindu Scriptures as a sources of Authority
 - (d) Promoting Non-violence
6. Who among the following founded the Salt Respect Movement? (CO1, K1)
- (a) E. V. Ramaswamy
 - (b) Shri Narayana Guru
 - (c) B. R. Ambedkar
 - (d) Swami Vivekananda

7. Identify one of the earliest and the best known mutinies before the Revolt of 1857 was. (CO1, K1)
- (a) The Native Infantry Mutiny 1824
 - (b) Indian Soldiers Mutiny at Vellore 1806
 - (c) Sholapur Mutiny 1838
 - (d) Assam Soldiers Mutiny 1824
8. Who founded Sri Narayana Dharma Paripalana Yogam? (CO1, K1)
- (a) Dayanand Saraswathi
 - (b) Periyar Swami
 - (c) Narayana Guru
 - (d) Gopal hari Deshmukhi
9. Show the answer the Jagirs of Nizam's relatives were called (CO2, K2)
- (a) Razakars
 - (b) Samastanas
 - (c) Paigahs
 - (d) None of the above
10. Select the year Salt system was abolished by William Bentick. (CO2, K2)
- (a) 1825 A.D
 - (b) 1827 A.D
 - (c) 1829 A.D
 - (d) 1830 A.D

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 500 words each.

11. (a) Classify Renaissance and Nationalism. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain Socio-Religious Reforms Movement.
(CO4, K2)

12. (a) Classify the Revival of Jesuits Scholarship during the British Colonial period. (CO4, K4)

Or

- (b) Explain Khilafat Movement. (CO4, K2)

13. (a) Discriminate the depressed class movement by B.R.Ambedkar. (CO4, K5)

Or

- (b) Explain Neo Buddhist Movement. (CO2, K2)

14. (a) Define the History of Widow Re-marriage Act.
(CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Discuss the Annie Besant her contribution in Education and Indian Freedom. (CO2, K2)

15. (a) Explain the first and second struggle Temple entry movement and success. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Describe the progress of women education during Ishwar Chandra Vidya Sagar period. (CO2, K2)

Part C (5 × 8 = 40)

Answer **all** questions not more than 1000 words each.

16. (a) Explain Vinoba bhave biography and facts about the Bhoodan Movement. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Describe Swami Vivekananda's decision to attend the Parliament of Religions. (CO2, K2)

17. (a) Discuss the role of Prathana Samaj. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain about Dravidian Movement. (CO2, K2)

18. (a) What are the contribution of B.R.Ambedkar? (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain Social Reform Movements. (CO2, K5)

19. (a) Discuss about Shree Narayana Dharma Paripalana. (CO5, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain about Self Respect Movement. (CO5, K5)
20. (a) What other Social Movements did Gandhi's activism inspire? (CO2, K5)

Or

- (b) What are the Economic and Political contribution by Raja Ram Mohan Roy. (CO2, K2)
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415305

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2023

Third Semester

History

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

(CBCS – 2022 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 1 = 10)

Answer **all** the following objective questions
by choosing the correct option.

1. Identify the following considers states to be the primary actors in international relations (CO1, K1)
(a) Realism (b) Idealism
(c) Liberalism (d) Naturalism
2. List out the head quarter of United Nations organization is situated at? (CO1, K1)
(a) New York (b) Paris
(c) London (d) Hague
3. Which of the following historical event were associated with the cold war? (CO2, K3)
(a) Truman's Doctrine
(b) Cuban missiles crisis
(c) Treaty of versailles
(d) Berlin Blockada

4. We elect a US senator for how many years choose one?
(CO2, K5)
- (a) Ten (b) Four
(c) Two (d) Six
5. What is the highest court in the united states? Choose one?
(CO2, K5)
- (a) Federal Appeals Court
(b) Supreme court
(c) Circuit court
(d) International court of justice
6. When was the first common wealth took place? (CO1, K1)
- (a) 1945 (b) 1987
(c) 1905 (d) 1930
7. When was NANO founded? (CO1, K1)
- (a) 17 January (b) 4 April 1949
(c) 3 July 1948 (d) 24 November 1946
8. When did Pakistan withdraw from the SEATO?
(CO1, K1)
- (a) 1971 (b) 1973
(c) 1972 (d) 1974
9. When did Turkey Iran and Pakistan resulting in the dissolution of the organization? (CO1, K1)
- (a) 1978 (b) 1977
(c) 1979 (d) 1976

10. Who was the first chairman of the USSR? (CO1, K1)
(a) Viladimir Lenin (b) Stalin
(c) Mikbail Kalinin (d) Alexander Chervyakov

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions not more than 500 words each.

11. (a) Describe the Nature and scope of International Relations. (CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Discuss the National power and National Interest. (CO1, K2)

12. (a) Discover the theories of international politics. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Change the Balance of power and its relevance. (CO3, K3)

13. (a) Identify the determinants of foreign policy. (CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Explain Diplomacy. (CO3, K3)

14. (a) Explain power and functions of UNO. (CO3, K3)

Or

- (b) Discover the revision of UNO. (CO2, K2)

15. (a) Write about the NATO, SEATO? (CO3, K6)

Or

- (b) Justify the History of Terrorism. (CO3, K6)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

Answer **all** the questions not more than 1,000 words each.

16. (a) Classify the NAM and the third world countries. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Discover the impact of Nuclear weapons on International politics. (CO2, K2)

17. (a) Discuss the specialized Agencies of UNO. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain the History of terrorism. (CO2, K2)

18. (a) Write about ASEAN and NAM. (CO5, K6)

Or

- (b) Explain the collopse of the Soviet Union. (CO2, K2)

19. (a) Discuss about the PTBT, NPT, CTBT. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain about unipolar world system. (CO3, K2)

20. (a) Explain about Warsaw treaty. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) What are the impact of Nuclear weapons? (CO1, K1)

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415505

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2023

Third Semester

History

**Elective – HISTORY FOR COMPETITIVE
EXAMINATIONS**

(CBCS – 2022 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

Part A

(10 × 1 = 10)

Answer **all** the objective questions by choosing the correct option.

1. Harappan Seals were made mostly of (CO2, K3)
(a) Steatite (b) Red sandstone
(c) Terracotta (d) Ivory
2. Which Veda Deals with music (CO1, K4)
(a) Atharva Veda
(b) Rig Veda
(c) Samaveda
(d) Yajur Veda
3. Which of the following inscriptions mentions the name of Kalidasa? (CO3, K6)
(a) Allahabad pillar inscription
(b) Aihole Inscription
(c) Alapadu grant
(d) Hanumakonda inscription

4. Who founded the Nandha Dynasty (CO2, K4)
(a) Mahapadma Nanda
(b) Mahendra Nanda
(c) Dhana Nanda
(d) Gaja Nanda
5. The fourth Buddhist council presided? (CO4, K3)
(a) Ashoka (b) Kaniska
(c) Vasumithra (d) Ashvaghosha
6. The slave dynasty was founded by (CO1, K5)
(a) Qutb ud-Din Aibak
(b) Rukn-ud-din-Firuz
(c) Ghiyas-ud-din-Balban
(d) Shams- ad- din-Illuthmish
7. Regulating marketing system was introduced by (CO2, K2)
(a) Jalal-ud-din-Khilji
(b) Alauddin Khiliji
(c) Malik Firuz
(d) Qutb ud-Din
8. Which of the following charter act ended the monopoly of trade of east India Company with china and sea route also? (CO1, K3)
(a) Pitt's India Act, AD 1784
(b) The charter Act, 1813 AD
(c) Charter Act, 1833 AD
(d) The Regulating Act, AD 1773

9. In which year the Constituent Assembly started the work? (CO1, K5)
- (a) 19th December, 1946
 - (b) 9th December, 1946
 - (c) 6th November, 1949
 - (d) 26th November 1949
10. The Kesavananda Bharati Case happened in the year (CO2, K2)
- (a) 1983
 - (b) 1963
 - (c) 1973
 - (d) 1993

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

Answer **all** questions not more than 500 words each.

11. (a) Examine the Town Planning of Indus Valley Civilization. (CO1, K5)
- Or
- (b) Give an account on the development art and architecture under Mauryan Period. (CO2, K4)
12. (a) Write a note on the Contribution to Architecture and Literature under Vijaynagara Empire. (CO1, K5)
- Or
- (b) Point out the Deccan policy of Aurangzeb. (CO2, K2)
13. (a) Write a short note on Brahmo Samaj. (CO1, K1)
- Or
- (b) Discuss the important causes for Indigo Rebellion in Peasants movement (CO5, K2)
14. (a) Describe the Causes of the rise of extremism. (CO2, K3)
- Or
- (b) Write a note on First Phase of Indian National Congress 1885 to 1905. (CO1, K1)

15. (a) Discuss the Cultural and Educational Rights of Minorities. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) State the importance salient features of 42nd Amendment. (CO3, K5)

Part C (5 × 8 = 40)

Answer **all** questions not more than 1000 words each.

16. (a) Write an essay on early Vedic age. (CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on Mahajanapadas. (CO2, K2)

17. (a) Assess the Delhi Sultanate Administration. (CO3, K4)

Or

- (b) Explain the Socio-Economic conditions of Mughal. (CO1, K6)

18. (a) Critically analyse the Social and Religious movements in the 19th Century. (CO2, K5)

Or

- (b) Discuss the Causes of Revolt of 1857. (CO1, K4)

19. (a) Write an essay on Gandhian Era. (CO5, K5)

Or

- (b) Critically Analyze the Home Rule Movement. (CO3, K2)

20. (a) Discuss the role of Constituent Assembly to making of the Indian Constitution. (CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) Analyse the Directive Principles of State Policy. (CO2, K5)