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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2024

First Semester

History

**SOCIO – CULTURAL HISTORY OF TAMILNADU 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. _____ is the Main Occupation of the People Of Marutham. (CO1, K1)
(a) Hunting (b) Cultivation
(c) Robbering (d) Fishing
2. The last Sangam was held at _____ (CO1, K1)
(a) Kanayakumari (b) Kapadapuram
(c) Puhar (d) Madurai
3. _____ Constructed new city Gangaikonda Cholapuram and Made it as his Capital. (CO2, K2)
(a) Rajaraja Chola
(b) Rajendra Chola
(c) Kulothunga Chola
(d) Rajaraja Chola II

4. Visita Advitha Philosophy was Prepounded by (CO2,K2)
- (a) Nadamu
 - (b) Ramanuja
 - (c) Yamwrcharya
 - (d) Namabiandar Nambi
5. Malik Kafur who Captured Madurai belonged to (CO3, K6)
- (a) Iran
 - (b) Afghanistan
 - (c) Turkey
 - (d) Iraq
6. Which empire fell in 1565 —————? (CO3, K6)
- (a) Vijayanagar
 - (b) Madurai Sultanate
 - (c) Imperial Chola
 - (d) Pandyan Empire
7. Thirumalai Nayak reverted the Capital to Madurai from (CO4, K5)
- (a) Arcot
 - (b) Tajore
 - (c) Trichy
 - (d) Gingee
8. The Gingee Nayak was established by (CO4, K5)
- (a) Koneri Nayak
 - (b) Achyutappa Nayak
 - (c) Varadappa Nayak
 - (d) Tubaki Krishnappa Nayak
9. Venkaji established Maratha rule in Tamilnadu in the year ————— (CO5, K3)
- (a) 1676
 - (b) 1679
 - (c) 1975
 - (d) 1977

10. Nawabs of the Carnatic is also referred to as _____
(CO5, K3)

- (a) Nawabs of Vellure
- (b) Nawabs of Arcot
- (c) Nawabs of Tamilnadu
- (d) None

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

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

11. (a) Describe the Statement that Sangam Age was the Augustan Age of the Tamils. (CO1, K1)

Or

(b) What are the Significance of the Keelady Excavation. (CO1, K1)

12. (a) Explain the Pallava Administration. (CO2, K2)

Or

(b) Outline the Bhakthi Movement was responsible for the development of Tamil Language. (CO2, K2)

13. (a) Discuss the Career and achievement of Rajaraja Chola. (CO3, K4)

Or

(b) Estimate the Invasion of Malikkafur. (CO3, K6)

14. (a) Determine the Impact of Vijayanagar rule on the Tamil Society. (CO4, K5)

Or

(b) Assess the Services of Madurai Nayaks in the field of Literature. (CO4, K5)

15. (a) Discover the Significance of Maratha Administration in Tamilnadu. (CO5, K5)

Or

(b) Construct the rise and rule of Nawab of Karanataka. (CO5, K3)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

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

16. (a) List out the Social life of the Sangam Age.
(CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) Why the Kalabra Age is a dark Age? (CO1, K2)

17. (a) Classify the Achivements of Narasimhavarman.
(CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Illustrate the Bakthi Movement was responsible for the development of Tamil Language. (CO2, K2)

18. (a) Elaborately describe the Conqucste of Rajendra I.
(CO3, K6)

Or

- (b) Compile the history of Later Pandya Empire.
(CO4, K6)

19. (a) Justify the expedition of Kumarakampana on Tamil Country.
(CO4, K5)

Or

- (b) Evaluate the development of Art and Architecture in the Nayak Age. (CO4, K5)

20. (a) Identify the Religious Policy of the Sethu Pathis of Ramanad.
(CO5, K3)

Or

- (b) Discover the administrative Systum of the Nawabs.
(CO5, K3)

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415102

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2024.

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. The first Metal to be used in India was _____.
(CO1, K1)
(a) Silver (b) Iron
(c) Copper (d) Bronze
2. Which of the Vedas Mentioned the word gotra for first time?
(CO1, K1)
(a) Rig (b) Yajur
(c) Sama (d) Atharvana
3. Jainism was traditionally known as _____.
(CO2, K2)
(a) Jaina Shasna (b) Jaina Dharama
(c) Jaina Sanga (d) Jaina Moksha

4. Who among the following Kings organized fourth Buddhist Council? (CO2, K2)
- (a) Ashoka (b) Harsha
(c) Kanishka (d) Menander
5. The Capital of Magatha _____. (CO3, K6)
- (a) Kasi (b) Kosala
(c) Anga (d) Pataliputra
6. Asoka fought the Kalinga War in the year _____. (CO3, K6)
- (a) 261 BCE (b) 263 BCE
(c) 265 BCE (d) 267 BCE
7. Satavahana mostly popular Coins name was _____. (CO4, K5)
- (a) Pulumavi (b) Karshapana
(c) Pana (d) Bhaga
8. Who was the founder of the Karua dynasty _____. (CO4, K5)
- (a) Suserman (b) Vishnusarma
(c) Vasudeva (d) Vasumitra
9. Which was the Capital of Rashtrakutas _____. (CO5, K3)
- (a) Gengi (b) Kanchi
(c) Manyakheta (d) Badami
10. Who received land grants identified the Guptas?(CO5, K3)
- (a) Kshatriyas (b) Vaisyas
(c) Brahmanas (d) Sudras

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

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

11. (a) Describe the Literary Sources for the study of Indian history. (CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) List out the significance of Indus Valley Civilization. (CO1, K1)

12. (a) Explain the features of Asoka's Pillars. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Convert the Doctrines of Buddhism. (CO2, K2)

13. (a) Compile the Rise of Magadha Empire. (CO3, K6)

Or

- (b) Discuss the important sources of the Study of Mauryan Dynasty. (CO3, K6)

14. (a) Assess the Contribution of Satavahanas to Art. (CO4, K5)

Or

- (b) Evaluate the development of Mauryan Art and Architecture. (CO4, K5)

15. (a) Discover the Guptas Society known from the account of Fahien. (CO5, K3)

Or

- (b) Identify the Rashtrakutas Contribution of Literature. (CO5, K3)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

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

16. (a) Find out the Industrial development of the Indus Valley. (CO1, K1)

Or

- (b) What are the Chief Characteristics features of Harappan Cities? (CO1, K1)

17. (a) Out line the features of Aryan Culture. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain the Origin of Agricultural development in Ancient India. (CO2, K2)

18. (a) Construct the rise of Occupational Caste in the age of Urbanisation. (CO3, K6)

Or

- (b) Estimate the emergence of trade routes and Centres in Ancient India. (CO4, K5)

19. (a) Assess the development of Textile industry in India during the Classical Age. (CO4, K6)

Or

- (b) Explain the impact of Alexander Invasion in India. (CO4, K5)

20. (a) Constrict the characteristics of Mauryan Administration. (CO5, K3)

Or

- (b) Discover the Golden Age of the Guptas. (CO5, K3)

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415103

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2024.

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 type questions by choosing
the correct question.

1. Who was the ruler of Gujarat, when Mahmud of Ghazni
invaded Somnath Temple? (CO1, K3)
(a) Bhima I (b) Chandrapala
(c) Chandela Ganda (d) Anandpala
2. Where Muhammad Ghorī defeated Prithviraj
Chauhan? (CO1, K1)
(a) Kannuj (b) Nilokhedi
(c) Titram (d) Tarain
3. Who introduced Token Currency? (CO2, K3)
(a) Bahlul Lodi (b) Mohammad bin Tughlaq
(c) Alauddin Khilji (d) Iltumish

4. Khizr khan belongs to which dynasty (CO2, K3)
 - (a) Slave Dynasty
 - (b) Sayyid Dynasty
 - (c) Khilji Dynasty
 - (d) Lodi Dynasty
5. Qutub shah dynasty was established by (CO3, K1)
 - (a) Qasim Band
 - (b) Malik Ahmad
 - (c) Imad-ul-Mulk
 - (d) Quli Qutb-ul-Mulk
6. Who among the following is called “Radha of Rajasthan”? (CO3, K3)
 - (a) Gavri Bai
 - (b) Saman Bai
 - (c) Mirabai
 - (d) Karmathi Bai
7. Fathehpur Sikiri was founded as the capital of the Mughal Empire by (CO4, K1)
 - (a) Babur
 - (b) Humayun
 - (c) Jahangir
 - (d) Akbar
8. The important reason for collection of Chauth and Sardeshmukhi by Marathas was (CO4, K1)
 - (a) To increase the source of income
 - (b) To expand his territories
 - (c) To consolidate his political influence
 - (d) To control the Mughals
9. Who among the following women wrote an historical account during the Mughal Period? (CO5, K3)
 - (a) Jahanara Begum
 - (b) Gulbadan Begum
 - (c) Nur Jahan Begum
 - (d) Salima Begum
10. ‘Bibi ka Maqbara’ is a famous historical monument situated in (CO5, K1)
 - (a) Bhopal
 - (b) Lucknow
 - (c) Aurangabad
 - (d) Vijayawada

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

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

11. (a) Write a short note on Qutub Minar. (CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) Give an account of economic achievements of Balban. (CO1, K3)

12. (a) Write a short note on Market Control Policy of Alauddin Khilji. (CO2, K3)

Or

- (b) Write about the foreign policy of Muhammad-bin-Tughlaq. (CO2, K2)

13. (a) Briefly write about the Barid Shahi Dynasty. (CO3, K3)

Or

- (b) Write a short note on Persian literature in India. (CO3, K2)

14. (a) Write a note on role of Nur Jahan in Jahangir's Administration. (CO4, K3)

Or

- (b) Write a short note on Aurangzeb. (CO4, K3)

15. (a) Write a short note on Mughal Paintings. (CO5, K2)

Or

- (b) Write a note on Adi Granth. (CO5, K2)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

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

16. (a) Describe the major Architectural development during the reign of Delhi Sultanate. (CO1, K5)

Or

- (b) Explain the impact of the Turkish invasion in India. (CO1, K2)

17. (a) Discuss the Rise and fall of the Sayyid Dynasty. (CO2, K3)

Or

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

18. (a) Discuss the Administrative system of the Vijayanagara Empire. (CO3, K5)

Or

- (b) Analyze the features and impact of the Bhakti movement. (CO3, K2)

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

Or

- (b) Critically analyse the political career of Shah Jahan. (CO4, K5)

20. (a) Discuss the evolution of the Sikh Community and the Khalsa Panth. (CO5, K5)

Or

- (b) Explain the condition of Classical Music in the Mughal India. (CO5, K3)

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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2024

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 type questions by choosing the correct option.

1. The word 'Culture' is derived from which language?
(CO1, K1)
(a) Greek (b) Aramaic
(c) Hebrew (d) Latin
2. ————— culture is a set of values, ideas, and ways of behaving that are completely different from those of the rest of society.
(CO1, K5)
(a) Popular culture (b) Folk culture
(c) Counter-culture (d) High culture
3. Valabhi is a main sub-type of which style of temple architecture?
(CO2, K2)
(a) Vesara (b) Nagara
(c) Kapira (d) Konka

4. The Convention concerning the Protection of World Cultural and Natural Heritage was adopted by the General Conference of UNESCO in _____.
(CO2, K1)
- (a) 1972 (b) 1975
(c) 1982 (d) 1985
5. Pilgrims from India can reach Mount Kailash through _____ pass in Kumaon, Uttarakhand. (CO3, K1)
- (a) Pensi La (b) Bhor Ghat
(c) Lipulekh (d) Amba Ghat
6. Mount Abu is a popular hill station located in the _____ range of Rajasthan. (CO3, K1)
- (a) Vindhya (b) Balaghat
(c) Aravalli (d) Satpura
7. Allahabad Fort was built by the Mughal emperor _____.
(CO4, K1)
- (a) Shah Jahan
(b) Akbar
(c) Muhammad Azam Shah
(d) Jahangir
8. Kathak is a classical dance of? (CO4, K2)
- (a) Chhattisgarh (b) Uttar Pradesh
(c) Uttarakhand (d) Assam
9. Name the festival which is mainly celebrated in the north Indian states of Punjab and Haryana, marking the beginning of the Sikh New Year? (CO5, K2)
- (a) Kambala (b) Karaga
(c) Chandan Yatra (d) Baisakhi

10. Banganga, an annual music festival celebrated in Mumbai in the month of _____. (CO5, K2)
- (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) Elucidate the importance of culture in human life. (CO1, K5)

Or

- (b) Write a note on Non-material culture. (CO1, K2)

12. (a) Give an account of Tangible Cultural Heritage. (CO2, K1)

Or

- (b) Point out the impact of cultural heritage in India. (CO2, K5)

13. (a) Give an account of Nagore Dargah. (CO3, K1)

Or

- (b) Discuss the significance of Shravanabelagola. (CO3, K5)

14. (a) Write a note on Veena. (CO4, K1)

Or

- (b) Give an account of Kalamkari Paintings. (CO4, K2)

15. (a) Write a note on Ramzan. (CO5, K1)

Or

- (b) Give an account of Sonepur Cattle Fair. (CO5, K1)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

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

16. (a) Critically analyse the characteristics of Indian culture. (CO1, K4)

Or

- (b) Discuss the functions of culture. (CO1, K5)

17. (a) Discuss the significance of Preserving Cultural Heritage and explain the role of the Indian constitution in safeguarding cultural sites. (CO2, K5)

Or

- (b) Critically discuss how pilgrimage heritage in India boost regional ties and promote cultural exchange. (CO2, K2)

18. (a) Discuss the cultural significance of Amritsar in Punjab. (CO3, K2)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on Sanchi Stupa. (CO3, K2)

19. (a) Write an essay on Hindustani Music. (CO4, K5)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on the Indian classical dances. (CO4, K2)

20. (a) Elucidate the cultural significance of Pongal festival in Tamil Nadu. (CO5, K4)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on Christmas festival. (CO5, K2)

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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2024

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. Which year Sivagangai was annexed? (CO1, K2)
(a) 16 November, 1801
(b) 15 November, 1804
(c) 14 November, 1806
(d) 13 November, 1808
2. Which river flows in Ramanathapuram? (CO1, K2)
(a) Thamirabharani (b) Vagai
(c) Palaru (d) Thenpennai
3. Sivaganga district is famous for _____. (CO2, K2)
(a) Agriculture (b) Ivory
(c) Commercial (d) Stitching
4. Who was the first woman freedom fighter? (CO2, K2)
(a) Rani Lakshmibai (b) Velu Nachiyar
(c) S. Ambujamma (d) Govindammal

5. When did Keeladi museum open? (CO3, K4)
(a) March 05 (b) April 05
(c) May 05 (d) June 05
6. MarudhuPandiar served loyally under _____ of Sivaganga. (CO3, K4)
(a) Muthu Vadukanath Deva
(b) Sasivarna Periya Oodaya Thevar
(c) Velu Nachiyar
(d) Ragunatha Sethupathy
7. Who invented first transportation? (CO4, K6)
(a) Ancient Egypt (b) Ancient Summer
(c) Indus Valley (d) Mesopotamia
8. How many years did the British rule India? (CO4, K6)
(a) 69 (b) 79
(c) 89 (d) 99
9. When was sivagangai district formed? (CO5, K1)
(a) 15th January 1985
(b) 15th March 1985
(c) 15th April 1985
(d) 15th May 1985
10. Which is the famous temple in Sivaganga? (CO5, K1)
(a) Venkatamudayan Perumal Temple
(b) Madapuram Kaliamman Temple
(c) KarpagaVinayagar Temple
(d) None of these

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

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

11. (a) Illustrate three geographical factors that influence the distribution. (CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) Compare the climate and average weather year-round in Sivaganga, India. (CO1, K2)
12. (a) Examine the Keezhadi, unearthing the Vaigai Valley civilization of the Sangam age. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Classify the specialty of Sivaganga. (CO2, K2)
13. (a) Which dynasty Sivaganga belongs to? Explain. (CO3, K6)

Or

- (b) Discuss the density of population in Sivaganga district. (CO3, K4)
14. (a) Explain the archaeological findings at the Sivaganga excavation. (CO4, K6)

Or

- (b) Examine the principles of natural justice. (CO4, K6)
15. (a) When did Velunachiyar defeat the British? Describe. (CO5, K1)

Or

- (b) How many villages and revenues come under the Sivaganga district? Explain elaborately. (CO5, K1)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

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

16. (a) Explain about the topographic feature. (CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) Compare the negotiating sources and archaeological sources in excavation. (CO1, K2)

17. (a) Summarize the importance of epigraphy in keezhadi excavation. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain the role of the Velu Nachiyar in the Palayakkar revolt. (CO2, K2)

18. (a) Mention the key findings in Keezhadi. (CO3, K4)

Or

- (b) Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of transportation. (CO3, K4)

19. (a) Estimate the importance of society and culture in Sivaganga. (CO4, K6)

Or

- (b) Elucidate the Sivaganga Lok Sabha constituency. (CO4, K6)

20. (a) Discuss cultural action and rural development society in Sivaganga. (CO5, K1)

Or

- (b) Examine the role of religion in the administration of justice. (CO5, K1)

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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2024

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 type questions by choosing the correct option.

1. Find out the basic component of tourism. (CO1, K2)
(a) Accommodation (b) Attraction
(c) Accessibility (d) All are correct
2. Eco tourism related to _____. (CO1, K2)
(a) Nature (b) Historical monuments
(c) Hospital (d) Economic System
3. Which tourism will help to earn foreign exchange? (CO2, K2)
(a) Domestic tourism (b) International Tourism
(c) Eco Tourism (d) Package tour
4. Availability of trained _____ is essential for tourism. (CO2, K2)
(a) Candidates (b) Caterers
(c) Hoteliers (d) Manpower

5. VISA denotes _____. (CO3, K2)
- (a) Visitors International Stay Admission
 - (b) Visitors International Special Admission
 - (c) Visitors Immediate Stay Admission
 - (d) Visitors Investigate Stay Admission
6. Which policy does facilitate hassle free holidays to international arrivals in the country? (CO3, K4)
- (a) Visa on Arrival
 - (b) Passport on Arrival
 - (c) Currency on Arrival
 - (d) Currency exchange
7. Travel agency is also called as _____ of tourist product. (CO4, K1)
- (a) Retailer (b) Manufacturer
 - (c) Wholesaler (d) Distributor
8. _____ have dormitory-style rooms with bunk beds, shared bedrooms and kitchens. (CO4, K1)
- (a) Dharamshala (b) Youth Hostel
 - (c) Campsite (d) Motel
9. When was the Indian Association of Tour Operators established? (CO5, K5)
- (a) 1980 (b) 1981
 - (c) 1982 (d) 1983
10. _____ tour operators provide travel services within the tourist's native country. (CO5, K5)
- (a) Domestic (b) Inbound
 - (c) Outbound (d) Ground

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

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

11. (a) Give an outlines about tourism. (CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain the various components of Tourism.
(CO1, K2)

12. (a) Identify the challenges in customs formalities.
(CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) How to solve the visa and immigration crisis?
(CO2, K2)

13. (a) How do classify the accommodation? Explain elaborately.
(CO3, K4)

Or

- (b) Youth Hostel is a lower priced accommodation type in the hospitality industry – Give your interpretation.
(CO3, K4)

14. (a) What are the functions of travel agency? (CO4, K1)

Or

- (b) How to handle the clients in Tourism sector?
(CO4, K1)

15. (a) Evaluate the functions of Tamil Nadu Tourism Development Corporation.
(CO5, K5)

Or

- (b) Put forth your view points on Travel Agent Association of India.
(CO5, K5)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

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

16. (a) Explain the scope of tourism with suitable example.
(CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) Define tourism and Illustrate the kinds of tourism with instances.
(CO1, K2)

17. (a) Tourism as an Industry: Comment. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Identify the various types of transport travel formalities.
(CO2, K2)

18. (a) Distinguish between Hotels and Dharmasalas.
(CO3, K4)

Or

- (b) Examine the importance of accommodation in tourism development.
(CO3, K4)

19. (a) Explain in detail about the origin and growth of travel agency.
(CO4, K1)

Or

- (b) Give an account the concept on Modern Travel agencies.
(CO4, K1)

20. (a) Evaluate the functions of Travel Agent of Association of India (TAAI).
(CO5, K5)

Or

- (b) How do assess the features of United Nations World Tourism Organization (UNWTO).
(CO5, K5)

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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2024

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 type questions by choosing the correct option.

1. The State Reorganisation Commission was formed in (CO1, K2)
(a) 1953 A.D (b) 1955 A.D
(c) 1956 A.D (d) 1957 A.D
2. Which State is also known as “Paradise in a pocket”? (CO2, K2)
(a) Goa (b) Kerala
(c) Andhra Pradesh (d) Tamil Nadu
3. The Simla agreement was signed between India and Pakistan on (CO3, K2)
(a) 2 July 1972 (b) 2 July 1973
(c) 2 July 1974 (d) 2 July 1975
4. In India, Look East Policy was launched in (CO2, K3)
(a) 1981 A.D (b) 1991 A.D
(c) 1971 A.D (d) 2001 A.D

5. Sriharikota Rocket Rang is located on the east coast of _____ (CO1, K2)
- (a) Tamil Nadu (b) Andhra Pradesh
(c) Kerala (d) Mumbai
6. In India, the department of science and technology was established in _____ (CO2, K2)
- (a) 1951 A.D (b) 1961 A.D
(c) 1971 A.D (d) 1981 A.D
7. Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) aimed to provide free education to all children aged _____ (CO2, K3)
- (a) 6-14 years (b) 6-10 years
(c) 6-12 years (d) 6-17 years
8. Hindu Code Bill was drafted by _____ (CO2, K2)
- (a) Dr. B.R. Ambedkar
(b) Dr. Muthulakshmi Reddy
(c) Dr. H.J. Babha
(d) Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam
9. Dowry prohibition act was passed in _____ (CO1, K2)
- (a) 1951 A.D (b) 1961 A.D
(c) 1955 A.D (d) 1956 A.D
10. Who is the father of modern legal education in India? (CO2, K3)
- (a) Neelakanta Ramakrishna Madhava Menon
(b) Robert Brooke
(c) Kasturba Gandhi
(d) Priyadarshini

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

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

11. (a) Point out the importance of Punjab crisis. (CO3, K3)

Or

- (b) What are the features of parliamentary democracy in India? Explain. (CO3, K3)

12. (a) Describe the Panch Sheel. (CO2, K3)

Or

- (b) Write in detail about nuclear policy of India. (CO2, K3)

13. (a) Examine the functions of atomic energy commission. (CO3, K5)

Or

- (b) Evaluate the Green Revolution in India. (CO3, K5)

14. (a) Briefly mention about Chipko movement. (CO2, K4)

Or

- (b) Narrate the importance of Bhoodan Movement. (CO2, K4)

15. (a) Point out the types of separation in India. (CO3, K3)

Or

- (b) Describe the implication of transition. (CO3, K3)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

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

16. (a) Narrate the reservation for women in India.
(CO3, K3)

Or

- (b) Describe the role of Vallabai Patel for the integration of princely states in India. (CO3, K3)

17. (a) Evaluate the Indo Pak War of 1971. (CO3, K5)

Or

- (b) Asses the Indo-Chinese relations. (CO3, K5)

18. (a) Examine the achievements of DRDO. (CO3, K5)

Or

- (b) Evaluate the achievements of First Five Year Plan in India. (CO3, K5)

19. (a) Write an essay on National Policy on education (1986). (CO2, K3)

Or

- (b) Describe the Narmada Movement. (CO2, K3)

20. (a) Analyse the causes and impacts of corruption in India. (CO2, K4)

Or

- (b) List out the major scams in India. (CO2, K4)

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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2024

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 option.

1. When did Rome split into the Byzantine Empire?
(CO2, K2)
(a) July 16, 1054 CE (b) July 16, 1654 CE
(c) July 16, 1489 CE (d) July 16, 1545 CE
2. Who was the last Byzantine Emperor? (CO2, K1)
(a) Constantine XI Palaeologus
(b) Louis XIV
(c) Fredrick II
(d) Joseph II
3. Who was commonly styled “The Navigator”? (CO2, K1)
(a) King Henry
(b) King Colombus
(c) King John Cabot
(d) King Charles V

4. Italy was the birth place of _____ (CO2, K2)
 - (a) The Renaissance
 - (b) The Reformation
 - (c) The Counter Reformation
 - (d) The New World
5. “The society of Jesus” was established by (CO2, K1)
 - (a) Ignatius Loyola
 - (b) Peter the Great
 - (c) Francis II
 - (d) Charles IX
6. The council of Trent (1545-63) aimed at reforming (CO2, K3)
 - (a) The Catholic Church
 - (b) The Vienna Congress
 - (c) The Rule of Catherine
 - (d) The Words of Pope Leo X
7. Reformation means (CO1, K2)
 - (a) Correction
 - (b) New financial policies
 - (c) Encourage the wars
 - (d) Promoting Christianity
8. Ulrich Zwingli was a great reformer of (CO2, K2)
 - (a) France (b) Spain
 - (c) England (d) Switzerland
9. Who is considered as the “Father of the fatherland”? (CO2, K3)
 - (a) Joseph-II (b) Peter Patriae
 - (c) Fredrick-II (d) Maria Theresa

10. Who made the German Language, the official language for military officers. (CO2, K2)
- (a) Catherine-II (b) Maria Theresa
(c) Fredrick-II (d) Charles V

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

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

11. (a) Write a short note on the fall of Constantinople. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Point out the causes for the rise of the Ottomans. (CO2, K2)

12. (a) List out the causes of the geographical discoveries, (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Write in detail about Renaissance in England. (CO2, K2)

13. (a) Assess the reforms of the Duke Of Sully. (CO3, K5)

Or

- (b) Estimate the domestic policies of Cardinal Richelieu. (CO3, K5)

14. (a) Write briefly about reformation in Germany. (CO1, K3)

Or

- (b) What is the diet of Worms (1521)? Explain. (CO1, K3)

15. (a) Evaluate the causes of the Decline of Swedan. (CO3, K5)

Or

- (b) Evaluate the domestic policy of Maria Theresa. (CO3, K5)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

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

16. (a) Describe the conquest of Mehmed-II. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on art, culture and literature of Byzantine Empire. (CO2, K2)

17. (a) Assess, the results of the geographical discoveries. (CO3, K5)

Or

- (b) Evaluate, the results of the renaissance. (CO3, K5)

18. (a) Examine the internal policy of Ferdinand and Isabella. (CO3, K5)

Or

- (b) Assess the domestic policy of Philip-II. (CO3, K5)

19. (a) Describe the reformation in France. (CO2, K3)

Or

- (b) Describe the results of the Reformation. (CO2, K3)

20. (a) Analyse the foreign policy of Peter the Great. (CO3, K4)

Or

- (b) Analyse the seven years war (1756-1763). (CO3, K4)

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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2024

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 type questions by choosing the correct option.

1. Who said that “History is a discipline which makes menwise”? (CO1, K2)
(a) Bacon (b) Aristotle
(c) Hegel (d) Voltaire
2. “History means interpretation”, is the words of _____ (CO2, K2)
(a) E.H. Carr (b) J.B. Bury
(c) A.C. Rowse (d) R.W. Emerson
3. Historical method was founded by _____ (CO2, K3)
(a) Thucydides (b) R.G. Collingwood
(c) Harsha (d) Abul Fazal

4. "My duty is to report all that is said" by (CO2, K3)
(a) Herodotus (b) D.D. Kosambi
(c) James Mill (d) R.C. Dutt
5. Machi avelli wrote the prince in (CO2, K3)
(a) 1611 A.D (b) 1511 A.D
(c) 1513 A.D (d) 1711 A.D
6. Rousseau's social contract, published in (CO2, K3)
(a) 1762 A.D (b) 1773 A.D
(c) 1813 A.D (d) 1646 A.D
7. Kalhana's Rajatarangini, the earliest extant history of _____ (CO2, K2)
(a) Kashmir (b) Mahajanapadas
(c) Agra (d) Jhansi
8. Who edited "The Age of the Nandas and Mauryas"? (CO1, K3)
(a) V.A. Smith (b) K.A. Nilakanda Sastri
(c) Romilathapar (d) James Mill
9. The term "Research" is derived from the _____ word. (CO2, K3)
(a) Greek (b) French
(c) Rome (d) Italy
10. There are _____ in the historical method. (CO3, K3)
(a) Two stages (b) Three stages
(c) Four stages (d) Five stages

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

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

11. (a) Point out the uses of history. (CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) Write in detail about the scope of history. (CO1, K2)

12. (a) Write an essay on character of Greek Historiography. (CO2, K3)

Or

- (b) Narrate the nature of Christian Historiography. (CO2, K3)

13. (a) Write a short note on contributions of renaissance historiography. (CO3, K4)

Or

- (b) Point out the merits and demerits of Marxism. (CO3, K4)

14. (a) Write a detailed note on Amir Khusru works. (CO4, K3)

Or

- (b) Point out the significance of regional history. (CO4, K3)

15. (a) What are foot notes? Explain. (CO5, K4)

Or

- (b) What is internal criticism? Explain. (CO5, K4)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

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

16. (a) Write an essay on kinds of History. (CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) Describe the lessons of history. (CO1, K2)

17. (a) Evaluate the contribution of thucydides to Greek historiography. (CO2, K5)

Or

- (b) Estimate, the achievements of Herodotus. (CO2, K5)

18. (a) Assess the cartician criticism. (CO3, K5)

Or

- (b) Estimate the contribution of Edward Gibbon. (CO3, K5)

19. (a) Evaluate the contributions of N. Subrahmanian to historiography. (CO4, K5)

Or

- (b) Assess the characteristics of Indian Historiography. (CO4, K5)

20. (a) Describe the kinds of sources. (CO5, K4)

Or

- (b) What are the problems faced by the researcher during the research period? (CO5, K4)

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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2024

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 type questions by choosing the correct option.

1. Which movement is associated with Raja Rammohan Roy? (CO1, K1)
(a) Arya Samaj (b) Brahma Samaj
(c) Prarthana Samaj (d) Aligarh Movement
2. The Self-Respect Movement is primarily linked with which community? (CO2, K2)
(a) Parsi (b) Sikh
(c) Dravidian (d) Dalit
3. The Khilafat Movement was related to which religion? (CO1, K4)
(a) Hinduism (b) Islam
(c) Christianity (d) Buddhism

4. Who founded the Ramakrishna Mission? (CO2, K1)
- (a) Swami Vivekananda
 - (b) Swami Dayanand Saraswati
 - (c) Vallalar
 - (d) Annie Besant
5. The Abolition of Sati was enacted under which law? (CO4, K2)
- (a) Sarada Act
 - (b) Child Marriage Restraint Act
 - (c) Widow Remarriage Act
 - (d) Bengal Sati Regulation Act
6. Which reformer is associated with the Neo-Buddhist Movement? (CO2, K2)
- (a) B.R. Ambedkar
 - (b) M.K. Gandhi
 - (c) Sir Syed Ahmed Khan
 - (d) Swami Vivekananda
7. The Theosophical Society in India was closely associated with which leader? (CO3, K4)
- (a) Raja Rammohan Roy
 - (b) Swami Dayanand Saraswati
 - (c) Annie Besant
 - (d) Henry Louis

8. Which act aimed at controlling child marriage in India?
(CO3, K5)
- (a) Sarada Act
 - (b) Widow Remarriage Act
 - (c) Bengal Sati Regulation Act
 - (d) Indian Penal Code
9. Vallalar's Sanmarka Sangani is linked to which religion?
(CO4, K4)
- (a) Hinduism (b) Islam
 - (c) Christianity (d) Sikhism
10. Who was the pioneer of the Aligarh Movement? (CO5, K1)
- (a) Swami Vivekananda
 - (b) Sir Syed Ahmed Khan
 - (c) B.R. Ambedkar
 - (d) M.K. Gandhi

Part B

(5 × 5 = 25)

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

11. (a) Discuss the impact of British rule on the social and religious conditions of early modern India.
(CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain the key features of the Indian Renaissance during the early modern period. (CO1, K1)

12. (a) What were the main objectives of the Brahma Samaj, and how did it influence Hindu society?
(CO2, K4)

Or

- (b) Evaluate the role of the Aligarh Movement in the social and educational upliftment of Muslims in India.
(CO2, K1)
13. (a) Analyze the significance of the Temple Entry Movement in Kerala and its impact on the Dalit community.
(CO3, K1)

Or

- (b) Describe the social causes that led to the rise of the Self-Respect Movement in Tamil Nadu. (CO3, K2)
14. (a) Discuss the contributions of Jyotirao Phule to the education and upliftment of the lower castes in India.
(CO4, K6)

Or

- (b) How did Swami Vivekananda's teachings contribute to the revival of Hinduism in India? (CO4, K2)
15. (a) Explain the significance of the Widow Remarriage Act in the context of 19th century Indian society.
(CO5, K4)

Or

- (b) Assess the impact of the Sarada Act on child marriage practices in India.
(CO5, K4)

Part C

(5 × 8 = 40)

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

16. (a) Examine the impact of British rule on the social and religious structure of early modern Indian society.
(CO1, K4)

Or

- (b) Analyze the Indian Renaissance and its role in the formation of modern Indian society. (CO1, K4)
17. (a) Compare and contrast the objectives and achievements of the Brahma Samaj and Arya Samaj in reforming Hindu society. (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Discuss the role of religious reform movements within Islam and Christianity in the 19th century. (CO2, K5)
18. (a) Evaluate the significance of the Temple Entry Movement in the context of caste-based discrimination in India. (CO3, K5)

Or

- (b) Trace the development and impact of the Self-Respect Movement on Tamil society. (CO3, K4)
19. (a) Assess the contributions of Raja Rammohan Roy and Jyotirao Phule to social reform in India. (CO4, K5)

Or

- (b) Examine the role of Swami Vivekananda and Sir Syed Ahmed Khan in religious and educational reforms. (CO4, K4)

20. (a) Discuss the legislative measures taken to abolish social evils in 19th and early 20th century India.
(CO5, K2)

Or

- (b). Analyze the impact of the Sarada Act and the introduction of modern education on Indian society.
(CO5, K4)
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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2024

Third Semester

History

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

(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. What does the Balance of Power refer to in International Relations? (CO1, K1)
 - (a) Distribution of power among states to prevent dominance
 - (b) Equal distribution of resources
 - (c) Collective Security Measures
 - (d) Diplomatic Relations
2. Which of the following is a key determinant of Foreign Policy? (CO2, K2)
 - (a) National Interest
 - (b) Collective Security
 - (c) International Trade
 - (d) Domestic Politics

3. What is the primary function of the United Nations Security Council? (CO3, K2)
- (a) To oversee international trade agreements
 - (b) To maintain international peace and security
 - (c) To promote cultural exchange
 - (d) To manage international economic policies
4. Which agency of the U.N.O is focused on global health issues? (CO2, K1)
- (a) UNESCO
 - (b) IMF
 - (c) WHO
 - (d) ILO
5. Which event marked the beginning of the Cold War? (CO3, K2)
- (a) The Cuban Missile Crisis
 - (b) The Yalta Conference
 - (c) The end of World War II
 - (d) The Berlin Blockade
6. Which country's foreign policy was most characterized by the doctrine of containment during the Cold War? (CO4, K1)
- (a) USSR
 - (b) China
 - (c) USA
 - (d) India
7. What does the NPT stand for in the context of Arms Control? (CO2, K2)
- (a) Non-Proliferation Treaty
 - (b) Nuclear Power Treaty
 - (c) National Peace Treaty
 - (d) Neutrality Pact Treaty

8. Which treaty aimed at banning nuclear tests in the atmosphere, outer space, and under water? (CO3, K1)
- (a) SALT I (b) CTBT
(c) PTBT (d) START
9. Which regional organization is primarily focused on economic cooperation in Southeast Asia? (CO5, K2)
- (a) NATO (b) ASEAN
(c) OAU (d) OPEC
10. Which of the following is not a military pact? (CO3, K1)
- (a) NATO (b) SEATO
(c) ANZUS (d) APEC

Part B (5 × 5 = 25)

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

11. (a) Discuss the importance of National Power and its influence on International Relations. (CO1, K2)

Or

- (b) Explain the concept of Collective Security and its significance in maintaining global peace. (CO1, K2)
12. (a) Describe the structure and main functions of the United Nations Organization (U.N.O). (CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Evaluate the challenges faced by the U.N.O. in the contemporary global political environment.
(CO2, K4)

13. (a) Analyze the different phases of the Cold War and their impact on international relations. (CO3, K4)

Or

- (b) Examine the causes and consequences of the collapse of the Soviet Union and the emergence of a unipolar world system. (CO3, K4)
14. (a) Outline the key provisions of the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT) and its impact on global nuclear disarmament efforts. (CO4, K2)

Or

- (b) Discuss the role of terrorism in shaping modern international politics and the strategies used for counter-terrorism. (CO4, K2)
15. (a) Compare and contrast the objectives and functions of NATO and the Warsaw Treaty. (CO5, K3)

Or

- (b) Assess the significance of BRICS in promoting economic cooperation among emerging economies. (CO5, K3)

Part C (5 × 8 = 40)

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

16. (a) Examine the scope of International Relations and its significance in the contemporary global political landscape. (CO1, K4)

Or

- (b) Critically analyze the relevance of the Balance of Power theory in maintaining international stability. (CO1, K3)

17. (a) Discuss the structure, powers, and functions of the United Nations Organization (U.N.O) and evaluate its effectiveness in dealing with global challenges.
(CO2, K2)

Or

- (b) Analyze the need for reformation and revision within the U.N.O., highlighting the major challenges it faces in the modern world. (CO2, K4)
18. (a) Evaluate the implications of the Cold War on international relations, focusing on its phases and the impact of its end on the global political order.
(CO3, K2)

Or

- (b) Discuss the foreign policies of the USA, USSR, China, and India during the Cold War and how they shaped the international system. (CO3, K2)
19. (a) Examine the role of arms control treaties such as the NPT, CTBT, and SALT in promoting nuclear disarmament and their impact on global security.
(CO4, K4)

Or

- (b) Analyze the historical development of terrorism and its effects on international politics, along with the effectiveness of counter-terrorism measures.
(CO4, K4)

20. (a) Compare and contrast the objectives, structures, and influence of regional military pacts like NATO, SEATO, and CENTO on global security. (CO5, K3)

Or

- (b) Assess the role of regional organizations such as ASEAN, BRICS, and the European Union in promoting economic and political cooperation among member states. (CO5, K3)
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M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER – 2024

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 following objective questions by
choosing the correct option.

1. The Gupta Emperor Chandragupta II was succeeded by whom? (CO1, K1)
(a) Kumaragupta I (b) Skandgupta
(c) Buddhagupta (d) Vishnugupta
2. The famous Vikramshila university? (CO1, K2)
(a) Uttar Pradesh (b) Bengal
(c) Bihar (d) Madhaya Pradesh
3. Which of the following Sultans is known to have laid the foundation of Agra City? (CO2, K1)
(a) Bahlol Lodi (b) Sikandar Lodi
(c) Ibrahim Lodi (d) Shershah Suri

4. Bijapur and Golconda Annexed by the Mughals Under the Reign of? (CO2, K2)
(a) Akbar (b) Jahangir
(c) Shah Jahan (d) Aurangzeb
5. Who founded the Nandha Dynasty? (CO3, K1)
(a) Mahapadma Nanda
(b) Mahendra Nanda
(c) Dhana Nanda
(d) Gaja Nanda
6. Who of the following viceroy started financial decentralization in India? (CO3, K2)
(a) Lord Canning (b) Lord Mayo
(c) Lord Lyton (d) Lord Lawrence
7. Constituent Assembly of India was formulated on the recommendation of _____ (CO4, K1)
(a) August Offer (b) Cripps Mission
(c) Wavel Plan (d) Cabinet Mission
8. In which year, Indian Home Rule Society was established? (CO4, K2)
(a) 1902 (b) 1903
(c) 1905 (d) 1907
9. In which year was the National Green Tribunal established? (CO5, K1)
(a) 2000 (b) 2005
(c) 2007 (d) 2010
10. The first session of the first Lok Sabha commenced on? (CO5, K2)
(a) 26th January, 1950
(b) 15th August, 1947
(c) 15th August, 1951
(d) 13th May, 1952

Part B**(5 × 5 = 25)**

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

11. (a) Write about the Vedic Society. (CO1, K4)

Or

- (b) Write a note on Alexander Invasion. (CO1, K5)

12. (a) Write a note on the Contribution of Administrative system of Akbar. (CO2, K4)

Or

- (b) Point out the Deccan policy of Aurangazeb. (CO2, K5)

13. (a) Write a short note on Brahmo Samaj. (CO3, K4)

Or

- (b) Discuss the Santhal Rebellion. (CO3, K5)

14. (a) Describe the Causes of the rise of extremism. (CO4, K5)

Or

- (b) Write a note on Simon Commission. (CO4, K4)

15. (a) Write a Short note on Habeas Corpus. (CO5, K4)

Or

- (b) Discuss Citizenship. (CO5, K5)

Part C**(5 × 8 = 40)**

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

16. (a) Write an essay on the art and architecture under Mauryans. (CO1, K5)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on Mahajanapadas. (CO1, K4)

17. (a) Assess the development of Art, Architecture and literature in Delhi Sultanate. (CO2, K5)

Or

- (b) Write an essay on Contributions of Aurangzeb. (CO2, K4)

18. (a) Critically analyse the Peasants movement in the 19th Century. (CO3, K5)

Or

- (b) Discuss the Impact of British Rule in India. (CO3, K4)

19. (a) Write an essay on Partition of Bengal. (CO4, K4)

Or

- (b) Critically Analyze the Home Rule Movement. (CO4, K5)

20. (a) Write essay on Fundamental Rights. (CO5, K4)

Or

- (b) Enumerate the Working of the Indian Constitution. (CO5, K5)