

HISTORY HONOURS			
ACADEMIC SESSION 2022 - 2023			
SEMESTER – I			
JULY'2022 – DECEMBER'2022			
Paper	Topic	Lect.	Faculty
CC-1 History of India from the earlie st times to C300 BCE	Reconstructing Ancient Indian History – a) Early Indian notions of history b) Sources and tools of historical reconstruction. c) Historical interpretations (with special reference to gender, environment, technology and regions)	5	SD
	Hunter-gatherers and the advent of food products a) Palaeolithic cultures –sequence and distribution; stone industries and other technological developments b) Mesolithic cultures – regional and chronological distribution; new developments in technology and economy; rock art c) Neolithic and Chalcolithic cultures: distribution and subsistence pattern	15	SD
	The Harappan civilization: origins; settlement patterns and town planning; agrarian base; craft productions and trade; social and political organization; religious beliefs and practices; art; the problem of urban decline and the late/post- Harappan traditions.	15	PKP
	Culture of transition : Settlement patterns, technological and economic developments; social stratification; political relations; religion and philosophy; the Aryan problem . a) North India (circa 1500 BCE – 300 BCE)	18	SC
	b) Central India and the Deccan (circa 1000 BCE – circa 300 BCE)	4	SD

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CC- 2 Social Formations and Cultural Patterns of the ancient world other than India	Evolution of human kind: Palaeolithic and Mesolithic cultures - Role of kinship social institutions in the development of early societies.	6	SS
	Food production beginnings of agriculture and animal husbandry	6	SS
	Bronze Age civilizations, with reference to any one of the following: (i) Egypt (Old Kingdom); (ii) China (Shang), economy, social stratification, state structure, religion.	10	SC
	Nomadic groups in Central and West Asia; Debate on the advent of iron and its implications.	8	SD
	Slave society in ancient Greece & Rome: agrarian economy, urbanization, trade.	15	SS
	Polis in ancient Greece: Athens and Sparta; Greek culture	15	SS

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Paper	Topic	Lect.	Faculty
CC- 5 History of India (CE 750 – 1206)	Studying Early Medieval India	8	SD
	Political Structures	20	SC
	Agrarian structure and social change	10	SD
	Trade and Commerce	10	PKP
	Religious and Cultural developments	12	SC

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Paper	Topic	Lect.	Faculty
CC- 6 Rise of the Modern West – I	Transition Debate on transition from Feudalism to capitalism: problems and theories	6	SS
	a) The exploration of the new world: motives b) Portuguese and Spanish voyages	6	SS
	a) Renaissance : Its social roots b) Renaissance humanism c) Rediscovery of classics d) Italian renaissance and its impact on art, culture, education and political thoughts e) Its spread in Europe	15	SS
	a) Reformation movements: origins & courses b) Marthin Luther & Lutheranism c) John Calvin & Calvinism d) Radical reformation: Anabapists and Huguenots e) English reformation and the role of the state f) counter reformation	15	SS
	a) economic developments b) shift of economic balance from the Mediterranean to the atlantic c) commercial revolution d) price revolution e) agricultural revolution and the enclosure movement	12	PKP
	a) development of national monarchy b) emergence of European state system	6	SC

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CC- 7 History of India	Interpreting the Delhi Sultanate	4	SD
	Sultanate Political structures	22	PKP

(c1206 – 1526)	Consolidation of regional identities: regional art, architecture and literature	4	SC
	Society and Economy	16	PKP
	Religion and Culture	14	SC

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Paper	Topic	Lect.	Faculty
SEEC – A – I Achieves and Museums	Definition and history of development	6	SD
	Types of archives and museums	6	SD
	Museum presentation and exhibition	6	SD
	Museums, archives and society	6	SD

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CC – 1 History of India from Earliest Times up to 300 CE	Source & Interpretation	2	SD
	A broad survey of Palaeolithic, Mesolithic and Neolithic cultures	2	SD
	Harappan civilization	6	SD
	The Vedic Period	6	SC

	Territorial States and the rise of Magadha	6	PKP
	Iranian and Macedonian Invasions, Alexander's Invasion and impact	2	SC
	Jainism and Buddhism	6	SC
	Emergence and growth of Mauryan Empire; state administration, economy, Ashoka's Dhamma, Art & Architecture	14	PKP
	The Satvahana Phase	4	SD
	The Sangam Age	4	SD
	The age of the Indo-Greeks, Shakas Parthians & Kushanas: aspects of polity, society, religion, art & crafts, coins, commerce and towns.	8	SC

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CC – 3 History of India from 1206 to 1707	Foundation, expansion & consolidation of the Selhi Sultanate; nobility & Iqta system	8	SS
	Miltar, administrative & economic reforms under the Khiljis and the Tughlaqs	10	SS
	Bhakti & Sufi movement	4	SS
	Provincial kingdoms: Mewar, Bengal, Vijaynagar & Bahamanis	6	PKP
	Second Afghan State	4	PKP
	Emergence and consolidation of Mughal State, C. 16 th century to, mid -17 th century	2	SS
	Akbar to Aurangzeb	14	PKP
	Economy, society & culture under the Mughals	6	PKP
	Emergence of Maratha Power	6	PKP

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Paper	Topic	Lect.	Faculty
CC – 11 History of Modern Europe (c1780 – 1939)	The French Revolution and its European repercussions	10	SD
	Restoration and Revolution – c1815 -1848	10	PKP
	Capitalist Industrialization and Social and Economic Transformation (late 18 th century to AD1914)	10	SD
	Varieties of Nationalism and the Remarking of states in the 19 th and 20 th centuries	10	SD
	Imperialism, War and Crisis: c1880 -1918	10	PKP
	Europe between Two World Wars	10	SD

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CC – 12 History of India (c1750s – 1857)	India in the mid-18 th Century, Society, Economy, Polity	10	PKP
	Expansion and conodidation of Colonial power	10	PKP
	Colonial State and ideology	10	PKP
	Rural Economy and Society	10	PKP
	Trade and Industry	10	PKP
	Popular Resistance	10	PKP

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Paper -1 – DSE-A-1 History of Bengal (c1757 - 1905)	Political history of Bengal under the Nawabs	10	SS
	Administrative history -1765 – 1833	10	SS
	Colonial economy – agriculture, trade and industry	10	SS
	Cultural changes and social and Religious Reform movements	10	SS
	Christian missionaries	10	SS
	Protest movements and insurgencies against the Raj	10	SS

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Paper	Topic	Lect.	Faculty
Paper -5– DSE-B-1 History of Modern East Asia –I China (c1840-1949)	Imperialism and China during the 19 th and early 20 th century	30	SC
	History of China (cc.1919- 1949)	30	SC

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Paper	Topic	Lect.	Faculty
CC-3 History of India (C300 – C750CE)	Economy and society (circa 300 BCE to circa CE300)	10	SD
	Changing political formations (circa 300 BCE to circa CE300)	14	PKP
	Towards early medieval India(circa fourth century to CE750)	20	SD
	Religion, philosophy and society (circa 300 BCE – CE 750)	6	SC
	Cultural developments (circa 300 BCE to circa CE750)	10	SC

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CC- 4 – Group – B & C Social formations and cultural patterns of the Medieval World other than India (C300 – C750CE)	Crisis of the Roman Empire and its principal causes - Historiography	10	SS
	Religion and culture in Medieval Europe	24	SS
	The feudal society its origins and its crisis – Historiography	12	SS
	Judaism and Christianity under Islam	14	SS

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Paper	Topic	Lect.	Faculty
CC- 8 Rise of the Modern West – II	Printing revolution; revolution in war techniques	10	SS
	Crisis in Europe in the 17 th century; Its economic, social and political dimensions	10	SS
	The English revolution major issues; Political and intellectual issues	10	SS
	Scientific Revolution; Emergence of scientific academies; Origins of Enlightenment	10	SS
	Mercantilism and European economics; Preludes to the Industrial Revolution	10	DC
	European politics in the 17 th & 18 th century; Parliamentary monarchy; Patterns of absolutism in Europe	10	SS

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Paper	Topic	Lect.	Faculty
CC-9 History of India (c1526 – 1605)	Sources and Historiography	4	SD
	Establishment of Mughal rule	12	SD
	Consolidation of Mughal rule under Akbar	12	SC
	Expansion and Integration	12	SD
	Rural Society and Economy	8	SC
	Political and religious ideals	8	SC

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Paper	Topic	Lect.	Faculty
CC- 10 History of India (c1605 – 1750s)	Sources: Persian and vernacular literary cultures, histories, memories and travelogues	3	SC
	Political culture under Jahangir and Shah Jahan	14	SC
	Mughal Empire under Aurangzeb	14	SC
	Visual culture: Paintings and Architecture V. Patterns of Regional Politics	6	SC
	Trade and Commerce	8	PKP

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Paper	Topic	Lect.	Faculty
SEC – B – 1 Understanding popular Culture	Introduction : Defining popular culture and understanding it historically	4	SD
	Visual expressions Folk art, calendar art, photography	6	SD
	Performance; Theatre; music; folk; tales/swang and Nautanki: Identifying themes, functionality, anxieties	6	SD
	The audio-visual: cinema and television	8	SD

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CC- 2 History of India (c300 – 1206)	The Rise & growth of the Guptas	10	SC
	Harsha & his times	6	SC
	South India – polity, society, economy, culture	10	SD
	Towards the Early Medieval : changes in society, polity economy and culture with reference to the Pallavas, Chalukayas and Vardhanas	12	SD
	Evolution of political structures of Rashtakutas, Pala & Pratiharas	10	SD
	Emergence of Rajput states in Northern India	6	SD
	Arabs in Sindh	2	SC
	Struggle for power in Northern India & establishment of Sultanate	4	SC

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CC- 4 History of India (1707 – 1950)	Interpreting the 18 th century	6	SS
	Emergence of Independent states & establishment of colonial power	10	SS
	Expansion & consolidation of colonial power upto 1857	12	SS
	Uprising of 1857	8	SS

	Colonial economy	4	PKP
	Socio-Religious movements in the 19 th century	4	PKP
	Emergence & growth of nationalism with focus on Gandhian nationalism	6	SS
	Communalism	4	PKP
	Advent of freedom	6	PKP

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Paper	Topic	Lect.	Faculty
CC- 13 History of India (C1857 – 1964)	Cultural changes and social and religious reform movements	10	PKP
	Nationalism : Trends up to 1919	10	PKP
	Gandhian nationalism after 1919	10	PKP
	Nationalism and social groups: Interfaces	5	PKP
	Communalism	5	PKP
	Independence and Partition	10	PKP
	Emergence of a New State	10	PKP

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CC- 14	The cold war	6	SD

History of World Politics (1945 – 1994)	The USA in World Politics	6	SD
	The USSR in World Politics	6	SD
	Manifestation of Cold War	6	SD
	De-Stalinisation; Thaw in cold war, Détente and road to the ending of Cold War	6	SD
	Disintegration and Decline of the Soviet Union	6	SD
	Emergence of the people's Republic of China	6	SD
	West Asian Crisis	6	SD
	Decolonization	6	SD
	Protest Politics	6	SD

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DSE – A –3 History of Bengal (c1905 – 1947)	Partition of Bengal and Swadeshi Movement	12	SS
	Communal Politics	6	SS
	Gandhian nationalism after 1919	14	SS
	Government of India Act 1935 and its aftermath	4	SS
	Peasant movements in Bengal 1920 - 1946	8	SS
	Subhash Chandra Bose and the Congress	8	SS
	Independence and Partition	8	SS

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DSE – B –3 History of Modern East Asia – II Japan (c1868 – 1945)	Transition from feudalism of capitalism	30	SC
	Japanese Imperialism	10	SC
	Democracy and Militarism/Fascism	20	SC
	Government of India Act 1935 and its aftermath	4	SS
	Peasant movements in Bengal 1920 - 1946	8	SS
	Subhash Chandra Bose and the Congress	8	SS
	Independence and Partition	8	SS