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Department of History

Under Choice Based Credit System (CBSE)

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INTRODUCTION

The B.A. History Hones course will be of 3 years with 6 semesters in every 6 months under choice-based credit system (CBCS). There will be 14 papers (Core Course) in all. The students will offer 2 ability enhancement compulsory courses (AECC) in each first and second semester, 2 skill enhancement course (SEC) in each third and fourth semester. And 4 papers each from a list of discipline specific elective (DSE) in each fifth and sixth semester and generic elective papers (GE) in each first, second, third and fourth semester in each respectively.

The examination will be taken for 80 marks for each paper in one sitting for 3 hrs at end of every semester. The remaining 20 marks in each paper shall be allotted to the seasonal work to be evaluated by the departmental council in the form of written component (Mid Semester) 15 marks and remaining 5 marks will be for assignment with Extracurricular activities, General behaviour, seminar and attendance in the class room Lectures.

In End semester Ten (10) questions are to be set in which five (5) questions need to be answered. Questions to a tune of 20% may be repeated from the last year questions.

The University examination for 1st, 3rd and 5th semesters will be held in the month of December and the 2nd, 4th and 6th semesters in the month of June every current academic year.

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SCHEME FOR
CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)
IN B.A. Honours

S E M E S T E R	CORE COURSE (14)	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) (2)	Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) (2)	Elective: Discipline Specific DSE (4)	Elective: Generic (GE) (4)
I	C 1	(English / MIL Communication)/ Environmental Science			GE-1
	C 2				
II	C 3	Environmental Science/(English/ MIL Communication)			GE-2
	C 4				
III	C 5		SEC -1		GE-3
	C 6				
	C 7				
IV	C 8		SEC -2		GE-4
	C 9				
	C 10				
V	C 11			DSE-1	
	C 12			DSE -2	
VI	C 13			DSE -3	
	C 14			DSE -4	

DSPMU – CBCS Course Structure for UG Courses

Semester	Course	Credit	Full Marks	Mid Sem	End Sem	Pass Marks
Sem - I	Core - 1	6	100	20	80	40
	Core - 2	6	100	20	80	40
	General Elective - I	6	100		100	40
	AECC	2	100		100	40
Sem - II	Core - 3	6	100	20	80	40
	Core - 4	6	100	20	80	40
	General Elective - II	6	100		100	40
	AECC	2	100		100	40
Sem - III	Core - 5	6	100	20	80	40
	Core - 6	6	100	20	80	40
	Core - 7	6	100	20	80	40
	General Elective - III	6	100		100	40
	SEC - I	2	100		100	40
Sem - IV	Core - 8	6	100	20	80	40
	Core - 9	6	100	20	80	40
	Core - 10	6	100	20	80	40
	General Elective - IV	6	100		100	40
	SEC - II	2	100		100	40
Sem - V	Core - 11	6	100	20	80	40
	Core - 12	6	100	20	80	40
	DSE - I	6	100	20	80	40
	DES - II	6	100	20	80	40
Sem - VI	Core - 13	6	100	20	80	40
	Core - 14	6	100	20	80	40
	DSE - III	6	100	20	80	40
	DES - IV	6	100	20	80	40
Total 140 Credits						

Structure of B.A (Hons) History Course under CBCS

Core Papers (C)

14 Papers

Credit: 6 each, 5 Classes, 1 Tutorial

- Paper 1 : History of India-I (Earliest times to Mauryan Age)
- Paper 2 : History of Jharkhand (Upto 1857 AD)
- Paper 3 : History of India-II (Post Maurayan to 650 A.D.)
- Paper 4 : History of Jharkhand (1857-2000 AD)
- Paper 5 : History of India-III (c. 650-1206)
- Paper 6 : History of West Asia – I (Upto 1920)
- Paper 7 : History of India IV (c.1206-1526)
- Paper 8 : History of West Asia – II (After the First World War)
- Paper 9 : History of India-V (c. 1526-1707)
- Paper 10 : History of India-VI (c. 1707-1857)
- Paper 11 : History of Modern Europe- I (c. 1789-1871)
- Paper 12 : History of India-VII (c. 1858-1947)
- Paper 13 : History of India-VIII (Indian Freedom Movement – Rise of Nationalism to 1947 A.D.)
- Paper 14 : History of Modern Europe- II (1871-1945)

Discipline Specific Elective (DSE)

Any Four Papers

Credit: 6 each, 5 Classes, 1 Tutorial

- Paper 1 : History of United States of America -I(C. 1776 -1945)
- Paper 2 : History of United States of America -II(C. 1776 - 1945)
- Paper 3 : History of the USSR-I (c. 1917- 1964)
- Paper 4 : History of the USSR-II (c. 1917- 1964)
- Paper 5 : History of Africa (c. 1500 - 1960s)
- Paper 6 : History of Latin America (c. 1500 - 1960s)
- Paper 7 : History of Southeast Asia-The 19th Century
- Paper 8 : History of Southeast Asia-The 20th Century
- Paper 9 : History of China (c.1839-1949)
- Paper 10 : History of Japan (c.1850-1945)

Generic Elective (GE)
Any Four Papers
Credit: 6 each, 5 Classes, 1 Tutorial

- Paper 1 : Ancient Indian History (Early times to Pre-Gupta age)
- Paper 2 : Ancient Indian History (The age of Gupta to 1206 A.D.)
- Paper 3 : Medieval India (1206 – 1707 A.D.)
- Paper 4 : History of Modern India (1707 – 1947 A.D.)
- Paper 5 : Environmental Issues in India
- Paper 6 : Research Methodology in History
- Paper 7 : Making of Contemporary India
- Paper 8 : History of West Asia
- Paper 9 : Indian and her Neighbours (c. 1947-2000)
- Paper 10 : Issues in Contemporary World

Ability Enhancement Course (AEC)
Compulsory- 2 Papers
Credit: 2 each, 2 Classes

Environmental Science
English/ MIL

Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)
Any Two Papers
Credit: 2 each, 2 Classes

- Paper 1 : Understanding Heritage
- Paper 2 : Art Appreciation: An Introduction to Indian Art
- Paper 3 : Archives and museums
- Paper 4 : Understanding Popular Culture
- Paper 5 : Swachh Bharat Abhiyan Activities

DETAILED SYLLABUS

Core paper (C)

14 Papers

Credit: 6 each, 5 Classes, 1 Tutorial

PAPER 1 : HISTORY OF INDIA- I (Early times to Mauryan Age)

- I. Reconstructing Ancient Indian History**
 - a) Geographical Features of India and their influence on History of India,
 - b) Sources of Ancient Indian History,

- II. Pre-History**

Paleolithic Age, Mesolithic Age, Neolithic Age & Chalcolithic Age.
(Meaning, Distribution and Expansion)

- III. Proto-History : The Harappan civilization**
 - a) Origins,
 - b) Settlement patterns and town planning,
 - c) Social, Economic, Religious and Cultural Life,
 - d) Causes of its decline.

- IV. The Vedic Civilization**
 - a) Early Vedic Civilization : Political, Social, Economic, Religious & Cultural Life (as reflected in Vedic Literature)
 - b) Later Vedic Civilization : Political, Social, Economic, Religious & Cultural Changes in the life of the Aryans.

- V. India in the Sixth Century B.C.**
 - a) Political condition : Janapadas,
 - b) Religious Reformation Movement : Jainism and Buddhism
 - c) The Rise of Magadha as paramount political power.
(From Haryak dynasty to Nand dynasty)

- IV. The Mauryan Empire**
 - a) Chandra gupta maurya : Conquests and administration,
 - b) Dhamma of Asoka : Concept and Propagation,
 - c) The downfall of Mauryas.

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PAPER 2 : HISTORY OF JHARKHAND (UP to 1857 A.D.)

I. Geography and People

- a) Physiography of Jharkhand – Land, Climate, Forests, Minerals
- b) People – The Oraons, The Mundas, The Santhals :
 - 1. Their settlements in Jharkhand
 - 2. Social, Religious and Cultural System
- c) Village administration of the tribals in Chotanagpur.

II. The Nagvanshi Raj

- a) Origin
- b) Nature and achievements

III. The British Raj

- a) British entry into Jharkhand and its early relation with the Rajas of Palamau, Singhbhum and Chotanagpur.
- b) Revenue Administration under the British Raj.
- c) Judicial Administration under the British Raj.

IV. Revolts

- a) Kol Revolt
- b) Bhumij Revolt
- c) Santhal Hul

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- Rajeshwari Prasad : Asur, Ranchi.

PAPER 3 : HISTORY OF INDIA - II (Post Mauryan to 650 A.D.)

I. Post Mauryan developments (c. 200 BC. – c 300 BC.)

- a) Invasions and their impacts : Bactrian Greeks, Kushanas.
- b) Polity : Shungas (Pushyamitri Shunga),
Kushanas (Kanishka – I) and
Satvahanas (Gautamiputra Satakarni).
- c) Economy : Land grant, trade and trade routes, Indo-Roman trade.
- d) Religion and Culture : Emergence of Mahayana Buddhism, art and sculpture.

II. Sangam age : Polity, Society, Literature and Culture.

III. Age of Guptas :

- a) Samudragupta – Achievements.
- b) Chandragupta II – Achievements.
- c) Cultural developments – Art, Architecture, Sculpture, Painting, Literature and Religion.
Cultural contacts with central Asia.
- d) State and Administrative institution.
- e) Decline.

IV. Harshvardhana : Conquest and administration.

V. Peninsular India :

- Chalukya, Pallavas - Polity and economy.
Cultural development with special reference to art and religion.

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PAPER 4 : HISTORY OF JHARKHAND (1857 A.D. to 2000 A.D.)

I. The Christian Missionaries in Jharkhand

II. The Revivalist Movement in Jharkhand

- a) Birsa Movement
- b) Tana Bhagat Movement

III. Jharkhand and Indian National Movement

- a) 1857 revolt and Jharkhand
- b) Non-Co-operation movement in Jharkhand
- c) Civil Disobedience Movement in Jharkhand
- d) Revolutionary Movement in Jharkhand
- e) Quit India Movement in Jharkhand

IV. Jharkhand Movement and Formation of State

- a) Jharkhand Movement in the British period
- b) Jharkhand Movement in Independent India
- c) Formation of the Jharkhand State

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PAPER 5 : HISTORY OF INDIA - III (650 A.D. to 1206 A.D.)

I. Arab Invasion : causes and impact.

II. Rise of the Rajputs and their Administration

III. Regional Political Powers -

Rashtrakutas, Palas and Pratiharas, Tripartite Struggle

IV. Prominent Dynasties of South India

Chalukya, Pallava and Chola

V. Condition of India on the eve of Turk's Invasion

Political, Social, Economic and Religion.

VI. Turk's Invasion

- a) Invasions of Mahmud Ghaznavi – causes, nature and impact.
- b) Al-Biruni and his description on India
- c) Invasions of Muhammad Gori – causes, nature and impact.
- d) Causes of the success of Turks / Failure of Rajput power in 12th century A.D.

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PAPER 6 : HISTORY OF WEST ASIA – I (Up to 1920 A.D.)

- I.**
 - a) The importance of West Asia : Geographical, Political and Economic
 - b) Ottoman Empire: Decline and Fall
 - c) Young Turk Movement

- II.**
 - a) The First World War and West Asia
 - b) Paris Peace Settlement and Turkey
 - c) The establishment of the Turkish Republic
 - d) Mustafa Kemal and Transformation of Turkey

- III.** Mandate System in West Asia
 - a) British Mandate in Iraq
 - b) French Mandate in Syria
 - c) British Mandate in Palestine and The Palestine problem

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PAPER 7 : HISTORY OF INDIA - IV (c.1206 to 1526)

- 1. Establishment of Turkish Rule in India**
 - a. Qutub-uddin-Aibaq
 - b. Iltutmish
 - c. Balban : Theory of Kingship.

- 2. Ala-ud-din-Khilji**

Imperialism, Administrative, Revenue and Market Policy.

- 3. Tughlaq Dynasty**
 - a. Muhammad-bin-Tughlaq : Character and Policy
 - b. Firoz Tughlaq : Reforms

- 4. Mongol Threat**

- 5. Timur's invasion**

- 6. Sikandar Lodi**

- 7. Administration of Delhi Sultanate :**

Central, Provincial and Military organisation, Iqta System

- 8. Disintegration of the Delhi Sultanate**

- 9. Religion and Culture**
 - a. Sufism : Doctrines, Silsilas and practices
 - b. Bhakti Movement
 - c. Sultanate architecture

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PAPER 8 : HISTORY OF WEST ASIA - II (After the First World war)

1.
 - a) Turkish Foreign policy between the two World Wars
 - b) Arab Nationalism between the two World Wars
 - c) Palestine problems between the two World Wars
 - d) Saudi Arabis under Ibn-Saud
 - c) Reza Shah Pahlavi and Iran

2. **The Second World War and West Asia**
 - a) Iraq and second World War
 - b) Iran and Second World War
 - c) Syria and Second World War
 - d) Lebanon and Second World War

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- a) Mansabdari and Jagirdari System.
- b) The Mughal Ruling Class – Nobility and Zamindar.

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- b) Angli-Mysore relation, Life and achievement of Haider Ali and Tipu Sultan.
- c) Anglo-Awadh relation.
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- a) Warren Hestings.
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- a) Land revenue system and their Impacts.
- b) Drain of Wealth.

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I. Pre-Colonial Structures of Power and authority c. 1800.

II. Economy and Society in early 19th c.

- a) Patterns of Production in agriculture and the crafts.
- b) Organization of trade and banking.
- c) Cultural expressions: Folk and Classical.
- d) Islam and popular culture.

III. Colonization and Colonial Transformations:

- a) Processes of colonial control and the Informal Empire in Thailand.
- b) Peasant society and agrarian transformations, plantations, forests, mining.
- c) Urbanization: Colonial cities in Plural Societies.
- d) Culture:
 1. Colonial Discourses and the Creation of National Culture.
 2. Oral traditions, literacy and the case of Malay Hikayats.
 3. Creation of Perfect Natives.
 4. Education.

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I. Migration: Indian and Chinese Labour and Capital

II. Movements of Resistance and the making of new identities

- a) Peasant resistance.
- b) Radicalism and the Origins of the Vietnamese Revolution, 1920-1946.
- c) Indonesian Revolution, 1945-1949.

III. Emergence of Modern Nations and States

- a) The Union of Burma (Myanmar), 1948-1962.
- b) Indonesia, the Sukarno Era, 1949-1965.
- c) Cambodia under Norodom Sihanouk, 1955-1970.

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PAPER 9 : HISTORY OF CHINA (c.1839-1949)

I. Opium War

- a) First Opium war - causes and effects.
- b) Second Opium War - causes and effects.
- c) The battle of Concessions.
- d) Reaction against Imperialism – Taiping Rebellion.

II. The Emergence of Nationalism in China

- a) Boxer Rebellion – 1900.
- b) Reform of 1901-1908.
- c) Intellectual Ideas and May fourth Movements.

III. a) Chinese Revolution of 1911.

- b) War Lordism 1916-28.
- c) Kuomintang Party
 - i. Dr. Sun Yat Sen
 - ii. Yuan-Shi-Kai.
 - iii. Chiang-Kai-Shek.
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- I.** a) Opening of Japan.
- b) Meiji Restoration and Modernization of Japan.
- c) Meiji Constitution of 1889
- d) Rise of Japan as a world power 1894-1904 :
 - i. Sino-Japanese War of 1894-95 : Causes and Effects.
 - ii. Anglo-Japanese Alliance of 1902.
 - iii. Russo-Japanese War of 1904-05 : Causes and Effects.
- II.** a) Japan and the First World War.
- c) The Washington Conference 1921-1922
- d) Japan and Manchuria.
- e) Militarism in Japan
- e) Second Sino-Japanese War of 1936-1937 : Causes and Effects.
- f) Japan and the Second World War.

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(Early times to pre-Gupta age)

I. Survey of sources to Ancient Indian History :
Literary and Archaeological Sources

II. Proto- History- Harppan civilisation :

Origin, Distribution, Morphology of major sites (Mohenjodaro, Harappa, Kalibanga, Lothal, Dholavira), Feature and Decline.

III. The Vedic Civilization :

- a) Early Vedic Civilization : Political, Social, Economic, Religious & Cultural Life (as reflected in Vedic Lierature)
- b) Later Vedic Civilization : Political, Social, Economic, Religious & Cultural Changes in the life of the Aryans.

IV. The rise of Magadha as paramount political power :
from Haryak dynasty to Nand dynasty.

V. The Mauryan Empire :

- i. Chandragupta Maurya,
- ii. Dhamma of Ashoka : concept and propagation,
- iii. Mauryan administration

VI. Alexander's invasion and its impacts

VII. Post Mauryan developments (c. 200 BC. - c. 300 BC.)

- a. Invasions and their impacts : Bactrian Greeks, Scythians, Kushana
- b. Polity : Shungas (Pushyamitra Shunga), Kusha nas (Kanishka) and Satvahanas (Gautamiputra Satkarni)
- c. Economy : land grants, trade and trade routes
- d. Art and culture : Gandhar and Mathura art
- e. Sangam age : polity, society, literature and culture.

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1. **Age of Guptas :**
 - I. Chandragupta I,
 - II. Samudragupta
 - III. Chandragupta II,
 - IV. Golden Age : Cultural developments - art, architecture, sculpture, painting, literature, and religion, cultural contacts with central Asia
 - V. Administrative institution,
 - VI. Decline.
2. **.Harshvardhana :** conquest and administration
3. **Peninsular India :** Chalukya, Pallavas; Polity and economy, cultural development with special reference to art and religion.
4. **Arab invasion :** causes and impact
5. **Political development :** nature of regional politics with special reference to the Pratiharas, Palas, Rashtrakutas.
6. **Cholas dynasty**
7. **Gazhni's and Ghouri's invasions :** nature, causes and impact

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PAPER 3 : MEDIEVAL INDIAN HISTORY (1206 A.D. to 1707 A.D.)

1. **Establishment of Turkish Rule in india :**
 - a. Qutub-uddin-Aibaq,
 - b. Illtutmish
 - c. Balban : theory of kingship.
2. **Ala-ud-din-Khilji :** Revenue and Market Policy
3. **Tughlaq Dynasty :**
 - a. Muhammad-bin-Tughlaq : policy,
 - b. Firoz Tughlaq : reforms.
4. **Sikandar Lodi**
5. **Administration of Delhi Sultanate :** Central, Provincial and Military organisation, Iqta system
6. **Religion and Culture :**
 - a. Sufism : doctrines, Silsilas and practices
 - b. Bhakti Movement
 - c. Sultanate architecture
7. **Vijaynagar and Bahmani Kingdom :** Polity and Culture.
8. **Babar :** Conqueror and Empire builder
9. **Shershah :** Administration and Revenue Policy
10. **Akbar :** Religious Policy, Rajput Policy
11. **Jahangir :** Role of Noor Jahan in Mughal Polity
12. **Shahjahan :** Golden age, War of succession
13. **Aurangzeb :** Deccan Policy and Religious Policy
14. **Decline and disintegration of the Mughal Empire :** New approaches
15. **Shivaji :** Early life, Conquest and Administration
16. **Advent of European Powers :** Portuguese, French and English

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PAPER 4 : HISTORY OF MODERN INDIA (1707 - 1947 A.D.)

- 1. Rise of the British Power in Bengal :**
 - a. Battle of Plassey,
 - b. Battle of Buxar

- 2. Expansion of British Rule :**
 - a. Anglo-Maratha relation
 - b. Anglo-Mysore relation, Life and achievement of Haider Ali and Tipu sultan,
 - c. Anglo-Awadh relation
 - d. Anglo-Sikh relation, Ranjit Singh and Anglo-Sikh wars.

- 3. Growth of Administration :**
 - a. Warren Hastings
 - b. Lord Cornwallis,
 - c. Lord Wellesley : Subsidiary Alliances,
 - d. William Bentick : Reforms,
 - e. Lord Dalhousie : Doctrine of Lapse, Reforms

- 4. Rural Economy and Society :**
 - a. Land Revenue System and their Impacts
 - b. Drain of Wealth

- 5. Cultural Changes and Social and Religious Reform Movement :**
 - a. Rise of Modern Education;
 - b. Growth of Press and Role in National Movement
 - c. Socio-religious revivalist/reform movement :
Brahm Samaj, Arya Samaj, Prathna Samaj, Ramkrishna Mission,
 - d. Deoband School and Aligarh Movement

- 6. Revolt of 1857 : causes, nature, expansion, result and impact**

- 7. Lord Lytton, Lord Ripon and Lord Curzon**

- 8. Constitutional Development :**
 - a. Morley-Minto Reforms, 1909
 - b. Montague-Chełmsford Reforms, 1919
 - c. Govt. of India Act, 1935
 - d. Indian Independence Act, 1947

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I. The importance of Environment.

II. Geography, Ecology and Cultures in Pre-Colonial India

Land, Forests, Dams, Water, Pastures, Ecology of Hills and Mountains

III. Colonialism and developments in the Environment

- a) New Regimes of land, Forests, Water and Irrigation
- b) Resistance: Peasants, Tribals and Pastoralists.

IV. Environmental Issues in Independent India

Forests, Dams, Displacement, Pollution, Degradation.

V. Environmental Movements in Independent India

Forests, Dams, Displacement, Pollution.

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PAPER 6 : RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN HISTORY

1. Time, space, human agency

- a. Sources: written, oral, visual, and archaeological
- b. Facts and historical facts; interpretation and meaning
- c. Objectivity, causality, generalization, historical imagination
- d. Narrative and history
- e.

2. History and other disciplines

- a. History and Archaeology
- b. History and Anthropology
- c. History and Psychology
- d. History and Literature

3. Historians at work:

Representative writings of any two major historians are to be critically evaluated on the parameters of the research methodology with an emphasis on the use of the sources, methodology, arguments and conclusion. (i) Jadunath Sarkar, (ii) Romila Thapar

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I. Towards Independence and Emergence of the New State

- a) Government of India Act 1935
- b) Working of the GOI Act
- c) Negotiations for Independence and Popular Movements Partition
- d) Riots and Rehabilitation

II. Making of the Republic ;The Constituent Assembly;

Drafting of the Constitution Integration of Princely States

III. Indian Democracy at Work c1950- 1970s Language, Region

- a) Caste and Religion
- b) Electoral Politics and the Changing Party System
- c) Regional Experiences India and the World
- d) Non Aligned Movement

IV. Economy Society and Culture c 1950-1970s

- a) The Land Question
- b) Planned Economy
- c) Industry and Labour Science and Education
- d) The Women's Question : Movements and Legislation

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I.

- a) First World War and West Asia
- b) Mandate system in West Asia
 - 1. British Mandate in Iraq
 - 2. French Mandate in Syria
 - 3. British Mandate in Palestine.

II.

- a) Ottoman Empire - decline and fall
- b) Establishment of the Turkish Republic and Mustafa Kemal
- c) Foreign policy of Turkey between two world wars

III.

- a) Second world War and west Asia
- b) Formation of Arab League
- c) Arab-Israel conflict over Palestine

IV. Oil Diplomacy

- a) Oil Diplomacy and West
- b) Gulf War

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PAPER 9 : INDIA AND HER NEIGHBOURS (c.194 to 2000)

1. Pakistan

- a. India's relation with Pakistan
- b. Changing faces
- c. Political developments

2. Bangladesh

- a. India's relation with Bangladesh
- b. Changing faces
- c. Political developments

3. Sri Lanka

- a. India's relation with Sri Lanka
- b. Changing faces
- c. Political developments

4. Myanmar

- a. India's relation with Myanmar
- b. Changing faces
- c. Political developments

5. Bhutan and Nepal

- a. India's relation with Bhutan and Nepal
- b. Changing faces
- c. Political developments

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1. Colonialism and Nationalism

- a. A Synoptic view,
- b. Social Transformation after the Second World War
- c. United Nations and UNESCO,
- d. NAM, Cold War: the character of Communist States

2. Perspectives on Development and Underdevelopment

Globalization - a long view

3. Ecological, Feminist, Human Rights issues

4. Modernity and Cultural Transformation

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Credits, -2 each, 2 Classes

PAPER 1 : UNDERSTANDING HERITAGE

This course will enable students to understand the different facets of heritage and their significance. It highlights the legal and institutional frameworks for heritage protection in India as also the challenges facing it. The implications of the rapidly changing interface between heritage and history will also be examined. The course will be strongly project-based and will require visits to sites and monuments. At least two Projects will be based on visits to Museums/Heritage Sites.

1. Defining Heritage

Meaning of antiquity, archaeological site, tangible heritage, intangible heritage and art treasure

2. Evolution of Heritage Legislation and the Institutional Framework

Conventions and Acts— national and international Heritage-related government departments, museums, regulatory bodies etc. Conservation Initiatives

3. Challenges facing Tangible and Intangible Heritage

Development, antiquity smuggling, conflict (to be examined through specific case studies)

4. Evolution of Heritage Legislation and the Institutional Framework

Conventions and Acts— national and international Heritage-related government departments, museums, regulatory bodies etc. Conservation Initiatives

5. Challenges facing Tangible and Intangible Heritage

Development, antiquity smuggling, conflict (to be examined through specific case studies)

6. Heritage and Travel

Viewing Heritage Sites The relationship between cultural heritage, landscape and travel recent trends

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Nicholas B Dirks, *Autobiography of an Archive*, Permanent Black, 2015

Abhijit Gupta, *Founts of Knowledge*, Orient Blackswan, 2016

David Lowenthal, *Possessed By The Past: The Heritage Crusade and The Spoils of History*, Cambridge, 2010

Layton, R. P. Stone and J. Thomas. *Destruction and Conservation of Cultural Property*. London: Rutledge, 2001

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PAPER 2 : ART APPRECIATION AN INTRODUCTION TO INDIAN ART

The purpose of this course is to introduce students to Indian art, from ancient to contemporary times, in order to understand and appreciate its diversity and its aesthetic richness. The course will equip students with the abilities to understand art as a medium of cultural expression. It will give students direct exposure to Indian art through visuals, and visits to sites and museums.

I. Prehistoric and protohistoric art: Rock art; Harappan arts and crafts

II. Indian art (c. 600 BCE – 600 CE)

World Heritage Site Managers, UNESCO World Heritage Manuals

[can be downloaded/ accessed at www.unesco.org]

Notions of art and craft Canons of Indian paintings Major developments in stupa, cave, and temple art and architecture Early Indian sculpture: style and iconography Numismatic art

III. Indian Art (c. 600 CE – 1200 CE)

Temple forms and their architectural features Early illustrated manuscripts and mural painting traditions Early medieval sculpture: style and iconography Indian bronzes or metal icons

IV. Indian art and architecture (c. 1200 CE – 1800 CE)

Sultanate and Mughal architecture Miniature painting traditions: Mughal, Rajasthani, Pahari Introduction to fort, palace and haveli architecture

V. Modern and Contemporary Indian art and Architecture:

The Colonial Period Art movements: Bengal School of Art, Progressive Artists Group, etc. Major artists and their artworks Popular art forms (folk art traditions)

ESSENTIAL READINGS

Edith Tomory: History of Fine Art in India and The West, Orient Blackswan, 2004

Jon Lang, A Concise History of Modern Architecture in India, Permanent Black, 2010

Monika Juneja: Architecture in Medieval India, Permanent Black, 2008

Neumayer, Erwin, Lines of Stone: The pre-historic rock-art of India, South Asia Books, 1993

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Huntington, Susan, The Art of Ancient India: Hindu, Buddhist, Jain, Weatherhill, 1985

Guha-Thakurta, Tapati, The making of a new modern Indian art: Aesthetics and nationalism in Bengal, 1850-1920, Cambridge University Press, 1992

Mitter, Partha, Indian Art, Oxford History of Art series, Oxford University Press, 2001 Dhar, Parul Pandya, ed., 2011, Indian Art History Changing Perspectives, New Delhi: D.K.

Printworld and National Museum Institute (Introduction).

Beach, M.C., The New Cambridge History of India I: 3, Mughal and Rajput Painting, Cambridge University Press, 1992.

Ray, Niharranjan, An Approach to Indian Art, Calcutta, 1970

PAPER 3 : ARCHIVES AND MUSEUMS

This course introduces students to the institutions that house and maintain documentary, visual and material remains of the past. Museums and archives are among the most important such repositories and this course explains their significance and how they work. Students will be encouraged to undertake collection, documentation and exhibition of such materials in their localities and colleges. Visit to National Archives and National Museum are an integral part of the course.

1) Definition and History of development (with special reference to India)

2) Fuction of Museum & Archives :

Collection, Identification, Documentation, Interpretation, Presentation (Exhibition), Preservation, Conservation (Preventive& curative, Ethics of Conservation, Couses of daterioration) Restoration.

3) Museum Education & Research.

4) Types of Museum & Legislation concerning Museum :

- a. The Indian Treasure -Trove act 1878,
- b. The Ancient Monuments and Archaeological sites and Remains Act 1958
- c. Antiquity and art Treasure Act 1972.

ESSENTIAL READINGS:

Abhijit Gupta, Founts of Knowledge, Orient Blackswan, 2016

Saloni Mathur, India By Design: Colonial History and Cultural Display, University of California, 2007

Sengupta, S. Experiencing History Through Archives. Delhi : Munshiram Manoharlal. 2004.

Guha, Thakurta, Tapati, Monuments, Objects, Histories: Institution of Art in Colonial

Colonial India, New York, 2004 Kathpalia, Y. P. Conservation and Restoration of Archive Materials.UNESCO, 1973

houdhary, R.D. Museums of India and their maladies. Calcutta: Agam Kala. 1988 Nair, S.M.

Bio-Deterioration of Museum Materials. 2011 Agrawal, O.P., Essentials of Conservation and Museology, Delhi, 20

PAPER 4 : UNDERSTANDING POPULAR CULTURE

The paper examines some popular cultures expressed in different mediums like visual, oral and cultural. In the process of their evolution, these cultures eclectically draw from traditions, articulate anxieties, and even give rise to new traditions. The paper endeavours to equip students with understanding such phenomena historically, with special reference to India. It is imperative that the students use electronic devices to view, record, and document the subject matter.

1. **Introduction :** Defining popular culture and understanding it historically
2. **Visual expressions :** Folk art, calendar art, photography
3. **Performance :** Theatre; music; folk tales/songs/swang and Nautank : Identifying themes, functionality, anxieties
4. **The audio-visual: cinema and television:**
Indian cinema: Mapping the influence of the national struggle for independence (1930s and 40s); Idealized nationalism (1950s), disillusionment and the anti-establishment mood (1970s and 80s); documentary films Expressions of popular culture in television
5. **Fairs, Festivals and Rituals:**
Disentangling mythological stories, patronage, regional variations
6. **Popular culture in a globalized world**
The impact of the Internet and audio-visual media

ESSENTIAL READINGS:

Satyajit Ray, *Our Films Their Films*, Orient Blackswan, 2001
Urvi Mukhopadhyay, *The Medieval in Film*, Orient Blackswan, 2013
Dissanayake, W. and K. M. Gokul Singh, *Indian Popular Cinema*, Trentham Book, London, 2004
John Storey, *Cultural Theory and Popular Culture*, London, 2001
Oberoi, Patricia, *Freedom and Destiny: Gender, Family and Popular Culture in India*, Delhi, 2009
Christopher Princy, *Camera Indica: The Social Life of Indian Photographs*, Chicago, 1998
Pankaj Rag, *Dhuno ke Yatri*, Rajkamal, New Delhi, 2006 (Hindi)
Ramanujan, A.K. *Folktales from India A Selection of Oral Tales from Twenty-two Languages (Only Introduction)*.
Ramaswamy, V. 'Women and the 'Domestic' in Tamil Folk Songs' in KumkumSangari and Uma Chakravarti, eds., *From Myths to Markets: Essays on Gender*, Shimla, 1999
Singh, Lata (ed.), *Theatre in Colonial India: Playhouse of Power*, New Delhi, 2009

PAPER 5 : SWACHH BHARAT ABHIYAN ACTIVITIES

A massive awareness in Society under Swachh Bharat Abhiyan Activities through posters, Social networking sites and word of mouth in the College. Students personally clean every nook and corner of the college. Special attention like cleanliness of areas of the class Room, Canteen, Library, Toilets and the College Lawns which are the favourite haunts of students and therefore more prone to littering.

Students go out to the community, as well as residential colony in the neighbourhood of the college carrying a Nukkar Natak performance to spread awareness and sensitizer the community at large for cleanliness. Also give further impetus to the cleanliness Drive through thought provoking declamation contests, discussions and by organizing extempore activities on the necessity of keeping our surroundings clean and to inculcate a sense of public hygiene. Students do not intent to let the campaign lapse once drive is over.

As part of the Eco Club Activities, the students “greening” of the campus wherein use only self produced organic compost.

Slogan writing competition to be held in the college to promote awareness among students regarding cleanliness.

Bag Picking by the students in the Jhuggis/shops and markets near the college. Students from both, the NSS and the NCC, will be roped in for the effective implementation of the programme/ Swachh Bharat Abhiyan.

SCHEME FOR
CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)
IN B.A. (GENERAL and PASS COURSE) Program

S E M E S T E R	CORE COURSE (12)	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) (2)	Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) (2)	Discipline Specific Elective DSE (4)	Generic Elective GE (4)
I	English/MIL- I	(English / MIL Communication)/ Environmental Science			
	DSC - 1 A				
	DSC - 2 A				
II	MIL/English - I	Environmental Science/ (English / MIL Communication)			
	DSC - 1 B				
	DSC - 2 B				
III	English/MIL- 2		SEC - 1		
	DSC - 1 C				
	DSC - 2 C				
IV	MIL/English - 2		SEC - 2		
	DSC - 1 D				
	DSC - 2 D				
V			SEC - 3	DSE-1 A	
				DSE - 2 A	
VI			SEC - 4	DSE - 1 B	
				DSE - 2 B	

Structure of B.A (General and Pass Course) Programme History as Discipline -1 under CBCS

Core Course - Discipline Specific Course (DSC) - 4

1. History of India from the Earliest Times upto 300 CE
2. History of India from C.300 to 1206.
3. History of India from C. 1206 to 1707
4. History of India from C.1707 to 1950

Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) Any Two

1. Patterns of Colonialism in the World: 15th to 19th Centuries.
2. National liberation Movements in 20th Century World.
3. Some Aspects of European History: C.1780-1945.
4. Patterns of Capitalism in Europe: C.16th Century to early 20th Century
5. Some Aspects of Society & Economy of Modern Europe: 15 – 18 Century
6. Political History of Modern Europe: 15th-18th Century

Generic Elective (Inter-Disciplinary) Any Two

1. Women Studies in India.
2. Women in Politics & Governance.
3. Some Perspectives on Women's Rights in India.
4. Gender and Education in India.
5. History of Indian Journalism: Colonial & Post Colonial Period.
6. Cultures in the Indian Subcontinent

Ability Enhancement Elective Course (AEEC) Any Four

1. Historical Tourism: Theory & Practice
2. Museums & Archives in India
3. Indian History & Culture
4. Ethnographic Practices in India: Tradition of Embroidery; Textile Making, Knitting, Handicrafts
5. An Introduction to Archaeology
6. Documentation & Visual Culture
7. Orality and Oral Culture in India

Core Courses – Discipline Specific Course (DSE) : 4

PAPER I : HISTORY OF INDIA (from Earliest Times up to 300 CE)

- 1. Sources & Interpretation**
- 2. Abroad survey of Palaeolithic, Mesolithic and Neolithic Cultures.**
- 3. Harappan Civilization ;**Origin, Extent, dominant features &decline, Chalcolithic age.
- 4. The Vedic Period:** Polity, Society, Economy and Religion, Iron age with reference to PGW &Megaliths.
- 5. Territorial States and the rise of Magadha,** Conditions for the rise of Mahajanpadas and the Causes of Magadha's success
- 6. Iranian and Macedonian Invasions,** Alexander's Invasion and impact
- 7. Jainism and Buddhism:** Causes, Doctrines, Spread, Decline and Contributions
- 8. The Satvahanas Phase**
Aspects of Political History, Material Culture, Administration, Religion
- 9. Emergence and Growth of Mauryan Empire**
State ,Administration,Econoy,Ashoka's Dhamma,Art &Architecture
- 10. The Satvahana Phase:** Aspects of Political History, Material Culture, and dministration & Religion
- 11. The Sangam Age:**
Samgam Literature, The three Early Kingdoms, Society & the Tamil language
- 12. The age of Shakas**
Parthians & Kushanas, Aspects of Polity, Society, Religion, Arts & Crafts, Coins, Commerce and Towns.

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Basham, A.L. The Wonder That was India
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Sastri, K.A.N. A History of South India
R.S Sharma, India's Ancient Past
Ray, Niharranjan Maurya and Post Maurya Art
Sharma, R.S. Aspects of Political Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India (1991 edn.)
Thapar, Romila Ashoka and the Decline of the Mauryas (1997 edn)
Yazdani, G. Early History of Deccan

PAPER II : HISTORY OF INDIA (from c300 to 1206)

1. **The Rise & Growth of the Guptas:** Administration, Society, Economy, Religion, Art, Literature, and Science & Technology.
2. **Harsha & His Times:** Harsha's Kingdom, Administration, Buddhism & Nalanda
3. **South India:** Polity, Society, and Economy & Culture
4. **Towards the Early Medieval:** Changes in Society, Polity Economy and Culture with reference to the Pallavas, Chalukyas and Vardhanas.
5. **Evolution of Political structures of Rashtakutas, Pala & Pratiharas.**
6. **Emergence of Rajput States in Northern India:** Polity, Economy & Society.
7. **Arabs in Sindh:** Polity, Religion & Society.
8. **Struggle for power in Northern India & establishment of Sultanate.**

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- R S Sharma, Prarambhik Bharat Ka Parichay, Orient Blackswan, 2004
Romila Thapar: Ancient Indian Social History, Orient Blackswan, 2010
R. S. Sharma: Indian Feudalism -India's Ancient Past
B. D. Chattopadhyaya: Making of Early Medieval India
Derryl N. Maclean: Religion and Society in Arab Sindh
K. M. Ashraf: Life and Conditions of the People of Hindustan
M. Habib and K.A. Nizami: A Comprehensive History of India Vol.V
Tapan Ray Chaudhary and Irfan Habib (ed.) : The Cambridge Economic History of India, Vol.I
Peter Jackson: Delhi Sultanate: A Political and Military History
Tara Chand: Influence of Islam on Indian Culture
Satish Chandra: A History of Medieval India, 2 Volumes
Percy Brown, : Islamic Architecture

PAPER III : HISTORY OF INDIA (c.1206 to1707)

1. **Foundation, Expansion & consolidation of the Delhi Sultanate;** Nobility & Iqta system.
2. **Military, administrative & economic reforms under the Khiljis & the Tughlaqs.**
3. **Bhakti & Sufi Movements.**
4. **Provincial kingdoms: Mewar, Bengal, Vijaynagara & Bahamanis.**
5. **Second Afghan State.**
6. **Emergence and consolidation of Mughal State, C.16th century to mid 17th century.**
7. **Akbar to Aurangzeb:** administrative structure-Mansab&Jagirs, State & Religion, Socio-Religious Movements.
8. **Economy, Society & Culture under the Mughals.**
9. **Emergence of Maratha Power.**

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Irfan Habib (ed.) : Madhya Kaleen Bharat, (in Hindi), 8 Volumes,
M. Athar Ali: Mughal Nobility under Aurangzeb,
Shireen Moosvi: The Economy of the Mughal Empire
S.A.A.Rizvi: Muslim Revivalist Movements in Northern India during 16th and 17th Centuries
R.P. Tripathi: The Rise and Fall of the Mughal Empire, 2 vol.
I. H. Siddiqui: Some Aspects of Afghan Despotism
Kesvan Veluthat: Political Structure of Early Medieval South India.
P.J. Marshall: The Eighteenth Century in Indian History.
Stewart Gordon, : The Marathas 1600-1818
Percy Brown, : Islamic Architecture

PAPER IV : HISTORY OF INDIA (c.1707-1950)

- 1. Interpreting the 18th Century.**
- 2. Emergence of Independent States & establishment of Colonial power.**
- 3. Expansion & consolidation of Colonial Power upto 1857.**
- 4. Uprising of 1857: Causes, Nature & Aftermath.**
- 5. Colonial economy: Agriculture, Trade & Industry.**
- 6. Socio-Religious Movements in the 19th century.**
- 7. Emergence & Growth of Nationalism with focus on Gandhian nationalism.**
- 8. Communalism: Genesis, Growth and partition of India.**
- 9. Advent of Freedom: Constituent Assembly, establishment of Republic.**

References:

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Sekhar Bandyopadhyay: *Palasy Se Vibhajan Tak aur Uske Baad*, Orient Blackswan, 2015
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R. Jeffery, J Masseloss, *From Rebellion to the Republic*.
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Parul Brass *The Politics of India since Independence*.
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Bipan Chandra, Aditya Mukherjee, *India After Independence*, Viking, 1999.
Gail Omvedt *Dalits and Democratic Revolution*.
K.G. Subramanian *The Living Tradition: Perspectives on Modern Indian Art*.

Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) : Any Two

PAPER I : PATTERNS OF COLONIALISM IN THE WORLD : 15th to 19th Century

- 1. Defining Colonialism.**
- 2. Establishment of Colonial Empires by Spain and Portugal in 15th-16th centuries.**
- 3. French in Canada: 1534-1763**
- 4. British in India in 18th century.**
- 5. Informal Empire in 19th century Africa.**
- 6. Scramble for Power in late 19th century China.**
- 7. Nature of Colonial control and patterns of subjugation.**

References:

Sekhar Bandyopadhyay, Decolonisation and the Politics of Transition in South Asia, Orient Blackswan, 2016

Ralph Davis, The Rise of the Atlantic Economies, New York, 1973,

J.H Perry, The Establishment of the European Hegemony 1415-1715, Trade & Exploration in the Age of the Renaissance, Harper Torch books, 1959,

K.R.G.Nair & Romey Borges, Discovering French Canada, Allied Publishers, 2002

Ralph Davis, The Rise of the Atlantic Economies,

Christopher Hill, From Reformation to Industrial Revolution Basil Davidson, Modern Africa: A Social and Political History, 3d edn. London / New Jersey: Addison ñ Wesley, 1995

Arvind Sinha, Europe in Transition, Delhi, 2010 (also in Hindi)

PAPER II : NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENTS in 20th Century World

- 1. Nationalism: Theory and Practice.**
- 2. Nature of Imperialism and colonialism**
- 3. National Movements in Nigeria, Kenya, Congo, Angola & South Africa.**
- 4. China between 1911-1949 :** Revolution of 1911, May Fourth Movement and Cultural Revolution under Mao Tse Tung.
- 5. Indonesian Revolution 1945-1949.**
- 6. National Movement in India.**

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- Abhay Prasad Singh, Bharatmain Rastravaad, Orient Blackswan, 2014
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Milton Osborne, Southeast Asia: An Introductory History.
Sumit Sarkar, Modern India, Macmillan, 1984.

PAPER III : SOME ASPECTS OF EUROPEAN HISTORY (c.1780-1939)

- 1. The French Revolution: Genesis Nature & Consequences**
- 2. Napoleonic Era and aftermath.**
- 3. Revolutions of 1830 & 1848.**
- 4. Unification of Italy & Germany.**
- 5. Social and economic Changes.**
- 6. Imperialist Conflicts: W.W I**
- 7. Rise of Fascism and Nazism.**
- 8. Origin of W.W.II**

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- David S Mason, A Concise History of Modern Europe, Orient Blackswan, 2012
Vandana Joshi, Social Movements and Cultural Currents 1789 to 1945, Orient Blackswan, 2010
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Lynn Hunt: Politics, Culture and Class in the French Revolution.
Andrew Porter, European Imperialism, 18760 -1914 (1994).
E.J. Hobsbawm, The Age of Extremes, 1914 - 1991, New York:Vintage, 1996
Carter V. Findley and John Rothey, Twentieth-Century World,Boston: Houghton-Mifflin,
5th ed. 2003

PAPER IV : PATTERNS OF CAPITALISM IN EUROPE (c.16th Century to early 20th Century)

- 1. Definitions & Concepts**
- 2. Commercial Capitalism: 1500-1700**
- 3. Industrial Revolution in England: Causes & Nature**
- 4. Industrial Capitalism in France: Genesis & Nature**
- 5. Growth of Industries in Germany**
- 6. Impact of Industrial Revolution on European Society, Polity & Economy.**

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Jerry Müller, The Mind & the Market
Karl Polanyi, The Great Transformation
Joseph Schumpeter, Capitalism, Socialism & Democracy
Wallerstein, World System Analysis: An Introduction, 2004
Cipolla Carlo, M, Fontana Economic History of Europe, VOL I&II
Christopher Hill, From Reformation to Industrial Revolution,
Jan De Vries, The Industrial Revolution & the Industrious Revolution, 1994

PAPER V : SOCIETY & ECONOMY OF MODERN EUROPE (15th -18 th Century)

- 1. Historiographical Trends**
- 2. Feudal Crisis: Main strands**
- 3. Renaissance: Origin, Spread & Dominant Features**
- 4. European Reformation: Genesis, nature & Impact**
- 5. Beginning of the era of colonization:** motives; mining and plantation; the African slaves
- 6. Economic developments of the sixteenth century;** Shift of economic balance from the Mediterranean to the Atlantic
- 7. Transition from Feudalism to Capitalism:** Industrial Revolution in England

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PAPER VI : POLITICAL HISTORY OF MODERN EUROPE (15Th-18Th Century)

- 1. Europe in the 15th century: Political dimensions of feudal crisis**
- 2. From City States to emergence of Absolutist States:** Case Studies of Italy, Spain, France, England and Russia.
- 3. Constitutional Conflict in 17th century England:** Causes, nature and results.
- 4. Thirty Year War:** Causes, nature and Impact
- 5. Absolutist State in 18th Century:** Case studies of Prussia, Russia & England.
- 6. Crisis of the Absolutist State in France**

References

- ArvindSinha, Europe in Transition, Delhi, 2010 (also in Hindi)
Rodney Hilton, The Transition from Feudalism to Capitalism, Delhi, 2006.
Perry Anderson, Lineages of the Absolutist State, Verso, London 2013
John Merriman, A History of Modern Europe, New York, 2010

Generic Elective (Inter-Disciplinary) Any Two

PAPER I : WOMEN STUDIES IN INDIA

1. **Basic Concepts & Theories :**
 - a. Defining Gender,
 - b. Patriarchy : Ideology & Practice
 - c. Relationship between Gender, Caste, Class, Religion & Politics

2. **Emergence of Women Studies in India**

3. **Gender & Social History :**
 - a. Family & Marriage
 - b. Women's Question in the 19th century
 - c. Women's Movement in Colonial & Post Colonial in India

4. **Gender, Law & Politics :**
 - a. Political participation
 - b. Violence against women & Preventive laws

5. **Gender, Development & Culture:**
 - a. Issues of labour & Health
 - b. Access to resources - Gender audit

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- Subhra Parmar, Narivaad Sidhant Evang Vyavahar, Orient Blackswan, 2015
- Sumit Sarkar, Women and Social Reforms, Permanent Black, 2011
- Subhadra Mitra Channa, Gender, Livelihood and Environment, 2015
- Anjali Dave, Women Survivor of Violence, Orient Blackswan, 2015
- Kamla Bhasin, Understanding Gender Kamla Bhasin, What is Patriarchy?
- Madhu Vij, et al, Women Studies in India, A journey of 25 Years, Rawat, 2014
- Kumkum Sangari & Sudesh Vaid, Recasting Women, Essay in Colonial History, Kali for women, Reprint, 2006
- Sushila Kaushik, Panchayati Raj in Action: Challenges to Women's Role, Delhi, 1996
- Nivedita Menon, Gender & Politics in India, New Delhi, OUP, 1999 Women in Print –The change over the last half century in reporting on women & Gender Issues in Indian newspapers, A study by UNIFEM, by Shri Venkatram, 2003

PAPER II : WOMEN IN POLITICS & GOVERNANCE

- 1. Theoretical Perspectives on Politics & Governance**
- 2. Pre-Colonial Period: Women of learning & ruling classes**
- 3. Colonial Period:** Leaders in reforming activities, politics and national movement
- 4. Electoral Politics,** Women as voters & elected Representatives
- 5. Case Studies at local government levels,** State Assemblies & Parliament.

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Raj Kumar, Women in Politics, Anmol Publishers, New Delhi, 2000
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L.M.Sanghvi, Democracy & the Rule of Law, Ocean Books, Pvt Ltd,
New Delhi, 2002

PAPER III : SOME PERSPECTIVES ON WOMEN'S RIGHTS IN INDIA

1. **Definition of Human Rights:**UN Conventions &Indian Context
2. **Indian Constitution & Women's Rights**
3. **Preventive Acts:** Minimum Wage Act,1948,
Family Courts Act,1986,
Dowry Prohibition Act,1961
Immoral Traffic Prevention Act,1986,
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latest measures
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- 2. Education in Early and medieval times; Formal & Informal**
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- 4. Role of School and Colleges in Colonial and Post Colonial Period.**
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- 2. Advent of Print media :** Imperialist Ideologies
- 3. Nationalism & Print Culture :** Selective study of prominent newspapers : Tribune,
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- 4. Writing & Reporting: Field Work**

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Saptasati, Development of vernacular language and literature; Indo-Persian Literature:
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2. Performing Arts

a) Hindustani, (b) Carnatic classical Music, (c) Devotional music: bhakti and Sufi: -
Classical and Folk Dance, Theatre: Classical, Folk, Colonial and Modern

3. Architecture: Meanings, form and Function

(a) Rock-cut-Mamallapuram (b) structural ñ temple architecture- Khajuraho complex
and Tanjavur temple; (c) fort of Dalulatabad or Chittor forts; (d) palace-dargah at
Fatehpur Sikri; (e) Lutyen's Delhi.

4. 1. Perceptions of visual Past and Present

2. Sculptures and Painting

(a) Silpashastric normative tradition: (b) Classicism ñ Narrative and Sculptural, Mural
Fresco paintings: (c) post Classicism : Pallava , Cola; (d) medieval idiom and Mughal
paintings, painters and illustrated texts: (e) Modern and company school, Ravi Varma,
Bengal School, Amrita Shergil and Progressive Artists.

5. Popular Culture

(a) Folk Lore and Oral tradition of Kathas, narratives, legends and proverbs,
Linkages of bardic and literary traditions. - Festivals, fairs and fasts; Links with
tirtha, pilgrimage and localities.
(b) Textile and Crafts; the Culture of Food.

6. Communication, Patronage and Audiences

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1. Defining Heritage

Art &Architecture in India: An overview: -

Field work: Visit to historical sites &Museums

2. Understanding Built Heritage

- a. Stupa Architecture
- b. Temple Architecture
- c. Indo Persian Architecture, Forts, Palaces, Mosques
- d. Colonial Architecture
- e. Present day structure

3. Field Work: Visit to site &Conducting of research

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 - b. Oral & codified information on medicinal Plants
 - c. Water & Water Bodies
 - d. Fieldwork

2. **Urbanization & Urbanism:**
 - a. Issues of settlements & Landscapes
 - b. Social differentiations
 - c. Communication networks

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 - b. Present context
 - c. Issues of Violence
 - d. Employment, distribution of resources

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 - a. Main components
 - b. Built Heritage
 - c. Historical Tourism

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2. **Contemporary Practices**
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