

**Syllabus of Choice Based Credit
System for M.A. History**

Semester and Credit Pattern for M.A. Course

From the 2019 on wards

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Semester Pattern Scheme of Examination for MA in History								
MA Part I - Semester 1								
			Examination		Internal Assessment		Total	
			Marks	Credits	Marks	Credits	Marks	Credits
Paper I	Historiography	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
Paper II	a. India Under Sultanate Period or b. India Under Company's Rule 1757 -1856 or c. History of India up to 300 B.C.	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
Paper III	a. India Under The Mughals or b. Indian National Movement : 1905-1947	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
Paper IV	Modern World : 1914-1950	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
TOTAL		Full Marks	320	16	80	4	400	20
		Pass Marks	128	6.4	32	1.6	160	8

MA Part I - Semester 2								
			Marks	Credits	Marks	Credits	Marks	Credits
Paper I	Trends and Theories of History	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
Paper II	a. Society, Economy and Culture under the Sultans or b. India Under British Rule : 1857-1905 or c. State, Society and Culture of India, 300 B.C. – 500 A.D.	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
Paper III	a. Society, Economy and the Cultures under the Mughals or b. Independent India : 1947-2000	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
Paper IV	Contemporary World : 1950 - 2000	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
TOTAL		Full Marks	320	16	80	4	400	20
		Pass Marks	128	6.4	32	1.6	160	8

MA Part II - Semester 3								
			Examination		Internal Assessment		Total	
			Marks	Credits	Marks	Credits	Marks	Credits
Paper I	Emergence of Maratha Power in 17th Century	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
Paper II	State in Ancient and Medieval India	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
Paper III	a. Economic History of India : 1757-1857 or b. Peasant Movement in Modern India	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
Paper IV	a. History of Medieval Vidarbha or b. History of Tribal Art and Literature or c. Woman in Indian History or d. Pre- Ambedkar Dalit Movement, 1818-1920 or e. Ecology and Environment	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
TOTAL		Full Marks	320	16	80	4	400	20
		Pass Marks	128	6.4	32	1.6	160	8

MA Part II - Semester 4								
			Marks	Credits	Marks	Credits	Marks	Credits
Paper I	Expansion of Maratha Power : 1707-1818	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
Paper II	State in British India	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
		Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
Paper III	a. Economic History of India : 1858-1947 or	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
	b. Labour Movement in India	Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
Paper IV	a. History of Modern Vidarbha or	Full Marks	80	4	20	1	100	5
	b. History of tribes in Colonial India or c. Woman in Modern Indian History or d. Dalit Movement Under Dr. Ambedkar, 1920-1956 or e. Ecology and Indian Human Societies	Pass Marks	32	1.6	8	0.4	40	2
TOTAL		Full Marks	320	16	80	4	400	20
		Pass Marks	128	6.4	32	1.6	160	8
TOTAL of All 4 Semester		Full Marks	1280	64	320	16	1600	80
		Pass Marks	512	25.6	128	6.4	640	32

**Semester and Credit Pattern for M. A. Course
(From Session 2019-2020)
Gondwana University Gadchiroli
Department of History**

A) General

1. Semesters 1 and 2 will be for M. A. Part I and Semesters 3 and 4 will be for M. A. Part II.
2. There will be minimum 90 teaching days in each Semester.
3. There will be 4 papers in each Semester and all papers will be compulsory.
4. Each paper will be of 100 marks, out of which 80 marks will be for University Examination and 20 marks will be for Internal Assessment.

B) Pattern of Question Paper

5. There will be 4 units in each paper and one question will be asked from each unit.
- 6.
7. Maximum marks for each paper will be 80 in University Examination.
8. Duration of examination for each paper will be 3 hours.

C) Internal Assessment

8. In the Internal Assessment of 20 marks for each paper, 10 marks will be for assignments and 10 marks will be for seminar/viva.
9. There will be 5 credits in each paper - 4 credits for University Examination and 1 credit for Internal Assessment.
10. Passing marks for each paper will be 40 (32 marks / 1.6 credits in University Examination and 8 marks / 0.4 credit in Internal Assessment).
11. The students will be required to pass in both University Examination and Internal Assessment separately, and obtain minimum 40 marks to pass in each paper of each Semester.
12. Credits will be calculated on marks obtained out of 100.

D) Absorption Scheme

13. While switching over to Semester system, failed students will be given three chances to clear.
14. In order to get admission to the third Semester, students should clear first Semester. While appearing for fourth Semester examination, a student should have cleared second Semester.
15. The Students of First Year following annual pattern or Semester pattern will get admission to third semester directly provided they pass in First Year Examination.
16. The failed students of M. A. II of annual pattern or Semester pattern, will be admitted to the third Semester.
17. The failed students of M. A. I of annual pattern or Semester pattern, will be admitted to the first Semester.

D) Grade Point Average (GPA) and Course Grade Point Average (CGPA)

18. The student will be given **Grade Point Average (GPA)** for each Semester and **Course Grade Point Average (CGPA)** after completing all 4 Semesters of the M. A. course. The scheme for calculating **GPA** and **CGPA** is shown in table below:

Marks Obtained Out Of 100	GPA / CGPA	Grades	Equivalent Class / Division
90-100	9.00 – 10.00	O	First Class (Outstanding)
80-89	8.00 – 8.99	A	First Class (Excellent)
70-79	7.00 – 7.99	B	First Class with Distinction
60-69	6.00 – 6.99	C	First Class
55-59	5.50 – 5.99	D	Higher Second class
50-54	5.00 – 5.49	E	Second Class
40-49	4.00 – 4.99	F	Pass
Below 40			Fail

19. The enclosed chart gives the abstract of Semester Pattern Scheme.

M.A. PART-I

SEMESTER 1

Paper I Core - is compulsory

Paper II Core - one optional paper is compulsory

Paper III Core - one optional paper is compulsory

Paper IV Core - is compulsory

Semester – 1

Paper I Core - Historiography

Paper II Core - a. India Under the Sultanate Period

OR

b. India Under Company's Rule 1757 – 1856

OR

c. History of India up to 300 B.C.

Paper III Core - a. India Under the Mughals

OR

b. Indian National Movement: 1905-1947

Paper IV Core - Modern World: 1914 – 1950

Semester -2

Paper I Core - Trends and Theories of History

Paper II Core - a. Society, Economy and Culture Under the Sultans

OR

b. India Under British Rule: 1857-1905

OR

c. State, Society and Culture of India, 300B.C.-500 A.D.

Paper III Core - a. Society, Economy and Culture Under the Mughals.

OR

b. Independent India: 1947- 2000

Paper IV Core - Contemporary World: 1950 - 2000

Students opting for paper II a. & III a. in semester 1 will have to opt for Paper II a. & III a. in semester 2.

M.A. PART-II

SEMESTER-3

Paper I -is compulsory

Paper II - is compulsory

Paper III - one optional paper is compulsory

Paper IV - Foundation course

SEMESTER 3

Paper I Core - Emergence of Maratha Power in 17th Century

Paper II Core -State in Ancient and Medieval India

Paper III Core Elective –a.Economic History of India: 1757-1857

OR

b. Peasant Movements in Modern India

Paper IV - Foundation course-I (for the students of all disciplines including history)

a. History of Medieval Vidarbha

OR

b. History of Tribal Art and Literature

OR

c. Woman in Indian History

OR

d. Pre- Ambedkar Dalit Movement, 1818-1920

OR

e. Ecology and Environment

M.A. PART-II
SEMESTER- 4

Paper I Core -Expansion of Maratha Power: 1707-1818

Paper II Core - State in British India

Paper III Core Elective – a.Economic History of India: 1858-1947

OR

b. Labour Movement in India

Foundation course-II (for the students of all disciplines including history)

Paper IV -a. History of Modern Vidarbha

OR

b. History of Tribes in Colonial India

OR

c. Woman in Modern Indian History

OR

d Dalit Movement under Dr. Ambedkar, 1920-1956

OR

e. Ecology and Indian Human societies

Semester – 1

Semester – 1

Paper I Core - Historiography

Paper II Core - a. India Under the Sultanate Period

OR

b. India Under Company's Rule 1757 – 1856

OR

c. History of India up to 300 B.C.

Paper III Core - a. India Under the Mughals

OR

b. Indian National Movement: 1905-1947

Paper IV Core - Modern World: 1914 – 1950

SEMESTER –I
Paper- I HISTORIOGRAPHY

Time: Three Hours

Full Marks : 80

Unit 1

- a. Meaning of Historiography, Nature and Scope of History.
- b. Auxiliary Sciences of History.
- c. Primary and Secondary sources.

Unit 2

- a. Collection and Selection of Data
- b. Internal and External criticism +
- c. Causation, Foot Notes, Bibliography.

Unit 3

- a. Greco-Roman History Writing
- b. Arabian History Writing.
- c. Indian History Writing – Sultanate, Mughal and Maratha.

Unit 4

- a. Positivism in History Writing – Ranke
- b. Classical Marxism – Karl Marx
- c. Annales – Marc Bloch, Fernand Braudel

Historiography

Books Recommended

English

1. What is History : E. H. Carr
2. A Study of History: Gardiner Patrick
3. Historiography : N. Subramaniah
4. History, its Theory and Method : Sheikh Ali
5. Historiography in Modern India: R.C. Majumdar.
6. A History of Historical Writing: H. E. Barnes
7. A Textbook of Historiography: Sreedharan
8. IGNOU Materials
9. Idea of History : R.G. Collingwood
10. Research Methodology : K.N.Chitnis
11. Research Methodology : Satish Bajaj
12. A Critical Method in Historical Research and Writing : H. C. Hocket
13. Historiography and Historians of Sultanate Period : Bharti S. Kumar

Marathi, Hindi

1. Itihas Tantra Ani Tatvagyan: Shanta Kothekar
2. Itihasache Tatvagyan : Sadashiv Aathvale
3. Itihas Lekhan Shastra : Gaikwad, Sardesai, Hanmane
4. Sanshodhanacha Mitra: G.H. Khare
5. Itihas Lekh : Sreedharan
6. Itihas Lekhan, Avadharana, Vidhayen evam Sadhan: Brajesh Kumar Shrivastava.

SEMESTER I

Paper II A. India Under the Sultanate Period

Time – Three Hours

Full Marks: 80

Unit 1

- a) Sources
- b) Rise of Islam
- c) Arab Invasions

Unit 2

- a) Establishment of Delhi Sultanate
- b) Iltutmish, Razia Sultan
- c) Balban

Unit 3

- a) Allauddin Khilji
- b) Muhammad – bin – Tughluq
- c) Firoz Tughluq

Unit 4

- a) Theory of Kingship
- b) Central Administration and Local Administration
- c) Judicial System

A. Indian Under The Sultanate Period

Books Recommended:

1. Cambridge History of India Vol. 3 : Ed. By W. Haig
2. The history and Culture People Vols. 5 & 6 Pub : Bhartiya Vidhya Bhavan
3. Foundation of Muslim Rule in India : Habibullah
4. History of India Vols.2,3, & 4 : Elliot & Dowson
5. History of Khiljis : K.S. Lal
6. History of Allauddin : Warsi
7. South India and Her Mohammedan Invaders : K.S. Aiyangar
8. A Forgotten Empire : Sewell
9. Mahmud Gawan : H.K.Sherwani
10. History of South India : K.N.Shastrri
11. Administration of the Sultanate of Delhi : I.H.Qureshi
12. Some Historians of Medieval India : B.N.Lunia
13. History of Deccan : Sherwani & Joshi
14. The Sultanate of Delhi : A.L. Srivastava
15. Vijaynagar Empire : Mahalingam
16. The Wonder that was India : S.A.A.Rizvi

Semester I

OR

Paper II B. India Under Company's Rule: 1757-1856

Time: Three Hours

Full Marks: 80

Unit 1

- a. India in the mid-18th Century
- b. Battles of Plassey and Buxar
- c. Anglo – Maratha Wars, Anglo – Sikh Wars

Unit 2

- a. Subsidiary Alliance System
- b. Policy of Annexation of Indian States
- c. Doctrine of Lapse

Unit 3

- a. Regulating Act of 1773
- b. Pitt's India Act of 1784
- c. Charter Acts 1813, 1833, 1853.

Unit 4

- a. Introduction of Western Education
- b. Raja Ram Mohan Roy, Brahmo Samaj
- c. Development of English and Vernacular Press

India Under Company's Rule: 1757-1856

Books Recommended

English

1. An Advanced History of India *by* R.C. Majumdar, Raychaudhari, K.K. Dutta
2. Modern India *by* Bipin Chandra
3. The Cambridge History of India *by* H.H.Dodwell
4. Indian Society and Making of the British Empire *by* C.A. Andrews
5. Social Background of Indian Nationalism *By* A.R.Desai
6. From Plassey to Partition *by* Shekhar Bandhopadhyaya
7. Social Conditions in Eighteenth Century India *by* Pushpa Suri
8. British Paramountcy and Indian Renaissance *by* R. C. Majumdar Vol I, II

Marathi, Hindi

1. Adhunik Bharatacha Itihas 1757-1857 *by* Dr. Vaidya and Dr. Khothekar
2. Adhunik Bharat ka Itihas *by* Bipin Chandra
3. Plassey Se Vibhajan Tak *by* Shekhar Bandhopadhyaya
4. Adhunik Bharat *by* Dinanath Varma

Semester I
OR
Paper- II C - History of India up TO 300 B.C.

Time: Three Hours

Full Marks : 80

Unit 1

- a. Stone Age Cultures: Tools, Sites and Subsistence Pattern.
- b. Paleolithic Culture, Mesolithic Culture
- c. Neolithic Culture, Bronze Age.

Unit 2

- a. First Urbanization: The Harappan civilization: Major sites, Mohenjodaro, Kalibangan, Lothal and Dholvira
- b. Town Planning, Social Life, Religious Life and Economy
- c. Dabate on Harappan Chronology and Ethnic Identities

Unit 3

- a. Vedic Culture: Early Vedic Age, Polity, Society, Economy and Religion. Later Vedic Age: Polity, Society, Economy and Religion
- b. Janapadas andMahajanpadas. Territorial States: Monarchical and Republican
- c. Second Urbanization: Urban Centers. Emergence of New Classes

Unit 4

- a. Religious Movements: Jainism and Buddhism, Ajivikas
- b.. Philosophy: Upnishadas and Bhagwat Geeta,
- c. Six Schools of Thought

C -History of India up TO 300 B.C.

Reference Books:

1. Ratnagar, Shereen (2006), *Trading Encounters: From the Euphrates to the Indus in the Bronze Age*, Oxford University Press, India.
2. Agrawal, D. P., *The Copper Bronze Age in India*. New Delhi: Munshiram Manoharlal, 1971.
3. Kosambi, D.D., *An Introduction to the Study of Indian History* (Popular Book Depot, Bombay) 1956
4. Kosambi, D.D., *Exasperating Essays: Exercise in the Dialectical Method* (People's Book House, Poona) 1957
5. Kosambi, D.D., *Myth and Reality: Studies in the Formation of Indian Culture* (Popular Prakashan, Bombay) 1962
6. Kosambi, D.D., *The Culture and Civilisation of Ancient India in Historical Outline* (Routledge & Kegan Paul, London) 1965

ADDITIONAL REFERENCE BOOKS

1. Ratnagar, Shereen (2006). *Understanding Harappa: Civilization in the Greater Indus Valley*. New Delhi: Tulika Books. ISBN 8189487027.
2. Parpola, Asko (1994). *Deciphering the Indus Script*. Cambridge University Press. ISBN 0521430798.
3. Jonathan Mark Kenoyer, *Ancient Cities of the Indus Valley Civilization*, 2nd, Revised Edition, Oxford University Press and American Institute of Pakistan Studies, Karachi, 2010
4. Jonathan Mark Kenoyer , *Ancient India: From the Indus Valley to The Gupta Period Facts on File*, New York, 2010
5. Jonathan Mark Kenoyer, *Indus Valley Archaeology: Recent Research and New Directions*. Wisconsin, 2010
6. Archaeology Reports, Volume 4. Department of Anthropology, University of Wisconsin at Madison. 2005
7. Jonathan Mark Kenoyer and Kimberly Heuston , *The Ancient South Asian World*, Oxford University Press, New York, 1998
8. *Ancient cities of the Indus Valley Civilisation*, Oxford University Press and American Institute of Pakistan Studies, Karachi
9. Lal, B.B. 2005. *The Homeland of the Aryans., Evidence of Rigvedic Flora and Fauna & Archaeology*, New Delhi, Aryan Books International
10. R. C. Majumdar and A. D. Pusalker (editors): The History and Culture of the Indian People. Volume I, The Vedic age. Bombay : Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan 1951
11. R.C. Majumdar et al. An Advanced History of India, MacMillan, 1967.

12. Lokmanya Bal Gangadhar Tilak "The Arctic Home in the Vedas", Messrs Tilak Bros., 1903
13. R.S. Sharma, *Aspects of Political Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India* (Motilal Banarsidass, Fifth Revised Edition, Delhi, 2005)
14. R.S. Sharma *Sudras in Ancient India: A Social History of the Lower Order Down to Circa A D 600* (Motilal Banarsidass, Third Revised Edition, Delhi, 1990; Reprint, Delhi, 2002)
15. R.S. Sharma *India's Ancient Past* (Oxford University Press, 2005)
16. R.S. Sharma *Looking for the Aryans* (Orient Longman Publishers, 1995, Delhi)
17. D N. Zha 1997, *Ancient India: In Historical Outline*, ISBN 8173042853
18. **RS Sharma**, *Material Culture and Social Formations in Ancient India*, Macmillan, Delhi, 1983

MARATHI BOOKS

19. कसबे रावसाहेब – मानव आणि धर्मचिंतन
- 20 कोसंबी डी.डी. – पुरानकथा आणि वास्तव
- 21 कोसंबी डी.डी – प्राचिन भारतीय संस्कृती व सभ्यता, डायमंड पब्लिकेशन पुणे. 2006
- 22 कोसंबी डी.डी – (अनु. दि. का. गर्दे) प्राचिन भारताचा अभ्यास, डायमंड पब्लिकेशन पुणे. 2006
- 23 गडकरी जयंत – समाज आणि धर्म
- 24 गायधनी आणि राहुरकर – प्राचिन भारताचा सांस्कृतीक इतिहास
- 25 जोशी तर्कतिर्थ लक्ष्मनशास्त्री – वैदिक संस्कृतीचा इतिहास, प्राज्ञ पाठशाळा प्रकाशन वाई.
- 26 झा डि.एन – मौर्योत्तर व गुप्तकालीन राजस्वपध्दती, डायमंड पब्लिकेशन पुणे. 2006
- 27 थापर रोमीला, शिरगावकर शरवती (अनु.) – अशोक आणि मौर्याचा न्हास
- 28 देव प्रभाकर – प्राचिन भारताचा इतिहास
- 29 डांगे सिंधू – जैन धर्म आणि तत्वज्ञान
- 30 डांगे सिंधू – बौध्द धर्म आणि तत्वज्ञान
- 31 पाटील शरद – दास शूद्रेची गुलामगीरी भाग 1 आणि भाग 2
- 32 भिडे आणि खरवंडीकर – प्राचिन भारतातील सामाजिक, आर्थिक संस्था
- 33 भिडे आणि खरवंडीकर – प्राचिन भारतातील राजकीय आणि धार्मीक संस्था
- 34 राय चौधुरी हे चंद्र (अनु. सदाशिव आठवले व मधुसुदन बोपडीकर) – प्राचिन भारताचा राजकीय इतिहास, डायमंड पब्लिकेशन पुणे 2006
- 35 शर्मा राम शरन – प्राचिन भारतातील राजकीय विचार आणि संस्था, डायमंड पब्लिकेशन पुणे, 2006

SEMESTER I

Paper III A. India Under the Mughals

Time – Three Hours

Full Marks – 80

Unit 1

- a) Source
- b) India In Early 16th Century
- c) Advent of Babur

Unit 2

- a) Establishment of Mughals Power
- b) Humayun, Sher Shah
- c) Re- establishment of Mughal Power Under Akber

Unit 3

- a) Jehangir, Shah Jahan, North West Frontier Policy
- b) Aurangzeb – Deccan Policy, religious policy
- c) Fall & Disintegration of Mughal Empire

Unit 4

- a) Theory of Kingship
- b) Central Administration
- c) Mansabdari System

A.- India Under the Mughals

Books Recommended:-

1. Some Historian of Medieval India : B.N.Lunia
2. An Empire Builder Of the 16th Century : Rushbrokk Williams
3. Humayun Badshah : Dr. S.K.Banerjee
4. Humayun Nama : A.S.Beveridge
5. Humayun and His Times : Ishwari Prasad
6. Mughal Nobility under Aurangzeb : Athar Ali
7. Army of Indian Mughals : Irwin 8. Sher Shah : Qanungo
9. Akbar the Great : A.L. Shrivastava
10. Akbar the Great Mughal : V.A.Smith
11. Jahangir : Beni Prasad
12. Shah Jahan of Delhi : Banarasi Prasad Saxena
13. History of Aurangzeb : J.N. Srakar (All Five Vols.)
14. Mughal Empire In India : S.R. Sharma
15. The Mughal Empire : A.L. Srivastav
16. The Wonder that was India : S.A.A.Rizvi

Semester I

OR

Paper III B. Indian National Movement: 1905 – 1947

Time Three Hours

Full Marks: 80

Unit 1

- a. Growth of National Movement – 1905 – 1920
- b. Non- Cooperation Movement – Ideology and Programme
- c. Civil Disobedience Movement

Unit 2

- a. Growth of Hindu and Muslim Communalism
- b. Revolutionary Movements
- c. Round Table Conferences, Government of India Act of 1935

Unit 3

- a. Cripps Mission and Quit India Movement
- b. Cabinet Mission plan and Mountbatten Plan
- c. Indian Independence Act of 1947

Unit 4

- a. Development of Education
- b. Peasant Movements
- c. Working Class Movements.

Indian National Movement: 1905 – 1947

Books Recommended

English

1. India's Struggle for Freedom *by* Bipin Chandra
2. Modern India *by* Sumit Sarkar
3. History of Freedom Movement in India (four volumes) *by* Tara Chand
4. History of Freedom Movement in India *by* R.C.Majumdar
5. India Wins Freedom *by* Maulana Abdul Kalam Azad
6. Constitutional Development and National Movement of India *by* R.C.Agarwal

Marathi, Hindi

1. Adhunik Bharat (1858-1920) *by* Dr. Suman Vaidya, Dr. Shanta Kothekar
2. Adhunik Bharatacha Itihas *by* Sardesai, Nalwade
3. Adhunik Bharat (1920- 1947) *by* Dr. Suman Vaidya, Dr. Shanta Kothekar
4. Adhunik Bharat ka Itihas *by* R.L.Shukla

Semester I

Paper IV - Modern World: 1914 to 1950

Time Three Hours

Full Marks:80

Unit 1

- a. Origin of First World War
- b. Treaty of Versailles
- c. League of Nations

Unit 2

- a. Bolshevik Revolution of 1917
- b. Planned Economy in Soviet Russia
- c. China under Kuomintang Rule

Unit 3

- a. Rise of Nazism in Germany
- b. Fascism in Italy
- c. Militarism in Japan

Unit 4

- a. Second World War – Causes, Effects
- b. Formation of U.N.O.
- c. Palestine Problem, Establishment of Israel

Modern World

Books Recommended

English

1. Adhunik Jag :Dr. Suman Vaidya
2. Adhunik Europe cha Itihas :Dr. A.R.Kulkarni
3. Europe Ka Adhunik Itihas :Satyaketu Vidyalankar
4. Antarrashtriya Sambandh :Haridatta Vedalankar
5. Antarrashtriya Sambandh :Madan Gopal Gupta
6. Adhunik Itihas ka Itihas :Dinanath Varma
7. Beesavi Sadi ka Vishwa :Dr. Sanjeev Jain
8. Cheen Va Japan; Rajkiya Itihas :Dr. Yadao Gujar
9. 20vya Shatkateel Jag :Dr. Y.N.Kadam

Marathi, Hindi

1. A History of Modern Times : C.D.M.Kettleby
2. European History Since 1870 : F.W.Benns
3. Europe Since 1870 : Sidney H. Zabol
4. The Age of Conflict, 1914 to the Present : Alberg and Alberg
5. International Relations (Part I, Part II) : M.G.Gupta
6. The World Since 1919 : W.C.Lngsam
7. Modern World History : Norman Lowe
8. Europe and the World 1789 – 1945 : S.N.Sen
9. Twentieth Century World : L.P.Mathur
10. History of Modern Europe :V.D.Mahajan
11. Modern World : B.V.Rao

Semester -2

Paper I Core - Trends and Theories of History

Paper II Core - a. Society, Economy and Culture Under the Sultans

OR

b. India Under British Rule: 1857-1905

OR

c. State, Society and Culture of India, 300 B.C.-500 A.D.

Paper III Core - a. Society, Economy and Culture Under the Mughals.

OR

b. Independent India: 1947- 2000

Paper IV Core - Contemporary World: 1950 - 2000

Students opting for paper II a. & III a. in semester 1 will have to opt for Paper II a. & III a. in semester 2.

Semester II

Paper I Trends and Theories of History

Time - Three Hours

Full Marks: 80

Unit 1

- a. Orientalist History Writing – William Jones, James Princep
- b. Imperialist History Writing – J.S.Mill , William Hunter
- c. Nationalist History Writing – K.P.Jayaswal, Mohammad Habib

Unit 2

- a. Marxist History Writing – R.S.Sharma, D.D.Kosambi
- b. Subaltern – Ranjit Guha, Sumit Sarkar
- c. Post- Modern – Jean Lyotard, Frederick Jamseon

Unit 3

- a. Cyclical Theory of History – Toynbee
- b. Sociological – Emile Durkheim
- c. Ecological – Ramchandra Guha

Unit 4

- a. R.G.Collingwood, E.H.Carr, Will Durant
- b. V.K. Rajwade, J.N. Sarkar, R.C.Dutt

Trends and Theories of History

Books Recommended

English

1. Recent Trends In Historiography : Satish K. Bajaj
2. Research Methodology in History : T.R. Sharma
3. Historians and Historiography in Modern Indian : S.P.Sen (ed)
4. On Historiography : S.R.Tikekar
5. An Introduction to Indian Historiography : A.K.Warder
6. Sub Altern Studies : Ranjit Guha Vol I-IV

Marathi, Hindi

1. Itihas Mhanje Kaya : E.H.Carr
2. Itihas ek Shastra : Prabhakar Deo
3. Itihas Lekhan Shastra : B.N.Sardesai
4. Itihas Tantra Ani Tatvagyan : Shanta Kothekar
5. Itihas Darshan : Parmanand Singh
6. Itihas Kya Hai? :E.H.Carr

SEMESTER II

Paper II A. Society, Economy and Culture Under the Sultans

Time :- Three Hours

Full Marks :- 80

Unit 1

- a) Land Revenue System
- b) Market Control Policy of Allauddin Khilji
- c) Trade

Unit 2

- a) Composition and Stratification of Society
- b) Social Manner and Social Customs
- c) Condition of Women

Unit 3

- a) Sufism
- b) Bhakti Movement
- c) Vaishnavism

Unit 4

- a) Art and Literature
- b) Architecture and Sculpture
- c) Judicial System

A. Society, Economy and Culture Under the Sultans

Books Recommended

1. Cambridge History of India Vol. 3 : Ed. By W.Haig
2. The History and Culture of Indian People : Bhartiya Vidhya Bhawan Pub.
Vols. 5 & 6
3. Foundation of Muslim Rule in India :Habibullah
4. History of India Vols. 2, 3, & 4 : Elliot & Dowson
5. History of Khiljis : K.S. Lal
6. History of Allauddin : Warsi
7. South India Her Mohammedan Invaders : K. S. Aiyangar
8. A. Forgotten Empire : Sewell
9. Mahmud Gawan : H. K. Sherwani
10. History of South India : K. N. Shastri
11. Administration of the Sultanate of Delhi : I. H. Qureshi 12. Some Historians of
Medieval India : B. N. Lunia
13. History of Deccan : Sherwani and Joshi
14. The sultanate of Delhi : A.L. Srivastava
15. Vijaynagar Empire : Mahalingam
16. The Wonder that was India : S.A.A. Rizvi

Semester II

OR

Paper II B. India under British Rule: 1857 – 1905

Time Three Hours

Full Marks: 80

Unit 1

- a. Revolt of 1857-Nature, Causes and Effects
- b. Queen's Proclamation, Act of 1858
- c. Indian Council Acts- 1861,1892

Unit 2

- a. Arya Samaj
- b. Satya Shodhak Samaj
- c. Ramkrishna Mission

Unit 3

- a. Emergence of Indian Nationalism
- b. Foundation of Indian National Congress
- c. Objectives and programmes of the Congress

Unit 4

- a. Ideology of the Moderates :Dadabhai Nouroji & Gopalkrushna Gokhale
- b. Rise of Extremist Leadership
- c. Partition of Bengal

India under British Rule : 1857-1905

Books Recommended

English

1. History of Modern India :A.L.Shrivastava
2. Crucial Decades of 20 th Century IV Volumes :M.K.Kher
3. Modern India :Grover and Sethi
4. Eighteen Fifty Seven :Sunrendra Nath Sen
5. Modern Religious Movements in India :J.N.Farquhar
6. Renascent India from Ram Mohan to Gandhi :H.C.E.Zacharia
7. Social and Religious Movement in the Nineteenth Century :C.S. Srinivasachari
8. British Paramountcy and Indian Renaissance Vol III :R.C.Majumdar
9. Struggle for Freedom :R.C.Majumdar
10. Freedom Struggle :Bipin Chandra, Amlesh Tripathi, Barun Dey

Marathi

1. Adhunik Bharat (1858 – 1920) :Suman Vaidya, Shanta Kothekar
2. Adhunik Bharatacha Itihas :Sardesai, Nalwade
3. Adhunik Bharat (1920 – 1947) :Suman Vaidya, Shanta Kothekar
4. Adhunik Bharat ka Itihas : R.L.Shukla

SEMESTER –II

OR

Paper- II C - State, Society And Culture Of India, 300 B.C.–500 A.D.

Time: Three Hours

Full Marks : 80

Unit 1

- a. Towards Empire, Origins of Mauryan Rule: Chandragupta Maurya, EmperorAsoka: Kalinga war, Spread of Buddhism, Policy of Dhamma, Rock Edicts and Script.
- b. Mauryan Economy: Administrative Organisation, Mauryan Art: Stupas
- c. Disintegration of the Mauryan Empire.

Unit 2

- a. Post Mauryan Developments :Greek, Saka and Kushan Invasion and Significance of Contacts between Central Asia and North India.
- b. State formation in the Deccan: Satavahanas Political, Religious, Economic and Cultural Developments.
- c. Sangam Age : Chiefdoms , Society, Literature, Indo- Roman Trade.

Unit 3

- a. Rise of Guptas :Origin of Guptas : Samudragupta, Chandragupta –II and Others
- b. Society, Religion and Economy, Administration under the Guptas
- c. Art, Architecture, Sculpture, Painting and Literature, Science and Technology.

Unit 4

- a. Vakatakas: Cultural contributions , Disintegration of Gupta Empire
- b. Post - Gupta Developments, Huna Invasions , Institutions: Social Stratification and Slavery
- c. Status of Women: Family, Marriage and Property Rights, Educational Ideas and Institutions

C- State, Society And Culture Of India, 300 B.C.–500 A.D.

Reference Books:

1. Shastri, Nilakantha, *Age of the Nandas and Mauryas*. Delhi: Motilal Banarsidass. (1967).
2. Bhandarkar, D.R., *Asoka* (4th ed.). Calcutta: Calcutta University Press, (1969).
3. Thapar, Romila, *Asoka and the decline of the Mauryas*, 2nd Edition. Oxford University Press, Reprint, (1973). 1980.
4. Mookerji, Radhakumud, *Asoka* (3rd ed.), Delhi: Motilal Banarsidas, (1962).
5. **Ajay Mitra Shastri** , *The Age of the Satavahanas*, Aryan Books International,
6. **Ajay Mitra Shastri**, *The Age of the Vakatakas*, Harman Pub. House, In *Ajaya-Sri: Recent Studies in Indology Prof. Ajay Mitra Shastri Felicitation Volume* by Devendra Handa, **Ajay Mitra Shastri**, Sundeep Prakashan
7. **Ajay Mitra Shastri** , *Ancient Indian Heritage: Varaha Mihira's India*, Aryan Books International
8. **Ajay Mitra Shastri**, *Ancient North-East India: Pragjyotisha a Pan-India Perspective, up to Seventh Century AD* , Aryan Books International
9. **Ajay Mitra Shastri**, *Early History of the Deccan: Problems and Perspectives*, Sundeep Prakashan,
10. **Ajay Mitra Shastri**, *Numismatic Studies*, Indian Council of Historical Research, Hardcover, Harman Publishing House,
11. **Ajay Mitra Shastri**, *The Satavahanas and the Western Kshatrapas: A Historical Framework*, Dattsons Publishers,
12. **Ajay Mitra Shastri**, *Vakatakas: Sources and History*, Aryan Books International

Additional Reference Books:

1. Basham, A. L., *The Wonder That Was India* (3rd ed.), Calcutta: Rupa, (1981)
2. Chopra, P.N.; Ravindran, T.K.; Subrahmanian, N., *History Of South India - Ancient Medieval & Modern*, New Delhi: Sultan Chand & Company, (2003)
3. Krishnamurti, C.R, *Thamizh Literature Through the Ages: A socio-cultural perspective*, Pondicherry: Radhika Publishers, (1998)
4. Nilakanta Sastri, K. A., *A History of South India: From Prehistoric Times to the Fall of Vijayanagar* (4th ed.), New Delhi: Oxford University Press, (1975),
5. Marr, John Ralston, *The Eight Anthologies*, Madras: Institute of Asian Studies, (1985)
6. Balambal, V. *Studies in the History of the Sangam Age*. Kalinga Publications, Delhi. (1998)
7. Agarwal, Ashvini, *Rise and Fall of the Imperial Guptas*, Delhi: Motilal Banarsidass, (1989)

8. Mahajan, V.D., *Ancient India*, New Delhi: S. Chand, (1960)
9. Majumdar, R.C., *Ancient India*, New Delhi: Motilal Banarsidass, (1977)
10. R. S. Sharma, *Sudras in Ancient India: A Social History of the Lower Order Down to Circa A D 600*,
Motilal Banarsidass, Third Revised Edition, Delhi, 1990; Reprint, Delhi, 2002
11. R. S. Sharma, *Indian Feudalism*, Macmillan Publishers India Ltd., 3rd Revised Edition,
Delhi, 2005

Semester II

Paper III A. Society, Economy and Culture Under the Mughals

Time – Three Hours

Full Marks – 80

Unit 1

- a) Land Revenue System
- b) Industry and Trade
- c) Advent of European Trading Companies

Unit 2

- a) Compositions and Stratification of Society
- b) Social Life
- c) Condition of Women

Unit 3

- a) Religious Conditions
- b) Spread of Bhakti Movement
- c) Rise of Sikhism

Unit 4

- a) Art and Literature
- b) Architecture and Sculpture
- c) Account of Foreign Travellers

Society, Economy and Culture Under the Mughals

Books Recommended:-

1. Some Historians of Medieval India : B. N. Lunia
2. An Empire Builder Of the 16th Century : Rushbrokk Williams
3. Humayun Badshah : Dr. S.K.Banerjee
4. Humayun Nama : A.S.Beveridge
5. Humayun and His Times : Ishwari Prasad
6. Mughal Nobility under Aurangzeb : Athar Ali
7. Army of Indian Mughals : Irwin 8. Sher Shah : Qanungo
9. Akbar the Great : A.L. Shrivastava
10. Akbar the Great Mughal : V.A.Smith
11. Jahangir : Beni Prasad
12. Shah Jahan of Delhi : Banarasi Prasad Saxena
13. History of Aurangzeb : J.N. Srakar (All Five Vols.)
14. Mughal Empire In India : S.R. Sharma
15. The Mughal Empire : A.L. Srivastav
16. The Wonder that was India : S.A.A.Rizvi

OR

Paper III B. Independent India: 1947-2000

Time – Three Hours

Full Marks: 80

Unit 1

- a. Integration of Indian Princely States
- b. Making of Indian Constitution
- c. Salient features of Indian Constitution

Unit 2

- a. Beginning of Panned Economy
- b. Agricultural Policy
- c. Industrial Policy

Unit 3

- a. Policy of Non-Alignment
- b. Relations with U.S.S.R., China
- c. Relations with U.S.A., Pakistan

Unit 4

- a. National Political Parties – Congress, Jansangh, Communist Party, Republican Party.
- b. Emergence of Regional Parties – DMK, Assam Ganaparishad
- c. Challenges to Territorial Integrity – DMK, Khalistan Movement

Independent India: 1947 – 2000

Books Recommended

English

1. India After Independence : Bipin Chandra
2. The Politics of India Since Independence : Paul Brass
3. The Rise and Growth of Economic Nationalism in India : Bipin Chandra
4. The Cambridge Economic History of India (Vol 2) : Dharma Kumar
5. Economic History of India : V. B. Singh
6. The Economic History of India (Vol I,II) : R.C.Dutt
7. Fifty Years of Modern India : V.D.Mahajan
8. History of Education in Modern India 1757- 2007 : S. C. Ghosh

Marathi, Hindi

1. Swatantra Bharatacha Itihas : Shanta Kothekar, Suman Vaidya
2. Azadi ke Baad Ka Bharat 1947-2000 : Bipin Chandra, Mridula Mukharjee, Aditya Mukharjee
3. Samkaleen Bharat : Bipin Chandra
4. Bharatiya Shasan aur Rajniti (ed) :Basukinath Chaudhary, Yuvraj Kumar
5. Adhunik Bharat ka Itihas : Dhanpati Pandey

Semester II

Paper IV - Contemporary World: 1950 to 2000

Time – Three Hours

Full Marks: 80

Unit 1

- a. Origin and Course of Cold War
- b. Berlin Problem, Korean War, Vietnam War
- c. Disarmament

Unit 2

- a. Rise of Socialist Bloc in Europe
- b. Disintegration of Socialist Bloc
- c. Fall of Soviet State in Russia

Unit 3

- a. Decolonisation in Asia and Africa
- b. Apartheid Problem
- c. Internal Developments in People's Republic of China

Unit 4

- a. Formation Of European Union
- b. Rise of Unipolar World
- c. Globalization

Contemporary World: 1950 to 2000

English

Books Recommended

1. Europe 1945 to 1970 : Waterlow and Evans
2. Modern Europe in World Perspective : E.N. Anderson
3. Globalization : Malcoin Waters
4. History of the Modern World : From late 19TH TO early 21th Century

Marathi, Hindi

1. Jagatikikaran : Chandrakant Kelkar
2. Samkaleen Vishwa Ka Itihas: 1890 se 2008 tak : Arjun Dev and Indira Arjun Dev
3. 20vya Shatakateel Jag : Y.N.Kadam
4. Beesavi Sadi Ka Vishva : Sanjeeva Jain
5. Adhunik Itihas ka Itihas :Dinanath Varma