

**BRANCH: HISTORY**

**PART I PREVIOUS**

Paper - I HISTORY OF MODERN EUROPE (1870-1972)

(Revised Syllabus w.e.f. 2009-2010) (For DDE students only)

**SECTION-A**

**(Essays)**

Answer all of the following in not more than six pages each. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Discuss the major events that led to the consolidation of the German Empire.
2. Describe the Russo Turkish Naval War, 1877-78.
3. What was the cause of Anglo- German rivalry? Analyse its consequences.
4. Describe the Balkan wars and their effects.
5. Explain Paris Peace treaties and the activities of the League of the Nations.
6. Examine the causes and results of the Second World War.

**SECTION-B**

**(Short Essays)**

Answer all of the following in not more than three pages each. All questions carry equal marks.

7. Congress of Berlin.
8. Triple Alliance.
9. Leninism.
10. Briand-Kellogg Pact.
11. Manchurian Crisis.
12. Marshall Plan.
13. UN Security Council.
14. SEATO.

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Paper-II: HISTORY OF MODERN INDIA (1757-1856)

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Max. Marks: 20

SECTION-A

(Essays)

Answer all of the following in not more than six pages each. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Explain the nature of the State in the 18th Century CE.
2. Elucidate the rise of Hyder Ali to power and his military exploits.
3. Examine the role of Warren Hastings in the expansion of Company power in India.
4. Discuss the revenue administration and the reforms introduced by the British.
5. Explain the trade policies of the Company Government and its impact on Indian economy.
6. Explain the preaching of Brahma Samaj and its effects on the society.

SECTION-B

(Short Essays)

Answer all of the following in not more than three pages each. All questions carry equal marks.

7. Rise of the Nawab of Hyderabad.
8. Auto Biographies as a source of History.
9. Siraj-ud-Daula.
10. Anglo-Sikh Relations.
11. Dual Government in Bengal.
12. Doctrine of Lapse.
13. Famines.
14. Macaulay Minute.

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PART: 1- PREVIOUS  
Paper-III: HISTORY OF EAST ASIA (CHINA AND JAPAN 1840-1970)  
(Revised Syllabus w.e.f. 2009-2010)  
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Max. Marks : 20

SECTION-A  
(Essays)

Answer all of the following in not more than six pages each.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. Write an essay on the Opium Wars in China.
2. What was Boxer Uprising in China? Discuss the causes and results of Boxer Uprising.
3. Elucidate China's relations with USA.
4. Define Meiji Restoration and discuss its impact on the polity, society and economy of Japan.
5. Explain the political expansion of Japan through Wars.
6. Analyse the role of Japan in World Politics during the post - Second World War.

SECTION-B  
(Short Essays)

Answer all of the following in not more than three pages each.

All questions carry equal marks.

7. Scramble for Concerns.
8. Chiang Kai Shek.
9. Hundred Days Reforms.
10. Yuwan Shikai.
11. Early American contacts with Japan.
12. Japan's role in the First World War.
13. GEACPS.
14. Treaty of San Francisco 1951.

PART I Previous  
BRANCH: HISTORY  
Paper - IV: HISTORICAL METHOD AND HISTORIOGRAPHY  
(Revised Syllabus w.e.f. 2009-2010)  
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Max. Marks: 20

SECTION-A  
(Essays)

Answer any Three of the following in not more than six pages each. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Discuss the relations of History with other Social Sciences.
2. Examine the importance of Hypothesis, imagination and conjecture in historical research.
3. Describe the main features of Greek historiography.
4. Examine the merits and defects of Ranke's contribution to historical knowledge.
5. Discuss the sources of Medieval Indian History.
6. Assess the contribution of Oswald Spengler to historical research.

SECTION-B  
(Short Essays)

Answer all of the following in not more than three pages each. All questions carry equal marks.

7. External Criticism.
8. History as Science.
9. Herodotus.
10. Synthesis.
11. Neibuhr.
12. Classification of historical data.
13. Materialistic interpretation of History.
14. Arnold J Toynbee.

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PAPER-V: SOCIAL AND CULTURAL HISTORY OF INDIA UP TO 1206 CE

(Revised Syllabus w.e.f. 2009-2010)

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Max. Marks: 80

SECTION-A

(Essays)

Answer all of the following in not more than Six pages each. All questions carry Equal marks.

1. Discuss the usefulness of the literary sources of ancient Indian history.
2. Trace out the development of society and culture of the Vedic Age.
3. Explain the reasons for the rise of Magadha.
4. Examine the main features of the administration of the Gupta period.
5. Assess the cultural contribution of the Chalukyas of Badami.
6. Elucidate the contribution of the Cholas to the South Indian economy, art and architecture.

SECTION-B

(Short Essays)

Answer all of the following in not more than three pages each. All questions carry Equal marks.

7. Samskaras
8. Caste System
9. Megasthenes
10. Asokan inscriptions
11. Kalidas
12. Trade guilds
13. Pallava art
14. Causes for the invasions of Ghazni