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FIRST SEMESTER

PAPER 1-3	SUBJECT CODE History-GE-1	ANCIENT INDIAN HISTORY (Early times to pre- Gupta age) COURSE CONTENT	TEACHING HOURS 90 Credit Hours	NO OF CREDIT 05+01
01.		a. Survey of sources and approaches to Ancient Indian History (Literary works and archaeological Sources) b. Brief introduction of important concept : Culture, Civilization, Urbanization.		
02.		Proto- History: Harappan civilisation : origin, distribution, morphology of major sites (Mohenjodaro, Harappa, Kalibanga, Lothal, Dholavira), feature and decline.		
03.		The Vedic civilization : Society, economy, polity and religion (as reflected in vedic literature.		
04.		New religious movement : Jainism and Buddhism		
05.		The rise of Magadha as paramount political power (from Haryak dynasty to Nand dynasty)		
06.		a. The Mauryan Empire : i. Chandragupta Maurya, ii. Dhamma of Ashoka : concept and propagation, iii. Mauryan administration b. Alexander's invasion and its impacts		
07		Post Mauryan developments (c. 200 BC. - c. 300 BC.) a. Invasions and their impacts : Bactrian Greeks, Scythians, Kushanas b. Polity : Shungas (Pushyamitra Shunga), Kushanas (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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SECOND SEMESTER

PAPER 2-3	SUBJECT CODE History- GE-2	ANCIENT INDIAN HISTORY (The age of Gupta to 1206 A.D.) COURSE CONTENT	TEACHING HOURS 90 Credit Hours	NO OF CREDIT 05+01
01.	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. vii Agrarian structure, land grants and trade.			
02.	Harshvardhana : conquest and administration			
03.	Peninsular India : Chalukya, Pallavas; Polity and economy, cultural development with special reference to art and religion.			
04.	Arab invasion : causes and impact			
05.	Political development : nature of regional politics with special reference to the Pratiharas, Palas, Rashtrakutas,			
06.	Cholas dynasty			
07.	Gazhni's and Ghouri's invasions : nature, causes and impact.			

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THIRD SEMESTER

PAPER 3--7	SUBJECT CODE HISTORY GE-3	MEDIEVAL INDIA (c. A.D 1206 - 1707) COURSE CONTENT	TEACHING HOURS 90 Credit Hours	NO OF CREDI T 05+01
01	Establishment of Turkish Rule in India a. Qutub-uddin- Aibaq, b. Iltutmish c. Balban : theory of kingship			
02	Ala-ud-din-khilji : Revenue and Market Policy			
03	Tughlaq Dynasty : a. Muhammad Bin Tughlaq policy, b. Firoz Tughlaq : reforms.			
04	Mongol Threat, Timur's invasion			
05	Administration of Delhi Sultanate : Central, Provincial and Military Organisation, Iqta System			
06	Sultanate Architecture			
07	Babar : Conqueror and Empire builder			
08	Shershah : Administration			
09	Akbar : Religious Policy, Rajput Policy			
10	Jahangir : Role of Noor Jahan in Mughal Polity			
11	Shahjahan : Golden age, War of Succession			
12	Aurangzeb : Deccan Policy and Religious Policy			
13	Mansabdari and Jagirdari System			
14	Decline and disintegration of the Mughal Empire			
15	Shivaji : Early life and Administration			

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FOURTH SEMESTER

Paper 4-4	Subject Code History GE-4	History of Modern India (C.A.D. 1707 to 1857) COURSE CONTENT	Teaching Hours 90 Credit Hours	No. Cred 05+
01	<u>Rise of the British Power in Bengal :</u> i. Battle of Plassey, ii) Battle of Buxar			
02	<u>Expansion of British Rule :</u> 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.			
03	<u>Growth of Administration</u> a. Warren Hastings b. Lord Cornwallis. c. Lord Wellesley : Subsidiary Alliances d. Willian Bentick : Reforms. e. Lord Dalhousie : Doctrine of Lapse, Reforms			
04	<u>Social and Religious Reform Movement :</u> i. Brahm Samaj, Arya Samaj, Prathna Samaj Ramkrishna Mission. ii. Deoband School and Aligarh Movement			
05	<u>Revolt of 1857 :</u> Causes, Nature, Expansion, result and impact.			

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