

2021

HISTORY

[P.G.]

(CBCS)

(M.A. First Semester End Examination-2021)

PAPER-102

Full Marks: 40

Time: 02 Hrs

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

Group-A

Answer any two questions of the following: 8x2= 16

1. Construct an outline of Marx's philosophy of history.
2. How would you describe the English Revolution of the seventeenth century?
3. Discuss the views of various historical groups on Indian nationalism.
4. Write an essay on historiography of Environmental history.

Group-B

Answer any two questions of the following: 2x4 = 8

5. Write a short note on Macaulay's history writing method.
6. What is 'social history' according to Trevelyan?

7. How did Lefebvre explain the French Revolution?
8. Analyse the views of Ram Sharan Sharma and Harbans Mukhi regarding the Indian feudalism.

Group -C

Answer any eight questions of the following: 8x2 = 16

9. What is the difference between science and history?
 10. What are the elements of historical truth?
 11. What is critical scholarship in history?
 12. What do you mean by analytical operation?
 13. Explain the words – ‘heuristics’ and ‘hermeneutics’.
 14. According to Croce, what are the major parts of history?
 15. According to A.L. Rowse, what are the main steps of historical mind?
 16. What is Positive Interpretative Criticism and Negative Interpretative Criticism in history?
 17. Write the names of the colonial administrative anthropologists who practiced the history of caste in Bengal.
 18. What is the main statement of ‘Annales school’?
 19. What is Braudel's idea about the historical period?
 20. Is Eric Hobsbawm ‘self fashioned communist’?
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