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THIRD SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022

(CBCSS - UG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC19U DCHIS3 B04 - INDIAN HISTORY - I - STATE AND SOCIETY IN EARLY INDIA

(English & History Double Main - Core Course)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : 2.5 Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Credit : 4

Part A (Short answer questions)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

1. Amri-Nal culture.
2. Kalibangan.
3. Harappan polity.
4. PGW Culture.
5. Frederich Schlegel.
6. Rig vedic assemblies.
7. Varnasankara.
8. Third Buddhist Council.
9. Indica.
10. Core area states.
11. What are the problems posed by early Tamil literature to the study of Tamizhakam?
12. Kaveripumpattinam.
13. Puja system.
14. Mahendravarman I.
15. Feudal ideology of Bhakti.

(Ceiling: 25 Marks)

Part B (Paragraph questions)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

16. Do you agree that the Harappan script is a Dravidian script? Substantiate.

17. Asses how the soci-cultural system led to the decline of Indus civilisation.
18. Discuss about the social system during the early vedic period.
19. Asses the role of Mahavira to the spread of Jainism.
20. Discuss Arthasastra as a source for ancient Indian history.
21. Discuss on the debate on Asoka dhamma.
22. Bring out the charecteristics of Kali age
23. Mark on the outline map provided - Rupar, Jakhera, Girnar, Rampuva, Muziris

(Ceiling: 35 Marks)

Part C (Essay questions)

Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

24. Review the factors that led to the decline of Harappan civilisation.
25. Asses the nature of the Republican states in ancient India.
26. Elucidate the transition from Mahajanapadas to Empire in early india.
27. Asses the contribution of the Satavahanas to Indian history.

(2 × 10 = 20 Marks)
