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FOURTH SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2025

(CBCSS-PG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC19P HIS4 C02 - SELECTED THEMES IN PRE- MODERN SOUTH INDIA

(History)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum: 30 Weightage

Part-A

Answer any *four* questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.

1. Meikeerthi.
2. Kalambakkam.
3. Rise of non-cultivating intermediaries.
4. Roman trade.
5. Variyams.
6. Nannan.
7. Left hand and Right hand.

(4 × 2 = 8 Weightage)

Part-B

Answer any *four* questions. Each question carries 3 weightage.

8. Define Pattanam excavation.
9. Examine the centralised state model.
10. Examine the condition of writing and literacy in South India.
11. Examine the breakup of early Tamil society.
12. Discuss the origin of the Pallava state.
13. Write a short note on *Brahmadeyas* and *devadanas*.
14. Give an account of the Bhakti movement in South India.

(4 × 3 = 12 Weightage)

Part-C

Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

15. Examine the evidence of Iron Age society in South India.

16. Write an essay on the methodological issues of early Tamil poetics.
17. Discuss the role of Nayakas in the Vijayanagara Empire.
18. Discuss the features of the art and architecture of South India.

(2 × 5 = 10 Weightage)
