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FIRST SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2021

(CBCSS - PG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC19P HIS1 C03 - PROBLEMS, PERSPECTIVES AND DEBATES IN EARLY INDIAN HISTORY

(History)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

Part-A

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

1. Hindu Polity.
2. Aryan invasion theory.
3. Suvira Jayswal.
4. Charaka Samhita.
5. Upanishads.
6. Tripitakas.
7. Vedantha Darshana.

(4 × 2 = 8 Weightage)

Part-B

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

8. Assess how the formation of Asiatic Society of Bengal enriched the study of Indian culture and heritage.
9. "D D Kosambi effected a paradigm shift in Indian historiography"Elucidate.
10. Examine the nature of Harappan westerly trade.
11. Explain re-interpretation of Mauryan state based on "Mauryas revisited".
12. Critically explain the nature of Gupta state.
13. Make an analysis on Romila Thapar's view on Asoka's policy of Dhamma.

14. How Gerard Fussman used Arthasasthra to intrepret the naure of auryan state.

(4 × 3 = 12 Weightage)

Part-C

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

15. Analyse the contributions of Romila Thapar and Shereen Ratnagar to ancinet Indian historiography.

16. Compare and make an assessment on Vediac and Post-vedic socities.

17. Describe the debate on Indian feudalism.

18. Analyse the concept of non-violence in ancient India.

(2 × 5 = 10 Weightage)
