

B.A. (General) Part-I Syllabus
Examination Scheme
First Semester

PAPER	NAME OF THE PAPER	Internal Marks	M.MARKS	Total	TIME
Paper-I	History of India from the earliest time to 319 A.D.	20	80	100	3 Hours

Second Semester

PAPER	NAME OF THE PAPER	Internal Marks	M.MARKS	Total	TIME
Paper-I	History of India from 320 A.D. to 1206 A.D.	20	80	100	3 Hours

Syllabus of B.A (Part-I) for the academic session 2011-2012 is divided into two semesters. For each semester one paper is compulsory and each paper shall carry 100 Marks. Total aggregate marks for each semester is 100+100 = 200 (Marks). Students have choice of Language (Hindi/English) for their exams.

(1) There will be Internal Assessment of 20 marks in each paper as per the following criteria:

- | | | | |
|-------|---|---|-----|
| (i) | Two Handwritten Assignments
(I st Assignment after one month &
II nd Assignment after two months) | : | 10% |
| (ii) | One Class Test
(one period duration) | : | 5% |
| (iii) | Attendance | : | 5% |

Marks for Attendance will be giving as under:

- | | | | |
|-----------------|-----------|----------------|------------|
| (1) 91% onwards | : 5 Marks | (4) 70% to 75% | : 2 Marks* |
| (2) 81% to 90% | : 4 Marks | (5) 65% to 70% | : 1 Mark* |
| (3) 75% to 80% | : 3 Marks | | |

*For students engaged in co-curricular activities of the
Colleges only/authenticated medical grounds duly approved
by the concerned Principal.

(2) Theory paper will consist of 80 marks.

**FIRST SEMESTER
ANCIENT INDIAN HISOTRY, CULTURE AND ARCHAEOLOGY**

**Paper: History of India
(From the earliest time to 319 A. D.)**

Max. Marks: 80
Internal Assessment: 20
Time: 3 Hours

- Note:-** 1. At least 10 questions will be set in five sections. The Candidates will have to attempt 5 questions in all, selecting at least one question form each section.
1. There shall be a compulsory question on the map carrying 18 marks (12 for map work and 6 for explanatory note).Blind candidates may not attempt the map question. In lieu of the map question, they may attempt any other question. However, in case, they wish to attempt the map question, the part relating to the explanatory note will carry full marks.
 2. There shall be 1 objective type question. The question will be divided into there Sections. Section-1 shall have snap shot type questions of 8 marks. Section-II will have multiple choice questions of 5 marks. Section-III will have matching type questions of 5 marks.

Section-I

Sources of Indian History, Paleolithic, Mesolithic and Neolithic Cultures of India.

Section-II

Salient features of the Indus Valley Civilization. Original Home of the early Vedic people. Political and Administrative conditions of Vedic age.

Section-III

The age of the Mahajanapadas: Rise and growth of Magadhan empire (from Bimbisar to the Nanads) Buddhism and Jainism, the invasion of Alexander and its effects, the Mauryas: Chandragupta and Ashoka Satavahanas, Sakas & Kushanas.

Section-IV

Maps:

1. Important Sites of the Harappan Culture.
2. India during the Sixth Century B.C.
3. Extent of Ashoka Empire, Pillar and Edicts.
4. Kanishka's Empire.

Section-V

Objective Type Question (covering entire syllabus, Section I-III)

Books Recommended:

1. Majumdar, Ray : An Advanced History of India.
Chaudhary & Datta :
2. Tripath, R.S. : Ancient India.
3. Basham, A : The Wonder That was India, London 1954
4. Ray Chaudhary, H.C. : Political History of Ancient India,
Calcutta, 1963.
5. Sastri. K.A.N : The age of the Nandas and Mauryans
(In English and Hindi)
6. Jai Narain Pandey : Puratattva Vimarash, 2009
7. Majumdar, R.C. and : Vedic Age.
Pusalkar, A.D.
8. Wheeler R.E.M. : The Indus Civilization.
9. Thaplyal, K.K and ; Sindhu Sabhyata (In Hindi).
Shukla, S.P.

SECOND SEMESTER
ANCIENT INDIAN HISOTRY, CULTURE ANDARCHAEOLOGY

Paper: History of India
(From 320 A. D. to 1206 A. D.)

Max. Marks: 80
Internal Assessment: 20
Time: 3 Hours

Note:- 1. At least 10 questions will be set in five sections. The Candidates will have to attempt 5 questions in all, selecting at least one question form each section.

1. There shall be a compulsory question on the map carrying 18 marks (12 for map work and 6 for explanatory note).Blind candidates may not attempt the map question. In lieu of the map question, they may attempt any other question. However, in case, they wish to attempt the map question, the part relating to the explanatory note will carry full marks.
2. There shall be one objective type question. The question will be divided into three Sections. Section-1 shall have snap shot type questions of 8 marks. Section-II will have multiple choice questions of 5 marks. Section-III will have matching type questions of 5 marks.

Section-I

The Gupta Empire: achievements of Smudragupta, Chandragupta-II Skandagupta. Downfall of Gupta Empire.

Section-II

Rise and fall of Pushyabhutis, Chalukyas of Badami. Pratiharas, the Palas and the Rastrakutas, the Chahamana as the Gahadavals and the Parmaras. Dynasties of the South-the Pallavas and the Cholas.

Section-III

The Arab and the Turk invasions- Muhammad-bin-Kasim, Mahmud Ghaznavi and Muhammad Ghori.

Section-IV

Maps:

1. Samudragupta Empire.
2. Samudragupta's Conquests.
3. Extent of Harsha Empire.
4. Chola Empire.

Section-V

Objective Type Question (covering entire syllabus, Section I-III)

Books Recommended:

1. Yazdani : Early History of Deccan, Oxford, 1960
2. Shastri, N.K. : Ancient India.
3. Panday, R.B. : The Wonder That was India, London
4. Majumdar, R.C. : Ancient India, Delhi, 1977
5. Ghosh, N.N. : Early History of India, Allahabad.

6. Jha, D.N. : Prachin Bharat (Delhi, 1980)
7. Majumdar & Altekar : The Vakataka Gupta Age, Delhi, 1953.
8. Tripathi, R.S. : History of Kanauj.
9. Puri B.N. : History of the Gurjara Pratiharas.

**B.A. (General) Part-II Syllabus
Examination Scheme**

THIRD SEMESTER

PAPER	NAME OF THE PAPER	Internal Marks	M.MARKS	Total	TIME
Paper-I	Social History of India (From the earliest time to 1200 A. D.)	20	80	100	3 Hours

FORTH SEMESTER

PAPER	NAME OF THE PAPER	Internal Marks	M.MARKS	Total	TIME
Paper-I	Economic History of India (From the earliest time to 1200 A. D.)	20	80	100	3 Hours

Syllabus of B.A (Part-II) for the academic session 2011-2012 is divided into two semesters. For each semester one paper is compulsory and each paper shall carry 100 Marks. Total aggregate marks for each semester is 100+100 = 200 (Marks). Students have choice of Language (Hindi/English) for their exams.

(1) There will be Internal Assessment of 20 marks in each paper as per the following criteria:

- (i) Two Handwritten Assignments : 10%
(Ist Assignment after one month & IInd Assignment after two months)
- (ii) One Class Test : 5%
(one period duration)
- (iii) Attendance : 5%

Marks for Attendance will be giving as under:

- (1) 91% onwards : 5 Marks (4) 70% to 75% : 2 Marks*
(2) 81% to 90% : 4 Marks (5) 65% to 70% : 1 Mark*
(3) 75% to 80% : 3 Marks

*For students engaged in co-curricular activities of the Colleges only/authenticated medical grounds duly approved by the concerned Principal.

(3) Theory paper will consist of 80 marks.

**THIRD SEMESTER
ANCIENT INDIAN HISOTRY, CULTURE AND
ARCHAEOLOGY**

**Paper-I: Social History of India
(From the earliest time to 1200 A. D.)**

Max. Marks: 80
Internal Assessment: 20
Time: 3 Hours

- Note:-**
1. At least 10 questions will be set in four sections. The Candidates will have to attempt 5 questions in all, selecting at least One question from each section.
 2. There shall be one objective type question. The question will be divided into three Sections. Section-1 shall have snap shot type questions of 8 marks. Section-II will have multiple choice questions of 5 marks. Section-III will have matching type questions of 5 marks.

Section-I

Social life of Indus Valley Civilization and Vedic period.

Section-II

Origin and Development of Varna, Jati and Samskara.

Section-III

Position of Women (Property right, Education, Sati and Devadasi system)
Marriage: Slavery and Untouchability.

Section-IV

Objective Type Question (Covering entire syllabus, section- III)

BOOK RECOMMENDED:

1. अपध्याय राजाजी : प्राचीन भारत की सामाजिक संस्कृति
2. Sharma R.S. : (i) Material culture and social formation in Ancient India.
(ii) Perspectives in Social Economic History of early India, Delhi, 1983.
(iii) शूद्रों का प्राचीन इतिहास, दिल्ली, 1979
3. पाण्डेय राजकली : हिन्दू संस्कार, वाराणसी, 1957
4. Probhu P.N. : Hindu Social Organization, Bombay 1958.
5. Sharma B.N. : Social Life in North India, Delhi 1966 (600-1000 A.D)
6. जयशंकर मिश्र : प्राचीन भारत का सामाजिक इतिहास, पटना, 1974
7. राय विजय बहादुर : उत्तरवैदिक समाज एवं संस्कृति, वाराणसी, 1966
8. मदन मोहन सिंह : बुद्धकालीन समाज और धर्म, पटना, 1972

**FORTH SEMESTER
ANCIENT INDIAN HISOTRY, CULTURE AND
ARCHAEOLOGY**

**Paper-I: Economic History of India
(From the earliest time to 1200 A. D.)**

Max. Marks: 80
Internal Assessment: 20
Time: 3 Hours

- Note:-** 1. At least 10 questions will be set in four sections. The Candidates will have to attempt 5 questions in all, selecting at least one question from each section.
2. There shall be one objective type question. The question will be divided into three Sections. Section-1 shall have snap shot type questions of 8 marks. Section-II will have multiple choice questions of 5 marks. Section-III will have matching type questions of 5 marks.

Section-I

Economic life during Harppan Civilization and Vedic period, First and second Urbanization.

Section-II

Economic conditions during Mauryas & Guptas.

Section-III

Trade and commerce in Ancient India, Origin and Growth of Feudalism.

Section-IV

Objective type question (Covering entire syllabus, section -III)

BOOK RECOMMENDED:

1. त्रिपाठी रामनरेश : प्राचीन भारत का आर्थिक विचार, इलाहाबाद, 1981
2. पोती चन्द्र : सार्थवाह, पटना, 1953
3. Sharma R.S. : (i) Perspectives in Social and Economic History of Early India, Delhi, 1983.
(ii) भारतीय सामन्तवाद, दिल्ली, 1977
4. झा.डी.एन : मौर्योत्तर तथा गुप्तकालीन राजस्व व्यवस्था, दिल्ली, 1972
5. Jainabhoy R.A. : Foreign influence in Ancient India, New Delhi, 1963.
6. Das. S.K : The Economic History of Ancient India, Calcutta, 1977.
7. Maity S.K : Economic life of Northern India in Gupta period (A.D. 300-500) Calcutta, 1958.
8. Thakur V.K : Urbanisation in Ancient India, New Delhi, 1981.
9. Gopal Lallanji : The Economic Life of Northern India (A.D 700-1200) Varansi, 1965.
10. Kher N.K : Agrarian and Fiscal Economy

