

Syllabus for Undergraduate Programme

Bachelor of Arts in History



Manipur University, Canchipur

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B.A History Syllabus of Manipur University

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History Paper 101 - History of India from early period to the 6th Century B.C

Unit - I: Sources of Ancient Indian History

Unit - II: Archaeology - Its Definition, Method and Prehistory

Unit - III: Harappan Culture

Unit-IV: Vedic Civilization: Early Vedic and later Vedic

Unit-V: Indian religious movements in 6th century BC (Buddhism and Jainism)

Suggested Reading:

1. REM Wheeler; The Indus Civilization, Cambridge
2. Romila Thapar; History of India Vol-I
3. R.S Tripathi; History of ancient India
4. R.C.Majumdar, H.C.Raichanduri, KK Datta; An Advanced History of India
5. SN Sen; Ancient Indian Civilization
6. R.C.Majumdar, Ancient India
7. H.D.Sankaila: Indian Archaeology Today

Paper 202 - Title: History of Delhi Sultanate (1200-1556)

Unit-I: Sources of Early Indian History

Unit-IE: Ghori's conquest of India: its causes and consequences; Sultanate under Iltutmish, India under the first two Tughluqs: Economic Policies; Political and Administrative Structure, the Lodhis.

Unit-III: Vijayanagar Empire Bahmani Kingdom, administration and socio - economic aspects.

Unit-IV: Outline of Culture during 13th -16th Century: Sufism: its main concepts and Orders. Unit-V: Bhakti Movement: Leaders of the Movement; its impact.

Suggested Reading:

1. Habib, Irfan(ed), Medieval India-Research in the History of India 1200-1750 (Delhi OUP, 1992)
2. Habib, Mohammed Politics and Society in the Early Medieval periods, Vol, I&II Delhi, ppptt, 1974
3. Habib, Mohammed and K.A.mizami (ed) Comprehensive History of India Vol.V
A. D.1206- 1526, The Delhi Sultanate Delhi (ppptt. 1987)
4. Morelandm, W.H.Agarian System of Moslem India, A Historical Essay with Appendieces Edn2 (Delhi, Oriental books)
5. Satish Chandra, Medieval India, From Sultanate to the Mughal, Part I, Delhi Sultantate (1205-1526) Delhi Har Anand, 1977.
6. Habib and Nizami: Comprehensive History of India, Vol-V.7. R.P. Tripathi: Some Aspects of Muslim Administration.8. Yusuf Husain: Some Aspects Of Medieval Indian Culture.

PAPER 303 HISTORY OF MODERN INDIA (1600-1857)

Unit-I: European Commercial Interest

- A. The Portuguese
- B. The Dutch
- C. The English & The French

Unit-IE: British Annexation and Consolidation:

- A. Occupation of Bengal
- B. Carnatic War
- C. Relations with Bengal, Marathas, Sikhs Unit-III British Expansionist Policies

- A. Subsidiary Alliances
- B. Doctrine of Lapse

Unit-IV: Structure and Administrative Organization of the Company

- A. Regulating Act, 1773; Pitts India Act, 1784; Charter Act (1793, 1813,1833&1853)
- B. Civil Services, Army & Police

- C. Judicial Organization Unit-V: Revolt of 1857
- A. Causes
- B. Courses
- C. Impact

Suggested Reading:

1. H.Dodwell, Cambridge History of India, Vol.V, CUP, London, 1936
2. B.B.Mirsa, The Administrative History of India, Oxford, 1970.
3. P.E.Roberts, History of British India, London, 1970.
4. B.L.Grover & S.Grover, A New Look on Modern Indian History, Sultan Chand & Company Ltd., 1990(reprint).

PAPER 404

TITLE: History of Modern Europe A.D.1789-1945

Unit-I French Revolution: Emergence of Republic, The Reign of Terror. The Directory 1795-99

Unit-II Emergence of Napoleonic Bonaparte, Expansion, Consolidation and Downfall and the Congress of Vienna, 1815 Unit-III Social and Political Development 1815-1848: Metemich-Forces of Conservatism, reorientations of the old hierarchies, Revolutionary Movements of 1830 and 1848.

Unit-IV Unification of Italy and Germany (Making of National States, Liberalism and Democracy in Britain Unit-V Europe in the I and II World War power blocks and Alliances, and world war I Fascism and Nazism origins of the World War II.

Suggested Reading:

1. Hobsbawm, E.F. Nation and Nationalism
2. Lefevre, George, Coming of the French Revolutions (Princeton university press, 1989)
3. Locus, Colin, The French Revolution and making of modern political culture Vol.2 (Penguin, 1988)
4. Evan J. The Foundation of a modern state in Europe
5. Modern Europe to 1870 Carlton J.H. Hayes
6. Contemporary Europe since 1870, Carlton J.H. Hayes
7. David Thompson, Europe Since Napoleon
8. JR Marriot, A History of Europe
9. E.Lipson Europe in the 19th and 20th Centuries 1815-1939 ELBS, 1960.
10. -Grant & Temperley, Europe in the Nineteenth & Twentieth Centuries

PAPER: 505 (HONS)

Title: History Of Ancient India From The 6th Century B.C. to 12th Century AD 100 marks

Unit-I: Periods of Mahajanapadas; rise of Magadha, Republics and Monarchies, Iranian and Macedonian invasions and their impacts Unit-II: Foundation of the Mauryan Empire- Chandragupta Mauryan to Ashok; Dharma of Ashok; Mauryan Administration; Decline of the Mauryan Unit-III: The Kusans; the Sungas and Satavahanas; the Gupta Empire, Harshavardhan Unit-IV: Chalukyas, Pallavas, Rastrakutas, Cholas, Gujara, Pratihara and Palas. Unit-V: Arab conquest of Sindh.

Suggested Reading:

1. R.S.Sharma, Ancient India's Past
2. Romila Thapar, History of India Vol.I
3. R.S.Tripathi, History of Ancient India
4. S.N.Sen, Ancient India History and Civilization
5. B.G.Bokhale- Ancient Indian History & Culture Bombay, 1974
6. S.C. Malik-Indian Civilization, Simla, 1968
7. K.M.Panikar-A Survey of Indian History, Bombay, 1974
8. AL.Bashan-The Wonder That was India, London, 1968
9. H.C. Raychanduri, Political History of Ancient India Calcutta, 1923.
10. G.P.Singh-Early Indian Historical Tradition & Archaeology
11. R.C.Mazumdar- Rig-Veda Age
12. R.C.Mazumdar-Ancient India
13. K.A.N. Shastri -A History of South India.

PAPER 506 Title: History of Mughal India A.D.1526-1707

Unit-I: A brief survey of source material; Political conditions of north India in 1526; Babur and establishment of the Mughal Empire; Humayan and his difficulties; Sher Shah and his administration.

Unit-II: Akbar: Early Problems and difficulties, Regency of Bairam Khan; Rajput policy; Religious Policy. Unit-III: Jahangir: Accession, Court Politics, Religious Policy, Relations with Rajput, Shajahan: Expansion in the Deccan, Relations with Central Asia and Iran Unit- IV: Aurangzeb: The War of Succession, Religious policy, policy towards the Rajputs, the Deccan policy, Rise of the Marathas, Maratha-Mughal Struggle.

Unit-V: Mughal Administration, Factors responsible for the decline of the Mughal Empire.

Suggested Reading:

1. R.P.Tripathi: Rise and fall of the Mughal Empire
2. Anirodha Roy: Some Aspects of Mughal Empire
3. Mohibbul Hasan: Babur, the Founder of Mughal Empire.
4. Habib, Infran Agrarian system of Mughal India, 1526-1707 (Mumbai, Asia, 1963)
5. V.A. Smith: Akbar the Great
6. K.A.Nizami: Akbar and Religion
7. S.R.Sharma: Religions Policy of the Mughal Emperors.
8. Sathish Chandra: Medieval India, From Sultanate to the Mughals Part n, the Mughals (1526-1750) Delhi.

PAPER 507

History of Indian National Movement (1885-1947)

Unit -I: Emergence of Indian Nationalism

- A. Growth of New Ideas
- B. Factors of Indian Nationalism
- C. Growth of Associations

Unit-II: The Early Phase

- A. Foundation of Indian National Congress.
- B. The Moderates and the Extremist

Unit-III: Protest and Communalism

- A. Partition of Bengal & Swadeshi Movement
- B. Communalism-its genesis
- C. Home Rule Movement

Unit-IV: Gandhian Era

- A. Khilafat
- B. Non-Cooperation
- C. Civil Disobedience

Unit-V: The Last Phase

- A. Quit India

- B. INA
- C. Partition

Suggested Readings:

1. Bipan Chandra & Others: India's Struggle for Independence, New Delhi, 1998.
2. B.R. Nanda: Essays in Indian Nationalism, New Delhi, 1978.
3. R.P. Dutt: India Today, Calcutta, 1999.
4. Sumit Sarkar: Modern India, New Delhi, 1983.

PAPER 608

TITLE: HISTORY OF MANIPUR FROM 33A.D.1891

Unit-I Sources of History

1. Pre and Proto History Manipur
2. Literary Sources
3. Historiography

Unit-II Evolution and expansion of Kingdom

1. Nongda Lairen Pakhangba
2. Kiyamba
3. Khagemba Unit-III Sanskritisation

1. Garibniwaz
2. Bhaigachandra

Unit-IV Establishment of relationship with British

1. Treaty of 1762
2. 7 year Devastation
3. Establishment of Political Agency Unit-

V Anglo Manipur War 1891

Suggested Readings:

1. L.Kunj eswori Devi; Archaeology of Manipur
2. Lai Dena Edt.; History of Modern Manipur, 1826-1949
3. Gangmumei Kamei; History of Manipur in Pre-colonial Period
4. NJoykumar Singh; Colonialism to Democracy, History of Manipur-1819-1972
5. R.KJhalajit Singh; A Short History of Manipur.
6. J.Roy; History of Manipur
7. Lai Dena; British policy toward Manipur 1762-1947.

PAPER 609 TITLE: SOUTHEAST ASIA, 1800-1945

Unit-I: Contact with the west

1. Land and People.
2. European Interest
3. Patterns of European settlements.

Unit-II: Anglo Dutch imperialism

1. Dutch colonial interest in java-culture system and ethical policy
2. British Policy in Malaysia.
3. Anglo Burmese relation.

Unit-III: Spanish, USA and French colonial expansion

1. Philippines: From Spanish to American rule.
2. French colonial expansion in Laos, Cambodia and Indo-China (Vietnam)
3. French colonial administration in Indo-China.

Unit-IV: Thailand's resurgence

1. Internal developments
2. Revolution of 1932 and its impact
3. Modernization and Westernization

- Unit-V: Growth of nationalist movements
1. Filipino nationalist movement
 2. Burmese nationalism between the wars.
 3. Beginnings of nationalist agitation in Indo-China (Vietnam)
 4. Political movements in Indonesia.

Reference:

1. John F.Cody; South Asia: Its historical development.
2. D.G.E.Hall; Southeast Asia. (A History of south east)
3. D.R.Sardesai; Southeast Asia Past and present
4. Brian Harrison; A Short History of Southeast Asia.
5. D.J.M.; The Making of Southeast Asia
6. Mukherjee; Southeast Asia
7. Rich and Allen; An Introduction to the History of Politics of Southeast Asia.
8. Housraj; A History of Southeast Asia.
9. Cambridge History of Southeast Asia Vol-11.
10. Harold C. Vinacke; A History of Far East in Modern Times (Relevant Chapters on Southeast Asia).

PAPER 610

TITLE: HISTORY OF AMERICA /USA 1776-1945

Unit-I: American Revolution: Colonial background sources of conflict, Revolutionary groups and ideological basis; and war of Independence Unit-II: Making of the Constitution.

Unit-III: Sectional conflict and civil war: Emancipation of slavery.

Unit-IV: Reconstruction: Presidential; Radical and Congressional plans; the emergence of New South.

Unit-V: America between I and II World Wars; Economic Depression and the New Deal; Entry into World War II and its consequences.

Reference:

1. Beard, Charles, An Economic Interpretation of the Construction of the USA (Free Press 1986)
2. Bojer, Paul, Havand stikoff, Nancy Et.al .The Enduring Vision: A History of the American people Vol I and II.
3. Hofstadter, Richard, The Age Reform, from Bxyan to FDR (Randeom, 1960)
4. Krisol, Irenry, Godon Wood et.al. American continuing Revolution (An Enterprises, 1975)
5. Tripathi, Devijendra and SC, Tiwari, Themes perspective of American History.
6. Hick, John, D. The Federal Union: A History of USA since 1865.
7. Randall, James et.al. The civil war and Reconstruction (Health and)
8. Henry Bamford Parkes: The United States of America.
ia (1800 to 1945)