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Fourth Semester MA History Degree Examination, April 2023

MHS4C11 – Contemporary India : Problems and Perspectives

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage : 30

PART-A (Short Answer Type)

Answer four questions

Weightage for each question is 2

1. Telengana movement
2. Liberalization
3. Women in literature
4. Mixed economy
5. Anti-Hindi agitation
6. Simla agreement
7. Identity politics

(2X4=8 Weightage)

PART-B(Short Essay Type)

Answer any four questions

Weightage for each question is 3

8. In what ways media can work for the eradication of social evils from the society of India?
9. Examine the importance of Chipco movement.
10. Bring out the impact of the Internal Emergency.
11. Highlight the significance of women's movement in India since independence.
12. Sketch the growth of regionalism in India with special reference to Punjab problem.
13. Evaluate Jawaharlal Nehru as the architect of modern India.
14. Point out the recommendations of the Mandal Commission.

(3 x 4=12 Weightage)

PART-C (Essay Type)
Answer any two questions
Weightage for each question is 5

15. Examine the major challenges in the linguistic re-organisation of the states.
16. Discuss briefly the planning process followed in India. How far has it helped us to achieve our objectives?
17. Summarise the causes for the growth of communalism in post independent India.
18. Give an account of centre-state relations in India after independence.

(5 x 2=10 Weightage)

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MHS4C12 – Contemporary World

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Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage : 30

PART-A (Short Answer Type)

Answer four questions

Weightage for each question is 2

1. Potsdam Conference
2. Suez Canal Crisis
3. Decolonization movements in Algeria
4. Truman Doctrine
5. Kyoto Protocol
6. Solidarity Movement
7. WTO

(4x 2 = 8 weightage)

PART-B (Short Essay Type)

Answer any four questions

Weightage for each question is 3

8. Discuss briefly the role of military alliance in the spread of cold war.
9. Locate the significance of NAM in the post-cold war scenario.
10. Critically examine the nature of anti-colonial movements in Africa.
11. Write a brief note on decolonization in South East Asia.
12. Analyse the importance of environmental movements in the contemporary world.
13. Evaluate the covenants of UNO that uphold human rights and dignity.
14. Examine the circumstances that led to the fall of Berlin Wall and the unification of Germany.

(4x 3 = 12 weightage)

PART-C (Essay Type)

Answer any two questions

Weightage for each question is 5

15. Critically evaluate the impact of cold war in global politics.
16. Analyse how decolonization transformed the newly independent nations.
17. Examine the various programs and policies adopted by UNO to support women's rights.
18. Discuss how globalisation transformed the lives of the marginalised people.

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MHS4E5 – Environmental History of India

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage : 30

PART-A (Short Answer Type)

Answer four questions

Weightage for each question is 2

1. Foraging
2. Deep Ecology
3. Botanical Gardens
4. *Taqavi*
5. Colonial Teak Plantations
6. Sardar Sarovar Dam
7. Sundarlal Bahuguna

(2 x 4 = 8 weightage)

PART-B (Short Essay Type)

Answer any four questions

Weightage for each question is 3

8. Explain the concept of ecosystem and its constituents.
9. Trace the trajectory and impacts of famines and epidemics in the pre-colonial period?
10. Observe the forest resource management under the Sultanate and Mughal administration.
11. Analyze the nature of the romanticist construction of Indian environment during colonialism
12. Examine colonialism as an ecological imperialist project.
13. Comment on the aspect of indigenous peoples right over resources in the context of post-colonial environmental movements.
14. Examine the extent and impact of deforestation in independent India.

(3 x 4 = 12 weightage)

PART-C (Essay Type)
Answer any two questions
Weightage for each question is 5

15. Examine the origin and development of global environmental consciousness.
16. Evaluate the role of particular resource use patterns in shaping the pre modern society of Indian subcontinent.
17. Discuss the colonial legislative intervention over the Indian forest.
18. Point out the development versus ecological destruction paradigm in the post-colonial economic development

(2 x 5 = 10 weightage)

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MHS4E6 – Epigraphy in Kerala History

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage : 30

PART-A (Short Answer Type)

Answer four questions

Weightage for each question is 2

1. V.R Parameswarappillai
2. Chembra Inscription
3. Vattezhuthu
4. Samudragupta
5. William Logan
6. Kollam Era
7. Estampage

(4x 2 = 8 Weightage)

PART-B (Short Essay Type)

Answer any four questions

Weightage for each question is 3

8. Briefly explain the decipherment of Brahmi script.
9. Evaluate the contributions of Prof. Elamkulam Kunjan Pillai towards the inscriptional studies.
10. What you mean by *Katapayati* and *Bhoothasankhya*- explain with examples.
11. How inscriptions are helpful in the reconstruction of early medieval Kerala history? Give your opinion.
12. Bring out the importance of Chola inscriptions in the history of South India.
13. Critically comment on the work 'Perumals of Kerala'.
14. Language is a barrier in the understanding of inscriptional source - Do you agree? Why?

(4x 3 = 12 weightage)

PART-C (Essay Type)
Answer any two questions
Weightage for each question is 5

15. Prepare an essay on the Epigraphical studies in Kerala during the colonial period.
16. Define the term Epigraphy and explain its nature and scope.
17. What were the important scripts in ancient and medieval Kerala? Prepare an essay.
18. Write an Essay on the Edicts of Ashoka and point out their social and historical significance.
(2 x 5 = 10 weightage)