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Fourth Semester MA History Degree Examination, April 2024

MHS4C11 - Contemporary India: Selected Themes

(2022 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage : 30

PART-A (Short Answer Type)

Answer four questions.

Weightage for each question is 2

1. The Planning Commission of India
2. Punchhi Commission
3. Potti Sreeramulu
4. Bindheshwari Prasad Mandal
5. Aikya Kerala Movement
6. Kamala Das
7. V P Singh

(2 x 4 = 8 weightage)

PART-B (Short Essay Type)

Answer any four questions.

Weightage for each question is 3

8. Describe the historicity of Bombay plan.
9. "Jawaharlal Nehru, the architect of modern India, stood as a beacon of hope, guiding the nation through its formative years". Comment.
10. Elucidate Indian quest for linguistic reorganisation in post-independent India.
11. Point out the educational history of contemporary India.
12. Investigate the role of reservations in ensuring social justice in India.
13. Estimate the impact of dalit movements in contemporary India.
14. Evaluate the political impact of Internal Emergency in India.

(3 x 4 = 12 weightage)

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

15. Estimate the impact of LPG policies on Indian economy, society and culture.
16. Write a critical review of Hindutva politics in India.
17. Elucidate the structure and dynamics of identity politics, with special reference to dalit, women and adivasi movements in India.
18. Discuss the development of communication networks and new media in India.

(5 x 2 = 10 weightage)

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MHS4C12 - Contemporary World – Selected Themes
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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. SEATO
2. Nelson Mandela
3. WTO
4. Mikhail Gorbachev
5. Robert Mugabe
6. NAM
7. Apiko Movement

(4x2=8 Weightage)**Part – B (Short Essay Type)****Answer any four questions*****Weightage for each question is 3***

8. Examine the causes and effects of Cold War on global politics.
9. Briefly discuss the role of Mahatma Gandhi in the freedom movement of India.
10. Locate the role of UNO in protecting human rights.
11. Discuss the growth and development of global terrorism and its impact on world politics.
12. Evaluate the relevance of women's rights movements.
13. Explain the factors which led to decolonization of Asian and African countries.
14. Trace the roots of third world environmentalism.

(4x3 =12 Weightage)

Part – C (Essay Type)
Answer any two questions
Weightage for each question is 5

15. Critically analyze the emergence of military alliances during post war scenario.
16. Evaluate the decolonization movements in newly independent nations and the emergence of the concept of 'third world'.
17. Analyze the scenario that led to the emergence of UNO and its impact on regulating global politics.
18. Discuss the developments that caused the waning of communism in Europe.

(2 x5 = 10 Weightage)

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MHS4E5 - Environmental History of India: Perspectives and Problems

(2022 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage : 30

PART-A (Short Answer Type)*Answer four questions. Weightage for each question is 2*

1. Pastoralism
2. Habitat
3. Ecological Imperialism
4. Mayilamma
5. Deforestation
6. Chipko Movement
7. Eco -Feminism

(4 x 2 = 8 weightage)

PART-B (Short Essay Type)*Answer any four questions. Weightage for each question is 3*

8. Distinguish between environmental studies and environmental history.
9. Summarise the issues involved in Guha- Grove debate.
10. Elaborate the concept of Neolithic Revolution.
11. Examine the nature of colonial forest policy in India.
12. Trace the impact of colonialism on tribal livelihood.
13. Discuss the pathways of Silent Valley Movement.
14. Examine the popular nature of Narmada Bachao Andolan.

(4 x 3 = 12 weightage)

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

15. Trace the major trends in the historiography of environmental history of India.
16. Examine the environmental reasons for the rise and decline of Indus civilization.
17. Estimate the environmental impact of industrialization in India.
18. Discuss the ecological consequences of dam constructions.

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MHS4E6 - Epigraphy in Kerala History

(2022 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Weightage : 30

PART-A (Short Answer Type)
Answer four questions
Weightage for each question is 2

1. Allahabad Prasasti
2. Travancore Archaeological series (TAS)
3. Hultzsch
4. Kurumathur Inscription
5. Define Epigraphy
6. Paleography
7. Prof. Elamkulam Kunjan Pillai

(4x 2 = 8 weightage)

PART-B (Short Essay Type)
Answer any four questions
Weightage for each question is 3

8. Establish the historical importance of the Chola Inscriptions
9. Prepare a note on the Brahmi inscriptions found from Kerala
10. Identify the major Eras mentioned in the ancient Indian inscriptions
11. List out the Epigraphical publications in Kerala during the first half of the 20th century
12. Distinguish *Katapayati* and *Bhoothasankhya* systems
13. Critically valuate the contributions of Prof. MGS Narayanan towards Kerala Epigraphy
14. Differentiate between the Eye Copy and the Estampage

(4x 3 = 12 weightage)

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

15. Prepare an essay on the decipherment of different Ancient Indian Scripts
16. Give a description of the methods of Epigraphy starting from its discovery to the interpretation
17. Examine the nature and content of the inscriptions of Ashoka
18. 'Epigraphy is a source of Indian history and culture' - Examine.

(2 x 5 = 10 weightage)