

PART C — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

16. (a) Examine the legacy of Rome in Britain.  
Or  
(b) Write about the spread of Christianity in England.
17. (a) Discuss the features of Oxford Parliament under Henry III.  
Or  
(b) Describe the reforms of Edward I.
18. (a) Trace the development of parliament under Henry VII.  
Or  
(b) Brief the features of the foreign policy of Mary Tudor.
19. (a) Examine the foreign policy of James I.  
Or  
(b) Discuss Charles I's relation with the first two Parliaments.
20. (a) Discuss about the Clarendon Code.  
Or  
(b) Outline the results of the Revolution of 1688.

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HISTORY OF ENGLAND UPTO 1688 A.D.

(For those who joined in July 2017 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

- Roman conquest of Britain began effectively in  
(a) AD 43 (b) AD 44  
(c) AD 45 (d) AD 46
- Alfred the Great was king of  
(a) Wessex (b) Italy  
(c) Rome (d) France
- The first Norman King of England  
(a) William I (b) William II  
(c) Henry I (d) Henry II



4. The term Plantagenet refers to  
(a) royal house (b) farm  
(c) industry (d) institution
5. The term Lancaster refers to  
(a) royal house (b) farm  
(c) industry (d) institution
6. The wars of the roses were fought in  
(a) England (b) France  
(c) Spain (d) America
7. The title King of Great Britain was assumed by  
(a) James I (b) Charles I  
(c) Henry I (d) Henry III
8. From 1649 to 1660 England was ruled by  
(a) James (b) Charles I  
(c) Henry I (d) Oliver Cromwell
9. Charles II came to power in  
(a) 1660 (b) 1662  
(c) 1664 (d) 1665
10. Glorious Revolution took place during the reign of  
(a) James II (b) Charles II  
(c) Henry I (d) Oliver Cromwell

PART B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

11. (a) What were the effects Roman conquest of Britain?  
Or  
(b) Note on the invasion of Julius Caesar on Britain.
12. (a) Enlighten the main achievements of William I.  
Or  
(b) State the significance of Henry II's reign period.
13. (a) Give a note on home policy of Henry IV.  
Or  
(b) Account for the development of education under Elizabeth.
14. (a) Note on the First Parliament of James I.  
Or  
(b) Write the importance of Long Parliament.
15. (a) Write the activities of Convention Parliament.  
Or  
(b) Enlighten the characteristics of James II.



