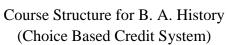
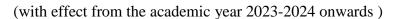


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SYLLABUS

UG - COURSES – AFFILIATED COLLEGES







Semester-VI							
Part	Subject Status	Subject Title Subject Code		Credit			
III	CORE	CONTEMPORARY HISTORY OF INDIA	4				
III	CORE	INDIA AND HER NEIGHBOURS	4				
III	CORE	HISTORY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY IN INDIA		4			
III	ELECTIVE	INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS SINCE 1919 / HISTORY OF LATIN AMERICA		3			
III	ELECTIVE	HISTORY OF CHINA AND JAPAN/ HISTORY OF PONDICHERRY		3			
IV	NAAN MUDHALVAN	INTRODUCTION TO EPIGRAPHY		2			
V	EXTENSION ACTIVITIES			1			



Total Marks: 100 Internal Exam: 25 marks + External Exam: 75 marks

A. Scheme for internal Assessment:

Maximum marks for written test: 20 marks

3 internal tests, each of **I hour** duration shall be conducted every semester.

To the average of the **best two** written examinations must be added the marks scored in. The **assignment** for 5 marks.

The break up for internal assessment shall be:

Written test- 20 marks; Assignment -5 marks Total - 25 marks

B. Scheme of External Examination

3 hrs. examination at the end of the semester

A-Part: 1 mark question two - from each unit B-Part: 5 marks question one - from each unit C-Part: 8 marks question one - from each unit

> Conversion of Marks into Grade Points and Letter Grades

S.No	Marks	Letter Grade	Grade point (GP)	Performance
1	90-100	O	10	Outstanding
2	80-89	A+	9	Excellent
3	70-79	A	8	Very Good
4	60-69	B+	7	Good
5	50-59	В	6	Above Average
6	40-49	С	5	Pass
7	0-39	RA	-	Reappear
8	0	AA	-	Absent

Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)

$$CGPA = \frac{\Sigma (GP \times C)}{\Sigma C}$$

- **GP** = Grade point, **C** = Credit
- CGPA is calculated only for Part-III courses
- CGPA for a semester is awarded on cumulative basis

> Classification

a) First Class with Distinction
b) First Class
c CGPA ≥ 7.5*
c CGPA ≥ 6.0

c) Second Class : $CGPA \ge 5.0$ and < 6.0

d) Third Class : CGPA < 5.0



CONTEMPORARY HISTORY OF INDIA

Learning Objectives

The learning objectives are to impart:

- Contribution of Jawaharlal Nehru as the architect of modern India.
- Appraise the administration of Indira Gandhi and Janata Government.
- Inculcate the knowledge about rule of Rajiv Gandhi and National Front Government.
- Impart the knowledge on New Economic Policy.
- Administration of Unit-ed Front Government and National Democratic Alliance.

UNIT I

The Nehruvian Era – Democratic Socialism – Economic Policy – Five-Year Plans – Foreign Policy – Panchsheel – Non-Aligned Movement –Lal Bahadur Sastri – Domestic and Foreign Policies.

UNIT II

India during Indira Gandhi's First Ministry – Administrative Reforms – Indo - Pakistan War – National Emergency 1976 – Twenty Point Programmes – Janata Government – Morarji Desai.

UNIT III

Second Ministry of Indira Gandhi – Domestic and Foreign Policy – Rajiv Gandhi's Rule – Panchayat Raj Operation Black Board - Development of Science and Technology - Foreign Policy.

UNIT IV

National Front Rule – V.P.Singh - Mandal Commission – Coalition Governments – DMK – Communist Parties – P.V. Narasimha Rao – New Economic Policy -

UNIT V

United Front Rule – Foreign Policy – National Democratic Alliance – A.B.Vajpayee – Golden Quadrilateral Project - Kargil War – I. K. Gujral - Deva Gowda - Manmohan Singh Governments - Economic Reforms - development schemes.

LEARNING RESOURCES

Recommended Books

- 1. Bipan Chandra., Aditya Mukherjee & Mridula Mukherjee, India After Independence 1947-2000, (2nd edn.), Penguin Books, New Delhi, 2008
- 2. Dube, S., India Since Independence Social Report on India 1947-1972, Vikas Publication House, New Delhi, 1977
- 3. Grover B.L. and Grover. S, A New Look on Modern Indian History, Chand. S



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- 4. John Webster, C.B., History of Contemporary India, Asia Publishing House, 1971
- 5. NeeraChandoke and Praveen Priyadarshi (Ed.), Contemporary India: Economy, Society and Politics, Pearson, New Delhi, 2009
- 6. Lloyd I. Rudolph and Susanne Hoeber Rudolph, In Pursuit of Laxmi: The Political economy of the Indian State, University of Chicago Press, 1987
- 7. Venkatesan. G., History of Contemporary India 1947 1997, J.J. Publications, Madurai, 2001 (Tamil Version)

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- 1. AchinVanaik and Rajeev Bhargava (Ed.), Understanding Contemporary India Critical Perspective, Orient Black Swan, Delhi, 2012
- 2. Dhyeya Las., India after Independence, True Word Publications Pvt Limited ,2022
- 3. Dutt, V.P., India's Foreign Policy, Vikas Publishing House PVT Ltd., Delhi, 1984
- 4. Ghai, U.R, India's Foreign Policy, New Academy Publishers, New Delhi, 1988
- 5. Nagaraj, R and Motiram, S (ed.), The Political Economy of Contemporary India, Cambridge University Press,2017
- 6. Ramachandra Guha., India After Gandhi: The History of the World's Largest Democracy, Picador India, 2017
- 7. Sharma, G.K., Labour Movement in India (Its Past and Present) Sterling Publishers (P) Ltd, New Delhi, 1971
- 8. Gurucharan Das, India Unbound: from Independence to the Global Information Age, Penguin Books, India, 2015

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INDIA AND HER NEIGHBOURS

Learning Objectives

The learning objectives are to impart:

- India's foreign policy towards neighbours.
- Understanding of the underlying issues in Indo-Pak relations.
- Border dispute and negotiations between India and China.
- India's relations with Bangladesh and Sri Lanka.
- India's relations with her neighbours and the role of SAARC

UNIT I

Historical and Geographical Setting – Geo Strategic location of India – India's position in South Asia – India's Neighbourhood Policy: Panchsheel to Gujral Doctrine



UNIT II

India's relations with Pakistan: Legacy of the colonial policy – Partition of India – Kashmir Issue – Indo - Pak Wars – Impact of Cold War on Indo - Pak Relations – Nuclear Tests and Missile Race – Kargil War – Surgical Strike at Balakot – Cross Border Terrorism – Indus River Water Sharing — Chinese Factor in Indo-Pak relations – Economic and other issues.

UNIT III

India's relations with China: Early Years – Indo - China War of 1962 – Border Dispute and Negotiations – Tibetan Issue – Recognition of Sikkim as an integral part of India – Chinese interest in the Indian Ocean region – Economic relations

UNIT IV

India's relations with Bangladesh: Creation of Bangladesh in 1971 – Farakka Barrage

- Rohingya Refugee crisis India's relations with Sri Lanka: Dispute in the Palk Straits
- Katchatheevu Issue Sri Lankan Tamil Issue IPKF Gwadar Port

UNIT V

India's relations with smaller neighbours: Nepal – Afghanistan – Bhutan – Maldives SAARC: Origin – Contribution to cooperation and development in South Asia

LEARNING RESOURCES

Recommended Books

- 1. V.P. Dutt, India's Foreign Policy since Independence, National Book Trust, New Delhi, 1987
- 2. S.D. Muni, India's Neighbourhood Policy, Marga Institute, 1985
- 3. J.N. Dixit, India's Foreign Policy and its Neighbours, Gyan Publishing House, New Delhi, 2001
- 4. Arvind Gupta and Anil Wadhwa, ed., India's Foreign Policy: Surviving in a Turbulent World, Sage Publications India Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi, 2020
- 5. Rajiv Sikri, Challenge and Strategy: Rethinking India's Foreign Policy, Sage Publications India Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi, 2009
- 6. Ramesh Trivedi, ed., India's Relations with her Neighbours, Isha Books, Delhi, 2008
- 7. Nalini Kant Jha, South Asia in the 21st Century: India, Her Neighbours and the Great Powers, South Asia Publishers, New Delhi, 2003

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- 3. https://www.idsa.in/
- 4. https://www.saarc-sec.org/

HISTORY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY IN INDIA

Learning Objectives

The learning objectives are to

- Impart an Understanding of the Development of Science and Technology in
- Colonial India
- Impart Knowledge about Post-Independent Scientific Policies
- Appraise the role of Technology in the Growth of Agriculture
- Comprehend the progress of Space Technology in India
- Create awareness about Pioneers of Modern Science in India

Unit- I

Advent of Modern Science in Colonial India- Surveyors, Botanists and Doctors –The Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal- Scientific Departments – Indian Institute of Science (IISC) – TATA Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR) - Indian Medical Service-Introduction of New Technologies— Railways -Textiles - Mining - Telegraphs.

Unit-II

Development of Science and Technology since Independence – Planning - Policy Frameworks and Funding Mechanisms- Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), Defence Research Development Organisation (DRDO) –Information and Communication

Unit-III

Growth of Agriculture- Green Revolution – White Revolution – Blue Revolution – Drip Irrigation.



Unit-IV

Progress of Space Science and Research (ISRO) – Indian National Satellite System – Space Research Centres- India as a Nuclear Power – Atomic Research Centres in India – Nuclear Research Centres - Pokhran I and II.

Unit- V

Pioneers of Modern Science in India – C.V. Raman – Srinivasa Ramanujan – Jagadish Chandra Bose - Homi J. Bhabha – Vikram Sarabhai –S. Chandrasekhar - M.S Swaminathan- Verghese Kurien – G.D. Naidu. Dr.A.P.J. Abdul Kalam.

LEARNING RESOURCES

Recommended Books

- 1. David Arnold., Everyday Technology: Machines and the Making of India's Modernity, Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 2013
- 2. David Arnold., Science, Technology and Medicine in Colonial India, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2000.
- 3. Deepak Kumar, ed., Science and Empire: Essays in the Indian Context, Delhi: Anamika Prakashan, 1991.
- 4. Deepak Kumar., Science and the Raj, 1857-1905. Delhi: Oxford University Press, 1995.
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- 13. Indian Space Odyyssey through the Eyes of a Pioneer, The Hindu Publications, 2021
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- 2. http://egyankosh.ac.in

ELECTIVE: INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS SINCE 1919 / HISTORY OF LATIN AMERICA

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS SINCE 1919

Learning Objectives

The learning objectives are to impart:

- Understanding the international relations during the inter-war years.
- Knowledge of the role of UNO in post-War international relations
- Understanding of the Cold War politics
- Understanding of the post-Cold War era.
- Appreciation of the key issues in international relations.

UNIT I

Origin and Growth of International Relations— Theoretical Perspectives: Realism — Idealism — Liberalism — Neo-Realism — Neo-Liberalism — World Systems and Dependency — Feminist Approaches — Concepts: Balance of Power — Collective Security — Diplomacy — National Interest

UNIT II

First World War - Wilson's Fourteen Points - Paris Peace Conference - League of Nations - Kellogg Briand Pact - Locarno Pact - Mussolini and Fascism - Hitler and Nazism - British Policy of Appeasement - Second World War - Causes, Course and Results

UNIT III

Cold war – Causes – Truman's Doctrine – Marshall Plan – NATO – SEATO – CENTO –SALT I and II— Emergence of Third world



UNIT IV

UNO: Principal Organs – Specialised Agencies of UNO – Achievements & Failures – Decolonization and Emergence of the Third World – Non-Aligned Movement – Regional Organizations: European Union – ASEAN – SAARC

UNIT V

Post-Cold War Era: Disintegration of USSR – Glasnost – Perestroika – Reunification of Germany– Contemporary Issues: Globalization – GATT – WTO –Environment: Rio de Janeiro Summit – Green Peace Movement – Kyoto Protocol – Paris Agreement

LEARNING RESOURCES

Books for Study

- 1. Asit Kumar Sen, International Relations since World War I, S. Chand, 1995
- 2. Hans J. Morgenthau and Kenneth Johnson, Politics Among Nations: The Struggle for Power and Peace, McGraw Hill, 2005
- 3. Khanna, V.N., International Relations, Vikas Publishing House Private Ltd., New Delhi, 2013
- 4. Norman Lowe, Mastering Modern World History, Palgrave, 2020
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- 2. Peter Calvocoressi, World Politics since 1945, Pearson Longman, 1968

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- 2. http://www.un.org/en/index.html
- 3. https://www.nato.int/
- 4. http://www.saarc-sec.org/

HISTORY OF LATIN AMERICA

Learning Objectives

The learning objectives are to impart:

- Knowledge on the continents other than Asia
- Learning on the Colonization of Latin America
- the Causes of Liberation Movement
- the importance of diplomatic relations
- Understanding on Latin America on Cold war and World Politics.

UNIT I

Discovery and Conquest- Christopher Columbus – Ferdinand Magellan and Amerigo Vespucci- Conquerors: Henando Cortes, Pizzaro, Jimnez de Queseda and Valdivia.



UNIT II

Colonization of Latin America; Spain and Portugal Conquest - Society- Economic Life and Culture – Administration – Native American Indian.

UNIT III

Liberation movement – Role played by the Creoles - Great Liberators: Simon Bolivar – San Martin and Bernardo O' Higgins

UNIT IV

Latin America and USA Diplomatic Relations: The Monroe Hispanic Doctrine- Rise of American imperialism in Latin America in the 19th Century – The Spanish (Hispanic) American War

UNIT V

Latin America and USA in the Cold War – Rise of Dictatorship- Latin America in the World Politics

LEARNING RESOURCES

Recommended Books

- 1. Bushnell and Macaulay, The emergence of Latin America in the nineteenth-century, (Oxford University Press, Oxford,1994, 2nd edition
- 2. David Geggus, "The Caribbean in the Age of Revolution," in David Armitage, Sanjay
- 3. Subrahmanyam (eds), The Age of Revolutions in Global Context, c. 1760-1840 Palgrave Macmillan, 2010.
- 4. Thomas Skidmore y Peter H. Smith, Modern Latin America, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 2001, 5th Edition

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- 1. Bradford Burns, E, Latin America Conflict and Creation: A Historical Reader, Prentice Hall, New Jersey, 1993
- 2. Edwin Williamson, The Penguin History of Latin America, Penguin, 2010
- 3. Joseph Smith, United States and Latin America: A History of American Diplomacy 1776-2000, Routledge, Oxon, 2005



ELECTIVE: HISTORY OF CHINA AND JAPAN/ HISTORY OF PONDICHERRY HISTORY OF CHINA AND JAPAN

Learning Objectives

The learning objectives are to impart:

- Understanding of the Chinese Revolution of 1911 and May Fourth Movement
- The role of Japan in the First World War
- Knowledge of China under Mao Tse Tung
- Role of Japan in the Second World War and Greater East Asia Coprosperity Sphere
- The economic condition of China and Japan after the Second World War

UNIT I

Background – Chinese Revolution of 1911 – Causes – Dr Sun Yat Sen- Tung Meng Hui - Kuo- Min-Tang – Impact of the Revolution – Yuan Shi Kai – China in First World War – May Fourth Movement.

UNIT II

Background – Japanese Imperialism – Japan in First World War – Twenty One Demands – Washington Conference.

UNIT III

Kuo-Min-Tang rule-Chiang-Kai-Shek - Manchurian Crisis - Second Sino-Japanese war - China in Second World War - China under Mao-Tse-Tung - Chinese Communist Party (CCP) - Reforms - Cultural Revolution -

UNIT IV

Japan in Second World War - Pearl Harbour Incident – Greater East Asia Co-Prosperity Sphere - impact.

UNIT V

China under Deng Xiaoping -Economic reforms – 1976- 1989 – Jiang Zemin – Hu-Jintao – Foreign Policy1949-1990. McArthur Constitution – Changes in Economy – Hirohito – Mutusihito – Japan and World's affairs between 1951-2000.

LEARNING RESOURCES

Recommended Books

- 1. Beasley, W.G., The Modern History of Japan, Frederick A. Praeger, 1963
- 2. Franz H Michael and George Edward Taylor, Far East in the Modern World, Holt,1956
- 3. Immanuel Hsu, The Rise of Modern China, Oxford University Press, 2000
- 4. MikisoHane., Modern Japan: A Historical Survey, Routledge, 2018



- 5. Paul Hilbert Clyde and Burton F Beers, The Far East: A History of Western Impacts and Eastern Responses, 1830-1975, Waveland Pr Inc, 1991
- 6. Vinacke, H.M., History of Far East in Modern Times, Surject Publications, Delhi, 1959

Reference Books

- 1. Khurana, K.L., History of China and Japan1839-1949, Lakshmi NarainAgarwal Educational Publishers, Agra, 2018
- 2. Jean Chesneaux, Françoise Le Barbier, Marie Claire Berger., China from 1911 to Liberation, Pantheon books, 1977

HISTORY OF PONDICHERRY

Learning Objectives

The learning objectives are to impart:

- Knowledge of Geography and sources of Pondicherry
- Knowledge of the French rule in Pondicherry
- Understanding of French relations with the Princely States
- Knowledge of national movement in Pondicherry
- Awareness of the French legacy in Pondicherry

Unit I

Sources – Archaeological – Literary - Geographical features.

Unit II

Advent of the Europeans – The French - Dupelix – Carnatic Wars - Effects –

Unit III

French relations with Hyder Ali – Tipu Sultan – Impact of Napoleanic wars – Restoration of the Indian colonies to the French 1816

Unit IV

Impact of Indian National movement – Contribution of Subramaniya Bharathi - VVS Iyer - Aurobindo Gosh – Anti Colonial Movement in Pondicherry – Subbiah and Labour Movement - The Liberation of Pondicherry – Keezhur Referendum – De-Facto Merger in 1954

Unit V

French Legacy in Pondicherry –Urbanisation of Pondicherry – Educational Development – Commune system - Colonial architecture and monuments

LEARNING RESOURCES

Recommended Books

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NAAN MUDHALVAN - 5 INTRODUCTION TO EPIGRAPHY

Learning Objectives

The learning objectives are to impart:

- To understand the historicity of a country with the study of Epigraphy.
- To know more about the evolution of various scripts.
- To estimate the contribution made by both foreign and indigenous epigraphists in writing the History of India.
- To understand the significance of inscriptions and Copper plates.

Unit I

Introduction - Origin and Growth - Kinds of Inscriptions - Literary, Political, Religious, Memorial, Legal, Welfare, Social Status

Unit II

Evolution of Scripts - Paleography - Pictograph - Ideograph - Phonograph - Logograph - Cuneiform - Graffiti -Brahmi - Vatteluthu - Grantha - Writing Materials

Unit III

Dating System - Eras - Saka Era - Kali Era - Vikrama Era - Kollam Era.

Unit IV

Eminent Epigraphists - James princep - George Buhler - J.F.Fleet - James Burgess - H.Krishna Sastri - V. Venkayya - B.L. Rice - Robert Sewell - E. Hultzeh - K.V. Raman - Nagasamy - Iravatham Mahadevan



Unit V

Inscriptions - Uttaramerur - Manur - Kanyakumari - Copper Plates - Kurram - Velvikudi - Estampage Training.

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- 1. Radhakrishna Chaudry, Inscriptions of Ancient India (New Delhi: Begam Bridge Publications, 1983).
- 2. T.A. Gobinatha Rao, Elements of Hindu Iconography (New Delhi: Motilal Banarasidass Publisher, 1997).
- 3. N.Subramanian & R. Venkataraman, Tamil Epigraphy A Study (Madurai: Ennes Publications, 1980).
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- 5. R.Nagasamy, Epigraphy (Tamil) (Chennai: Dept. of Archaeology Publications, 2010).
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