

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY
SRI KRISHNADEVARAYA UNIVERSITY
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M.A. History – Course Structure under CBCS
(with effect from 2013-14)

Semester	Paper Code/ No.	Title of the Paper	Marks			Credits
			End Semester Exam	IA	Total	
First	I	Historical Methods	75	25	100	4
	II	History of Ancient India upto 650 AD	75	25	100	4
	III	History of Medieval India 1200-1526 AD	75	25	100	4
	IV	History of Modern Andhra Pradesh	75	25	100	4
	V	History of Ancient Civilizations of the world	75	25	100	4
Second	VI	Historiography	75	25	100	4
	VII	History of Ancient India 650 to1200	75	25	100	4
	VIII	History of Medieval India 1526-1750 AD	75	25	100	4
	IX	History of Ancient Civilizations of the world	75	25	100	4
	X (OE-1)	National Movement	75	25	100	4
Third	XI	History of Modern India 1757-1857	75	25	100	4
	XII	History of Modern World 1789-1919	75	25	100	4
	XIII	History of Modern East Asia (China) 1850-1950	75	25	100	4
	XIV (OE-2)	Leaders of Modern India	75	25	100	4
	XV	OPTIONAL				
	A	History Applications in Tourism (OR)	75	25	100	4
	B	History of Indian Archaeology (OR)				
	C	History of Social Philosophers of Modern India				
Fourth	XVI	History of Modern India 1858-1950	75	25	100	4
	XVII	History of Modern World 1919-1980	75	25	100	4
	XVIII	History of Modern East Asia (Japan)1850-1950	75	25	100	4
	XIX	History of Vijayanagara Empire	75	25	100	4
	XX	OPTIONAL				
	A	History of Tourism and Management (OR)	75	25	100	4
	B	History of Indian Archaeology (OR)				
	C	History of Marginalized Groups in Modern India				
		TOTAL			2000	80

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SEMESTER – I SYLLABUS

PAPER – I : HISTORICAL METHODS

UNIT - I

Definition, Meaning, Nature and Scope of history – History or Science
Causation, Subjectivity – Generalizations – Objectivity in History and
Historicism.

UNIT – II

History and its relation with other Disciplines – Archaeology, Geography,
Anthropology, Sociology, Economics, Philosophy and Political Science.

UNIT – III

Types of Sources – External Criticism – Internal Criticism. The choice of
topic for Research – Formulation and development of Hypotheses – collection
of Data.

UNIT – IV

Planning of thesis – Chapterization – Chronological and thematic
arrangement. Exposition – References – Footnotes – Bibliography.

SUGGESTED READING:

Car E.H
Child, Garden
Joseph R, Strayer (Ed)
Fling
Sheik Ali
Majumdar R.C & Sratsava
Collingwood

What is History
What happened in History
The Interpretation of History
Writing of History
History its theory and method
Historiography
The Idea of History

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SEMESTER – I : SYLLABUS

PAPER - II : HISTORY OF ANCIENT INDIA (UPTO 650 AD.)

UNIT - I : Reconstructing of Ancient Indian History :

Sources – Archeological and literary - Indus/ Harappan and Vedic Civilizations – Society – Economy – Religion and Culture – Socio – Religious Movements – Jainism and Buddhism

UNIT – II : Republics and the Rise of Empires

Janapadas – The Kingdom of Magadha – Mauryas – Ashoka and his policy of Dhamma – Administrative institutions – Polity – Society and Economy – Religious and Cultural Conditions – The Decline of Mauryas – Post mauryan Kingdoms.

UNIT – III : The Age of Guptas

Political Conditions – Samudra Gupta and his Conquests – State and Administrative institutions – Social and Economic Conditions – Agrarian structure – Land grants – Art, Architecture, Literature, Religion and Culture. The Post Gupta period. The reign of Harsha – Indian contacts with China and South East Asia.

UNIT – IV : The South Indian Kingdoms :

The Sathavahanas – The Pallavas – Culture, Literature, art and architecture – The Cholas – imperialism and administration. The Chalukyas of Badami, - Art and Architecture. South Indian Kingdoms – Trade routes and Communications – The Age of Sangam – Society, language and literature.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

Romilla Thapar	: A History of India, Vol.- I
Basham, A.L	: A Cultural of History of India
Kossambi, D.D.	: The Culture and Civilization of Ancient India in Historical out line
Jha, A.N.	: Ancient India
Arun Bhattacharjee.	: History of Ancient India
Basham, A.L.	: Wonder that Was India
Sastri K.A.N.	: A History of South India

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SEMESTER – I : SYLLABUS

PAPER –III : HISTORY OF MEDIEVAL INDIA (1200 -1526 AD)

UNIT – I :

Survey of sources of Medieval History of India.
Historiography and different approaches of Medieval History of India
The first Turkish Empire – Slave Dynasty (1206-90) – Qutubuddin Aibak –
Iltutmish – relations with the Rajputs – Character and estimate of Iltutmish.
Balban – relations with Mangols – Destruction of forty – Theory of kinship –
reorganization of army and administration.

UNIT - II :

The Khilzi dynasty(1290-1320) – Jalaluddin Feroz Shah – Allauddin Khilzi (1296-
1316) – Deccan policy – Mongol Invasion – Administration – Military
administration – Judicial administration – Economic system – Revenue policy –
Analysis of his economic policy Estimate – Decline –
The Tughlaq dynasty(1321-1413) – Giasuddin Tughlaq – Muhmmmed bin Tughlaq
(1325-1351) – His foreign policy – relation with Manglos – Estimation of his
character.
Ferozshah Tughlaq – his character and achievements – Decline of Tughlaq dynasty

UNIT - III :

Invasions of Timur and breakup of Delhi Sultanate.
The Sayyids (1414-1451) – Khiz Khan – Mubarak Shah – Farid.
The Lodis (1451-1526) – Bahlal Lodi – Sikandar Lodi and Ibrahim Lodi – Decline
of Lodi dynasty – Turkish and Afgan theories of kinship.
Causes for the Decline and disintegration of Delhi Sultanates
Kakatiyas – Vijayanagara Empire
The Bahmani kingdom of the Deccan – 1347-1526 – The five Sultanates of Deccan.

UNIT - IV :

Society – Economy –Religious policy under Sultanate.
Central –Provincial - Judiciary – Military administration of Delhi Sultanate
The land and Revenue system –Agrarian Structure – Condition of peasants and
artisans – Nature and magnitude of taxation – Trade and Commerce
Under Sultanate. Inland and maritime trade, role of Arab and European traders,
Indian merchants and their commercial practices – indigenous methods.
The evolution of Indo-Persian culture- Literature, Art and Architecture under Delhi
Sultanates

SUGGESTIVE READINGS:

R.C. Majumdar	: Delhi Sultanate (Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan Series)
Romilla Thapar	: History of India Vol. I
Percival Spear	: History of India Vol. II
V.A. Amith	: Oxford History of India
Hussain, Y.	: Glimpses of Medieval History Of India
Panikkar, K. M.	: A Survey of Indian History
R.C. Majumdar	: The Moghul Empire (Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan Series)
Qureshi, I. H.	: Moghul Administration

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SEMESTER – I : SYLLABUS

PAPER - IV : HISTORY OF MODERN ANDHRA PRADESH.

UNIT – I

Impact of British rule on Andhra renaissance – freedom movement – Non-cooperation Movement - Simon Commission – Civil Disobedience Movement – Quit India Movement.

UNIT – II

Political awakening in Telangana – Freedom struggle in Telangana – Andhra and the Indian National Movement- Role of Aryasamaj swadeshi movement – Khilafat agitation – Formation of Hyderabad State Congress – Quit India movement.

UNIT- III

Communist parties and Revolutions in Telangana. Armed struggle in Telangana – ideology of the Telangana Struggle – Communist movement after 1952. Srikakulam Armed Struggle. The beginning of Armed Struggle – Nature of the Struggle - Formation of CPI (ML) Climax of the movement – Parvathipuram Conspiracy case - Formation of Andhra State and Andhra Pradesh

UNIT – IV

Development of Telugu Language and literature and contribution of Andhra to other cultures – Development of Art and Fine Arts in Andhra Pradesh – Architecture, Sculpture, Dance, Music and painting.

UNIT – V

Separatist movement of Andhra Pradesh formation - Andhra on post independent period, political and economic development, social and culture developments.

SUGGESTED READINGS:

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|-------------------------|---|
| Reddy, VM& Rao,PR | : Andhra under British rule |
| Rao.P.R | : History of Modern Andhra Pradesh |
| Satyanarayana,K | : A Study of the History and Culture of Andhras Vol. II |
| Venkatarangaiah | : The freedom struggle in Andhra Pradesh. |
| Sarojini Regani | : The Highlights of Freedom Movement in Andhra Pradesh |
| Venkata Rangaiah,M (Ed) | : the Freedom Struggle in Andhra Pradesh, Vol-I,II,III,IV |

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SEMISTER – I : SYLLABUS

PAPER –V : HISTORY OF ANCIENT CIVILISATIONS OF THE WORLD

Unit - I Origin and growth of Civilization – Evolution of man
Paleolithic period – Neolithic period – Copper age.

Unit - II Ancient Indian civilization – Indus age – Indus civilization – society and economy –
Religion –customs – transformation.

Unit -III Egyptian civilization – Economy and society; Religion, Sate structure- Cultural life
Contribution of the civilization

Unit – IV Mesopotamian civilization – Economy and society; Religion, Sate structure-
Cultural life - Contribution of the civilization

Unit – V Sumerian civilization – Economy and society; Religion, Sate structure- Cultural
life - Contribution of the civilization

Babylonian Civilisation - Economy and society; Religion, Sate structure- Cultural
life - Contribution of the civilization

SUGGESTED READINGS

- | | |
|-----------------------------|--|
| Arthur Cotterell (Ed) | The Encyclopedia of Ancient Civilizations,
Mac Millan, London |
| Progress Publishers, Moscow | Ancient Civilization of East and West |
| Upendra, SD | Pre- historic basis for the rise of Civilization in
Sri lanka and South India |
| Dikshit, KN | Pre historic Civilization of the Indus Valley,
University of Madras |

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SEMESTER – III SYLLABUS

PAPER - XI : HISTORY OF MODERN INDIA (1750 – 1857)

UNIT I

Advent of Europeans – Anglo-French Conflict – Expansion and Consolidation of British power in India

UNIT – II

British supremacy in Bengal – Robert Clive – Warren Hastings – Lord Cornwallis, revenue and reforms – Lord Hastings, Policy of subordinate Isolation – William Bentinck and his reforms.

UNIT – III

Lord Dalhousie – Doctrine of Lapse, British Paramountacy on princely states in India
Resistance to British Rule - Peasant and Tribal uprisings – Sepoy Mutiny of 1857 -
Colonial state and its ideology – Social Institutions – Class legal political thought –
Orientalism – Utilitarianism.

UNIT – IV :

Constitutional development in India from 1773 – 1858 – Rural Economy – Land Revenue settlements – Commercialisation of Agriculture – Free trade policy – Drain of wealth – De-industrialization - Trade and Industry - Emergence of Modern Industries (Jute, Cotton and Steel).

SUGGESTED READINGS:

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|----------------------------------|---|
| Bayly C.A | : Indian Society and the Making of the British Empire |
| Dharma Kumar &
Roy Choudary T | : Cambridge Economic History of India, Vol .II |
| Percieval Sphea | : History of India, Vol. II |
| Grover & Sethy | : An Outlook of History of Modern India |
| Smith V.A | : Oxford History of India |
| Arun Bhattacharee | : History of Modern India |

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SEMESTER – III SYLLABUS

PAPER – XII: HISTORY OF MODERN WORLD (1789 – 1919)

UNIT – I :

French Revolution – causes – results. The Era of Napoleon – Domestic and Foreign policy of Napoleon - Decline of Napoleon's power.

Congress of Vienna – Concert of Europe – Metternich.
Colonialism and Imperialism in Asia and Africa – A survey.

UNIT – II :

French Revolution of 1830 – Revolution of 1848 – its impact. Unification of Germany – Unification of Italy

UNIT - III :

Secret Alliances – triple Alliance – triple Entente.
The Crimean War – Eastern Question – Balkan Wars

UNIT - IV:

Russian Revolution of 1917 – causes and results - outbreak of First World War
Treaties of peace - League of Nations – post war diplomacy.

SUGGESTED READINGS

Leo Gershoy	The French Revolution
Lipson	Europe in the 19 th 20 th Centuries
Seaman	From Vienna to Versailles
Hays	Political and Cultural History of Modern Europe
Somer Well, Dc	Modern Europe 1871 – 1950
Arun Bhattacharya	A History of Europe

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PAPER - XIII: HISTORY OF MODERN EAST ASIA – (CHINA : 1850 - 1950)

UNIT - I :

Historical background - Advent of Europeans – Western impact on China
Opium wars – The treaty of Nanking – An assessment
Taiping Rebellion – HuanHsiu Chuan
Second Anglo – Chinese war – Treaty of Teinsen – Treaty of Peking – its impact

UNIT : II:

Empress Dowager Tzu – Tsi – Modernisation of army, Navy, Industrialisation,
Education – Diplomatic and political liaison with the West.
Korea and Sino – Japanese relations – Sino- Japanese conflict 1894 – 95.
Tonghak rebellion – defeat of China – Treaty of Shimonoski.
USA and China open door Policy – Reaction – Result and impact.

UNIT – III:

Reform movement in China – Kuang – Yu-Wei, - 100 Days reforms.
Boxer rebellion – Protocol – Constitution of 1908 – Death of Tzu-Tsi.
Dr. Sun – Yat-Sen-Tung-Ming-Hui, - Three principles.
Revolution of 1911 – Significance and character of revolution.
China under Republic – Yuan – Shi-Kai-May fourth movement.

UNIT – IV :

Kuomintang - Reforms of Nanking government – Washington conference.
Difference in KMT – Chiang –Kai-Shek-Struggle between KMT and Communists –
The Long March – Japanese aggression – Sino – Japanese war.

Foundation of Communist party – Mao-Tse-Tung-New democracy – Red army –
Civilwar in China – Peoples Republic of China – Sino-Soviet relations – China and
West. China and the Third World – China and the UNO.

SUGGESTIVE READINGS

Ahmed. L.L. : A Comprehensive History of the Far East.
Clyde Paul. H : The Far East
Immanuel. C.Y.Hsu : The rise of Modern China
Gupta. S.R. : History of Modern China
Shiv Kumar and Jain. S. : History of the Far East in Modern Times
Clyde and Bears : The Far East
Vinacke. H. M. : A History of the Far East in Modern Times.

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SEMESTER-III SYLLABUS

PAPER XIV (OE-2): LEADERS OF MODERN INDIA

Unit – I: Social

Raja Ram Mohan Roy – Swami Dayanand Saraswathi – Kandukuri Veeresalingham Pantulu – Jyotirao Phule – Swami Vivekanand – B.R. Ambedkar.

Unit – II: Early Political leaders of India

Dadabhai Naoraji – Pherozeshah Mehta – Surendra Nath Banerjea – P. Ananda Charlu – Gopal Krishna Gokhale – Motilal Nehru – Deshbandhu Chittranjan Das.

Unit – III: Extremists

Bal Gangadhar Tilak – Lala Lajpat Rai – Bipin Chandra Pal – Aurobindo Ghosh.

Unit – IV: Gandhian Era

Mahatma Gandhi – Mahammad Ali Jinnah – Annie Besant – Jawaharlal Nehru – Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel – Subhash Chandra Bose – Tanguturi Prakasam Pantulu – C.RajaGopalachari.

Reference Books:

1. B. Majumdar : History of Political thought from Ram Mohan to Dayanandha.
2. Sankar Ghose : Leaders of Modern India, Alted Publication, New Delhi, 1980
3. D.R. Bali : Modern Political thought (From Ram Mohan Roy to Jeyaprakash Narayan) Sterling Publication, New Delhi, 1993
4. Park. R.L. & Thinker.I : Leadership and Political Institutions in India
5. Saiyid M.H. : Mohammed Ali Jinna
6. Malik H : Muslim Nationalism in India and Pakistan
7. Dass M.N. : The Political Philosophy of Jawaharlal Nehru
8. Hoyland J.S. : Gopalakrishna Gokhale
9. Karandikar S.L. : Lokmanya Bal Gangadhar Tilak
10. Dr. Vishnoo Bhagawan : Indian Political Thinkers, Atmaram sons Publication, 1996.

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SEMESTER – III SYLLABUS (OPTIONAL)

PAPER – XV: (A) HISTORY OF APPLICATIONS IN TOURISM

UNIT – I : Characteristics of Tourism.

- a). Tourism – Concept and Functions
- b). Tourism Phenomenon – understanding Tourism
- c). Historical Evolution and development
- d). Tourism system and regulations.

UNIT – II: Designing of Tourism – Marketing and Communications.

- a). Tourism marketing – relevance, Product design, market research
- b). Promotional events – advertising publicity, selling
- c). Role of media – writing for tourism – Personality development and communicative skills.

UNIT – III: History of a Tourism Product.

- a). Use of History in Tourism.
- b). Monuments (Major and Minor) and Museums
- c). Historicalites – Cultural Heritage – dance and music, festivals and fairs.

UNIT – IV :Understanding Tourists and Hosts.

- a). Profiling of Foreign tourists.
- b). Profiling domestic tourists.
- c). Guest – relationships.
- d). Sociology anthropology and Tourism.
- e). Social environmental and political impact on Tourism in AP.
- d). Role of meta in promoting Tourism in A.P.

SUGGESTED READINGS

Chris Cooper & Fletcher	: Tourism, Principles and Practices.
Wahab, S.	: Tourism marketing.
Joan Bake Well	: The Complete Traveler.
James, W. Morrison	: Travel Agent and Tourism.
Edward, D. Mills	: Design for holidays and Tourism.
Pierce, Douglas	: Tourism Today, The Geographical Analysis
Bhatia, A.K.	: Tourism, Principles
Harle, J. C.	: The Art & Architecture of the Indian subcontinent.
Subramanian	: Historiography
R. Guha	: Subaltern

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SEMESTER – III SYLLABUS (OPTIONAL)

PAPER – XV : (B) HISTORY OF INDIAN ARCHAEOLOGY

UNIT – I :

Definition – scope – Nature – Terminology – Value. Development of Archaeology in Europe, Africa and India. Archaeology and its relation with natural sciences. Kinds of Archaeology – Economic Archaeology – Ethno Archaeology – Under water Archaeology – Aerial Archaeology – Salvage Archaeology – Functions of Archaeologists.

UNIT – II:

Archaeology and other Sciences – Dating methods.
Archaeology and Geology – Glacial varve chronology – soil Science
Archaeology and Physics – Radio carbon dating – thermo – luminescence dating
Archaeomagnetism – potassium argon dating
Archaeology and Chemistry – Fluorine dating – Uranium dating – Nitrogen dating
Phosphate analysis
Archaeology and Botany – Pollen analysis – Dendro chronology – Statistical methods.

UNIT - III

Pre – History – Indian Pre history – Paleolithic culture – the hunters and gatherers
Mesolithic cultures.
Neolithic cultures – food producers age – Copper age cultures.

UNIT – IV :

Protohistory – Bronze age in India – Harppan culture – beginning of the urbanization
Iron age cultures – PGW culture – Megalithic cultures.

SUGGESTED READINGS

Wheeler	:Archaeology from the Earth
Sankalia, HD	:Indian Archaeology Today Principles and Methods of Indian Archaeology
Child, VG	Introduction to Archaeology
Glynn Daniel	Hundred years of Archaeology

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SEMESTER –III SYLLABUS (OPTIONAL)

Paper – XV: (C) History of Social Philosophers of the Modern India

- UNIT I-** Subaltern Intellectuals: Explaining the concept of Intellectual- Jotiba Pule – Life and Ideas. Education for Women and Sudras. Satya Sodak Samaj movement: Women rights: Opposition to Brahmins and Untouchability understanding of religion: His work “Gulamgiri” .
- UNIT II-** Narayanguru: Social movement among Ezhavas Reformation of Religion: Education and Identity of Ezavas. Ayyankali and his contribution to depressed classes. Pandit Jyothi Das and his social revolution.
- UNIT III-** E.V.Ramaswami Naiker: Political activities Congress Party and Justice Party: Self respect movement; Dravida Kazhagam. Ideas of Dravidanadu; Leader of backward Classes and Untouchables: Islam and Christianity; Hinduism and Brahmanism Caste and untouchability; communalism; As an atheist;
- UNIT IV-** Dr.B.R.Ambedkar: social thoughts of B.R. Ambedkar and its relation to political and economic rights of Daliths. Ideas on religion and philosophy in comparison to Marxism and Gandhism; views on Islam and Christianity.
- UNIT V-** The Neo dalit leaders- Kanshiram-Mayavathi
Dalit leaders in A.P. Damodaram Sanjeevaiah ; Kathi Padma Rao.
Dalith awakening in Andhra- Struggles against dominant castes .(Dalith in Modern India:

Suggested readings

1. Collected works of Mahatma, Jotiba Phule. Govt. of Maharashtra.
2. Keer, Dhanunjay- Mahatma Jothirao Phule, Father of Social revolution.
3. Padma Rao, Kathi- Dalith Social Thinkers
4. Periyar E.V.R.Swami, Social Reform or Social revolution-(Tr) A.H.Dharmalingam.
5. Dr. Baba Saheb- Ambedkar writings-Vasantmoon
6. Oomen, T.K.- Protest and change: Studies in Social movements.
7. Ambedkar- What Congress and Gandhi have done to the untouchables.
8. Gehlot. N.S.- Dr.Ambedkar, Mahatma Gandhi and Dalit Movement
9. Patil.V.T. – Studies in Ambedkar.
10. Brajnarayana- De-Brahmanising History, Dominance and Resistance in Indian Society.
11. Satyanarayana Adapa- Dalits and upper castes
12. Rajasekhar-A.M. - Ambedkar: The Quest for Social Justice.
13. Venkataraman, S.R.- Untouchables Liberation movement, Madras.
14. Dolbeer, Martin, Luther- The Movement for the emancipation of untouchable Classes in South India.
15. Abbasayulu, Y B. – Scheduled caste Elite: A study of Scheduled castes in A.P.
16. Gai Omvedt. – Daliths and Democratic Revolution- Dr. B.R.Ambedkar and the Dalit movement in Colonial India.
17. Chinna Rao. Y- Dalits struggle for Identity.
18. S.M.Michael- Dalits in Modern India, Vision and Values.
19. Sanjay Paswan & Paramanshi Jaieva:- Encyclopaedia of Dalits in India.
20. Gurram Jashua, Gabbilam, Literature and Ideology.
21. M.S.A. Rao- Social movements in India.
22. Ramakrishna V- Social reform in Andhra