

**M.Phil 1st Semester Examination, 2019**

**HISTORY**

PAPER — HIS-113

*Full Marks : 50*

*Time : 2 hours*

**Answer all questions**

*The questions are of equal value*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable*

**Write the answers to questions of each Units in separate books wherever necessary**

**UNIT — I**

1. What are the two major functions of education in society, according to Emile Durkheim ?

*Or*

How did the education system in pre-modern Bengal reflect the social situation ?

2. How does Rabindranath Tagore regard the problem of prevailing education in 'Shikshar Herpher'? What solution does he offer?

*Or*

How does Sabyasachi Bhattacharya explain education as a contested terrain? Discuss, with reference to Shashipada Banerjee's educational endeavour among the jute mill hands of Baranagar.

[ *Internal Assessment – 05 Marks* ]

UNIT – II

3. What are the special features of study of Local History in the U.S.A.

*Or*

In what terms was the medieval locality understood in France?

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4. Write a brief note on any locality of Midnapur district.

*Or*

Do you think that writing local history is essential to combat the hegemony of power ?  
Argue your case.

[ *Internal Assessment* – 05 Marks ]

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