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M.A.

2nd Semester Examination

HISTORY

Paper - HIS 205

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates are required to give their answers
in their own words as far as practicable.*

HIS 205 (A)

Group - A

Answer any *four* questions : $4 \times 2 = 8$

1. What do you know about 'Joint Engagement Zone' (JEZ)?
2. What do you understand by 'Limited War'?
3. What does the term 'Confidence Building Measures' (CBM) denote in Military History ?

[Turn Over]

4. What do you understand by the term 'Deterrence'?
5. Write a short note on the 'Cabinet Committee on Security'.
6. Write a short note on ITBP.
7. How does Kautilya's 'Mandala Theory' work among the neighbouring states?
8. Write a short note on 'Cyber Warfare' as a potential threat for India's National Security.

Group - B

Answer any *four* questions : $4 \times 4 = 16$

9. Analyse the Army Organization and methods of warfare in ancient India with special reference to the Vedic period.
10. Discuss the military strategy of the Gupta's highlighting the methods of positional and mobile warfare tactics.
11. Mention the various innovative tactics and technologies as developed by Akbar's military administration.
12. How did the Maratha military system work as an 'Instrument of the State'?

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13. Was the Sikh Military System under the leadership of Maharaja Ranjit Singh, conventional in nature?
14. How far would it be appropriate to call Tipu Sultan, a modern military ruler?
15. Highlight the role of DRDO in enhancing the military efficiency of Indian Armed Forces.
16. Critically evaluate Indian Army's contribution to internal security with special reference to Jammu and Kashmir and North-eastern States.

Group - C

Answer any *two* questions : 2×8=16

17. Critically analyse Kautilya's view on 'Standard Operating Procedure' (SOP) of War and Diplomacy in running a statecraft.
18. Would you agree that lack of unity and appropriate military strategy helped the Turks to win over the Rajputs in late twelfth century?
19. How did the British Parliament solve the procedural issues of reforms and recruitments in East India Company's Army from 1760-1800?

[Turn Over]

20. How did the Indian Armed Forces help to re-establish the 'Balance of Power' in South Asia through the victory in 1971 Indo-Pak War?

(Internal Assessment : 10)

HIS 205 (B)

Group - A

Answer any *four* questions from the following :

4×2=8

1. Name the leaders who were present in the Yalta Conference. What were the major topics of discussion of this Conference?
2. What is bipolarity in international politics?
3. What was Brezhnev Doctrine?
4. Comment on 'Bay of Pigs' invasion in the history of Cuba.
5. Who are the Talibans?
6. Mention the causes of Iraq's attack against Iran in 1980.
7. What was the prime orientation of land reformation policy of modern Vietnam?

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8. Write in brief on the recent Pulwama attack and its immediate effect.

Group - B

Answer any *four* questions : $4 \times 4 = 16$

9. What were the major objectives of the Marshall Plan?
10. When and why NATO was formed?
11. Briefly discuss on the Warshaw Pact.
12. What is the significance of the 'Dien Bien Phu' incident in the history of Vietnam?
13. What was the first revolutionary attempt of Fidel Castro in the Cuban revolution? Why was it significant?
14. Explain the term 'Pan-Africanism'.
15. Discuss the significance of Glasnost in the history of Soviet Union.
16. Briefly discuss the terrorist activities of Al Quada.

[Turn Over]

Group - C

Answer any *two* questions : $2 \times 8 = 16$

17. How did the Cold War originate as a global affair? Discuss in this context the different aspect of structural explanations of the War.
18. Were regional tensions intermingled with international power conflict in the incidents leading to the Korean War?
19. Enumerate the major challenges faced by the Third World countries.
20. Discuss different views on globalization. How does it affect the economic structure of the world?

(Internal Assessment : 10)

HIS 205 (C)

Group - A

Answer any *four* questions : $4 \times 2 = 8$

1. What is history of medicine? 2
2. What is the humoral theory of medicine? 2

3. What is disease? 2
4. What led to the professionalization of ayurveda during the late nineteenth century colonial India? 2
5. How would you define cosmopolitan medical institutions? 2
6. What is popular-culture medicine? 2
7. What is Suddha Ayurveda? 2
8. Define Unani medicine. 2

Group - B

Answer any *four* questions : 4×4=16

9. How and why did Charles Leslie categorize the different aspects of medical practices in colonial India into five distinct divisions? 4
10. How has medical historians differed in their views on colonial medicine based on the theory of 'metropole' and 'periphery'? 4
11. What was the impact of 'pharmaceutical concern' to sell Ayurvedic drugs in colonial Bengal during the late nineteenth century? 4

[Turn Over]

12. Briefly discuss the educational practices in the Calcutta Medical College during the early nineteenth century. 4
13. How would you define the 'tol' education system of Kavirajas? 4
14. What led to the foundation of Indian Psychoanalytical Institute in 1932? 4
15. Indicate, with examples, the differences between endemic, epidemic and pandemic. 4
16. What is magico-religious curing? 4

Group - C

Answer any *two* questions : 8×2=16

17. What led to the transition in Ayurvedic medical practice during the nineteenth century in colonial India?
18. How was medicine practiced in Bengal dispensaries during the nineteenth century?
19. How did the knowledge of anatomy in ayurveda differ from allopathy ?
20. Why did Dr. J. Esdaile's treatment of surgical, medical and psychiatric cases at the Mesmeric

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Hospital in Calcutta become a controversial issue during the early nineteenth century?

(Internal Assessment : 10)

HIS 205 (D)

Group - A

Answer any *four* questions : 4×2=8

1. Which Zamindars resisted the Mughals in western Bengal in the 16th century?
2. Who was the founder of Hijli Zamindari?
3. Who was the half-Subahdar of Orissa during Murshid Quli Khan's rule?
4. Where was Alivardi Khan posted as an officer of the government when he came to Bengal?
5. Who was the first Resident of the East India Company in Midnapur?
6. When was Midnapur and Burdwan taken over by the East India Company?

[Turn Over]

7. When did the military campaign against Jangal Mahal Zamindars begin?
8. Who were the leaders of the campaign against Jangal Mahal Zamindars?

Group - B

Answer any *four* questions : $4 \times 4 = 16$

9. What was the nature of the early settlement founded by Abu Rai in Burdwan?
10. What was the nature of Mughal Afghan conflict in South West Bengal in the 16th century?
11. What were the ecological factors favouring the settlement of Hijli Zamindari?
12. How did Alivardi Khan campaign against the Marathas in South West Bengal?
13. What were the causes behind East India Company's campaign against Zamindars of Jangal Mahal?
14. Write a brief note on the East India Company's administration in Midnapur.
15. Write a brief note on the expansion of Burdwan Zamindari.
16. Write a brief note on Silk production in Midnapur.

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Group - C

Answer any two questions : $8 \times 2 = 16$

17. Explain the nature of commercial activities of the Europeans in Midnapur.
18. Discuss the different aspects of Zamindari estates of Midnapur.
19. Examine the nature of salt production and trade in Midnapur district.
20. Discuss the aspects of police and jail administration in Midnapur district.

(Internal Assessment : 10)
