



বিদ্যাসাগর বিশ্ববিদ্যালয়

**VIDYASAGAR UNIVERSITY**

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**Semester IV**

**Subject: HISTORY**

**Paper: HIS-401(OLD)**

(Theory)

**Full Marks: 40**

**Time: 2HRS.**

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

Answer any one question from following questions:

1. What are the main aspects of George Basalla's diffusionist model of the spread of western science?
2. What were the main motives of Agri-Horticultural Society of India?
3. Write a note on the formation of GTSI.
4. Write in short on the 'Museum of Economic Geology'.
5. How and when was the Marine Survey Department established?
6. What steps led to the introduction of science education in colonial India?
7. Comment on the significance of the Coal Committee in the evolution of colonial science in India.
8. Comment on the growth of various scientific institutions during colonial period.
9. What were the major purposes for establishment of Indian Institute of Science?
10. Mention the trends of Ayurveda practices in colonial Bengal.
11. How did the scientific achievements of P. C. Ray help in the growth of nationalism in India?
12. Briefly comment on Satyendranath Bose's vision of expansion of scientific awareness in colonial Bengal.