

M.A. 3rd Semester Examination, 2022

HISTORY

*(Adivasi History in Colonial Bengal)*

PAPER – HIS-303(CCAE)

*Full Marks : 50*

*Time : 2 hours*

*The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks*

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

GROUP—A

Answer any four of the following :  $2 \times 4$

1. What is meant by the term 'Tribe'.
2. Identify the term 'Deheri', 'Norta' and 'Eksia'.
3. What is the process of 'Sanskritisation' ?
4. Who was Jitu Santal ?

( Turn Over )

5. Write any two causes of the Meli Movement of 1917.
6. Who were the Nagas ?

GROUP-B

Answer any four of the following : 4 × 4

7. Discuss the characteristics of Indigenous Community.
8. Write briefly the significance of Birsa Munda's *ulgulan* (revolt).
9. Write a note on Adivasi village republic.
10. Adivasi notion of water bodies.
11. Discuss the colonial representation of aborigines.
12. Write a short note on Gond rebellion.

GROUP-C

Answer any two questions : 8 × 2

13. Write an essay on Rampa Rebellion (1922) of South India.
14. Critically discuss connections between the *moutam* or bamboo famine and identity assertion of the Mizo.
15. Critically discuss the recent researches on Adivasi history.
16. Evaluate the role Rani Gaidanlu in Naga identity assertion.

[ *Internal Assessment* – 10 Marks ]

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