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Third Semester B.A. Degree Examination, June 2024
First Degree Programme under CBCSS
History
Core Course III
HY 1341 : UNDERSTANDING STATE AND SOCIETY IN EARLY INDIA
(2022 Admission)
Special Examination

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

PART – A

Answer **all** questions. Each question carries **1** mark.

1. Neolithic Revolution.
2. Unicorn.
3. PGW Culture.
4. Mahajanapadhas.
5. *Charakasamhita*.
6. Digambaras.
7. The Mehrauli Iron Pillar Inscription.

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8. Nagara style.
9. Kalidasa.
10. Mullai.

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

PART – B

Answer any **eight** of the following in one paragraph each. Each question carries **2** marks.

11. Mesolithic Culture.
12. Bhimbetka.
13. Pashupati seal.
14. Sabha and Samiti.
15. Tripitakas.
16. Megasthenes.
17. Bimbisara.
18. Punch marked Coins.
19. Saptanga theory.
20. Navaratnas.
21. Ajanta paintings.
22. Sangam literature.

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)



PART – C

Answer any **six** of the following not to exceed 120 words.

23. Explain the trade relations of Indus Valley people with other parts of India and also with foreign countries.
24. Describe the political structure of later Vedic age.
25. Discuss the reasons for the rise and growth of Magadham empire.
26. Give a note on Ashoka's policy of Dhamma.
27. Discuss the role played by Varna during the early vedic period.
28. Write a note on the art and architecture during the Gupta age.
29. Make a note on features of feudalism during the post Mauryan age.
30. Explain the main teachings of Jainism.
31. Analyse the economy of Gupta age.

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

PART – D

Answer any **two** of the following.

32. Discuss the features of Second Urbanisation during the sixth century BCE.
33. Discuss the urban features of Indus Valley Civilizations.
34. Give an account on of the central and provincial administration during the Mauryan period.
35. Elucidate the causes for the emergence of Buddhism and Jainism and analyse its impact on society.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)

