

**SYLLABUS
B.A. PART-II
(THREE YEAR DEGREE COURSE)
2015, 2016 & 2017 SESSIONS**

PAPER-I : HISTORY OF INDIA, 1707-1950

Max.Marks:100

Pass Marks : 35% in the subject

Time Allowed : 3 hours

Total Teaching Periods : 75

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PAPER SETTER

- 1. The question paper will consist of five sections:** A, B, C, D and E. Section A, B, C and D will have two questions each from the respective sections of the syllabus and will carry 15 marks each. Section E which is compulsory will consist of two parts : first part of section E will consist of 10 short answer type questions of 30 marks from the entire syllabus. The candidates are required to attempt all the 10 short answer type questions. These short-answer type questions will carry 30 marks in all. The answer to each of these questions will be of 30-40 words and will carry 3 marks each. Second part of section E will contain a question on map, choice will be offered on Map question. The Maps are specified in Section E. The Map question will carry 10 marks out of which 6 marks are for filling the map and 4 marks for explanatory note. Thus, the total marks for the compulsory section E will be 40 marks out of which 30 marks for short answer type questions and 10 marks for the Map question.
- 2. ONLY FOR BLIND CANDIDATES :** In lieu of Map question the blind candidates will attempt the short answer type questions. The short answer type questions will be set from the entire syllabus. These questions will be based upon terms, concepts, institutions and historical sources within the purview of the syllabus. Out of four, the blind candidate will attempt any two short answer type questions. Internal choice will be given. The answer to each of these questions will be 50-60 words and will carry 5 marks each. Thus the total marks of these questions will be 10.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CANDIDATES

Candidates are required to attempt one question each from the sections A, B, C and D of the question paper and the entire Section E. The candidate are required to give answer of each short answer type question in 30-40 words.

SECTION-A

1. Causes of the downfall of Mughal Empire.
2. Foundation and expansion of British Empire : Battles of Plassey and Buxar. Administrative and Social Reforms of Cornwallis, Bentinck and Dalhousie.

SECTION-B

3. The Uprising of 1857 : Causes, nature, results and causes of its failure.
4. Socio-Cultural Movements : Brahma Samaj, Arya Samaj, Aligarh Movement, Singh Sabha Movement. Dr. Ambedkar's efforts for the uplift of the Scheduled Castes.

SECTION-C

5. British Economic Policy in India : agriculture, rural indebtedness.
6. Rise of Political Consciousness in India : Moderates, Extremists and Revolutionary; Ghadar Party.

SECTION-D

7. Freedom Struggle (1919-1947): Jallianwala Bagh Massacre; Non-Cooperation Movement; Civil Disobedience Movement; Quit India Movement and Causes of Partition of India.
8. Salient Features of Indian Constitution; Integration of Princely States; Re-organisation of States.

SECTION-E (Compulsory)

Part-I : 10 Short-Answer type Questions.

Ten short answer type questions will be set from the entire syllabus. The candidates will attempt all the 10 questions. These questions will be based upon terms, concepts, institutions and historical sources within the purview of the syllabus. Thus the total marks of these questions will be 30 marks. The candidates are required to give answer of each short answer type question in 30-40 words.

Part-II : The paper-setter will set one question on map out of the 4 maps mentioned below. There will be internal choice. The outline map will be provided. The map question will carry 10 marks - 6 marks for filling the the map and 4 marks for the explanatory note.

MAPS:

- (a) British India in 1805 A.D.
- (b) British India in 1818 A.D.
- (c) British India in 1856 A.D.
- (d) Important Centres of the Revolt of 1857.

BOOK RECOMMENDED

1. Roberts, P.E. : *History of British India,*
2. Ishwari Prasad and : *A History of Modern India*
3. Spear, P. : *History of Modern India.*
4. Smith, V.A. : *The Oxford History of India*
5. Bisheswar Prasad : *Bondage and Freedom.*
6. Majumdar, R.C. and : *British Paramountcy and Indian Renaissance,*
Others (eds.) (Bhartiya
Vidya Bhawan Publications).
7. Majumdar R.C. and : *Struggle for Freedom,*
others (eds.)
8. Majumdar R.C. and : *An Advanced History of India.*
others
9. Thompson and Garret: *Rise and Fulfillment of British Rule in India.*
10. Sikri, S.L. : *Constitutional History of India*
(English, Punjabi and Hindi).
11. Aggarwal, R.C. : *Constitutional History of India*
(English and Punjabi).
12. Gupta, S.K. : *The Scheduled Castes in Modern Indian*
Politics.
13. S.K. Bajaj & Rekhi : *History of India, 1818-1919 (Punjabi).*
J.S.
14. Arora, A.C. : *History of Modern India (Punjabi and Hindi),*
15. Davies, C.C. : *Historical Atlas of the Indian Peninsula.*
16. Arora, A.C. : *Atlas of Modern Indian Histor*
17. Bipin Chandra : *History of Modern India*
:
India's struggle for Independence
18. K.W.Jones : *Socio-Religious Reform movements in British*
India

PAPER-I : HISTORY OF PUNJAB (1469-1799)*Max.Marks:100**Time Allowed : 3**hours**Pass Marks : 35% in the subject**Total Teaching Periods : 75***INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PAPER SETTER**

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2. **ONLY FOR BLIND CANDIDATES :** In lieu of Map question the blind candidates will attempt the short answer type questions. The short answer type questions will be set from the entire syllabus. These questions will be based upon terms, concepts, institutions and historical sources within the purview of the syllabus. Out of four, the blind candidate will attempt any two short answer type questions. Internal choice will be given. The answer to each of these questions will be 50-60 words and will carry 5 marks each. Thus the total marks of these questions will be 10.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CANDIDATES

Candidates are required to attempt one question each from the sections A, B, C and D of the question paper and the entire Section E. The candidate are required to give answer of each short answer type question in 30-40 words.

SECTION-A

1. Main Sources of Punjab History.
2. Age of Guru Nanak Dev : Political, social and religious condition; His teachings

3. Evolution of Sikhism 1539-1606 (from Guru Angad to Guru Arjan)

SECTION-B

4. Transformation of Sikhism from Guru Hargobind to Guru Tegh Bahadur.
5. Guru Gobind Singh : Creation of the Khalsa and its significance; His achievements and personality.

SECTION-C

6. Relations of the Sikh Gurus with the Mughals, 1605-1708.
7. Banda Singh Bahadur and the establishment of independent rule of the Sikhs; Causes of his failure.

SECTION-D

8. Political struggle of the Sikhs against Zakariya Khan, Yahiya Khan, Mir Mannu.
9. Origin and Development of Dal Khalsa; Rise of the Sikh Misl; Their Nature and Administration.

SECTION-E (Compulsory)

Part-I : 10 Short-Answer type Questions.

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Part-II : The paper-setter will set one question on map out of the 4 maps mentioned below. The outline map will be provided. The map question will carry 10 marks -- 6 marks for filling the the map and 4 marks for the explanatory note.

MAPS:

- (a) Battle of Guru Hargobind
- (b) Battles of Guru Gobind Singh.
- (c) Military exploits of Banda Bahadur.
- (d) Important places connected with the Sikh Gurus in the Punjab.

BOOK RECOMMENDED

1. Banerjee, Indu Bhushan : *Evolution of the Khalsa, Vol.I & II.*
(English and Punjabi).
2. Narang, Gokal Chand : *Transformation of Sikhism.*
(English & Punjabi)
3. J.S. Grewal : *New Cambridge History of India : The
Sikhs of the Punjab.*
4. Cunningham, J.D. : *A History of the Sikhs* (English &
Punjabi).
5. Joginder Singh & : *Punjab da Itihas* (Punjabi).
Prithipal Singh Kapoor
6. Bhagat Singh : *Punjab da Itihas* (Punjabi)
7. Arora, A.C. : *Punjab da Itihas* (Punjabi & Hindi).
8. Gurcharan Singh & : *History of the Punjab* (Punjabi & Hindi).
Gandhi S.S.
9. Khushwant Singh : *History of the Sikhs, Vol.I.*
10. Arora, A.C. : *Atlas of the Punjab History* (English,
Punjabi & Hindi),
11. Nanda, B.S. : *Sikh Sampardaya* (Punjabi)
12. Dhillon, D.S. : *Sikhism : Origin and Development.*
13. Dhillon, D.S. and : *The Battles of Guru Gobind Singh.*
Bhullar, S.S.
14. Verma, D.K. : *Guru Gobind Singh on the Canvas of
History (English).*
15. ਨਰਿੰਦਰਪਾਲ ਸਿੰਘ : *ਪੰਜਾਬ ਦਾ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ 1469-1839*

HISTORY (HONOURS) (B.A. Part-II)

PAPER-I : INDIA'S STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM 1885-1947

Max.Marks:100

Pass Marks : 35% in the subject

Time Allowed : 3 hours

Total Teaching Periods : 75

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PAPER-SETTER

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uniformly and will carry 40 marks in all. Each short answer type question will carry 4 marks. The candidates are required to give answer of each short answer type question in 50 words i.e. in 7-10 lines.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CANDIDATES

Candidates are required to attempt one question each from the sections A, B, C and D of the question paper and the entire Section E. The candidates are required to give answer of each short-answer type question in 50 words i.e. in 7-10 lines.

SECTION-A

1. Rise of national consciousness, Foundations of the Indian National Congress, Controversy regarding its genesis, aims and objectives.
2. Moderates : their programmes, methods and achievements.

SECTION-B

3. Extremism : its rise, programme, role in National Movement.
4. Freedom Struggle : Ghadar Movement, Home Rule League, Lucknow Pact and Jallianwala Bagh massacre.

SECTION-C

5. Emergence of Gandhi, Non-Co-operation Movement.
6. Simon Commission and Pooran Swaraj, 1929 and Civil Disobedience Movement.

SECTION-D

7. Rise and growth of Socialism and left-wing politics.
8. Quit India Movement, Cabinet Mission and Causes of Partition of India.

SECTION-E (Compulsory)

10 short answer-type questions will be set from the entire syllabus. The candidates will attempt all the questions. These questions will be based upon terms, concepts, institutions and historical sources within the purview of the syllabus. The answer to each of these question will be of 50 words and will carry 4 marks each. Thus the total marks of these questions will be 40 marks. The candidates are required to give answer of each short answer type question in 50 words i.e. 7-10 lines.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED

1. Bipin Chandra, A Tripathi & Barun De : *Freedom Struggle*, National Book Trust, New Delhi.
2. R.C. Majumdar (ed.), *British Paramountcy and Indian Renaissance*, Vol. X: Struggle for Freedom, Vol.XI.
3. G.N. Singh : *Landmarks in Indian Constitution and National Development*.
4. Dr. S.M. Verma : *Chamber of Princes (1921-1947)*.
5. S.L. Sikri : *Rise and Fulfilment of Indian National Movement*.
6. S.S. Nanda : *Indian National Movement (Punjabi)*.
7. Bara : *Bharti Rastri Andolan*.
8. Sumit Sarkar : *Modern India 1885-1947*.
9. Bipin Chandra : *India Struggle for Independence*
- 10 B.L.Grover : *A New look at Modern History (from 1707 to Modern times)*

PAPER-II

ANY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS :

**(OPTION : I) : STUDY OF ANCIENT INDIAN INSTITUTIONS :
SOCIAL, CULTURAL & ECONOMIC UPTO 1000 A.D.**

*Max.Marks:100
hours*

Time Allowed : 3

Pass Marks : 35% in the subject

Total Teaching Periods : 75

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CANDIDATES

Candidates are required to attempt one question each from the sections A, B, C and D of the question paper and the entire Section E. The candidates are required to give answer of each short-answer type question in 50 words i.e. in 7-10 lines.

SECTION-A

1. Study of Harappan Culture.
2. Origin and Growth of Caste System.
3. Teachings of Buddhism and Jainism.

SECTION-B

4. Art, Architecture and Sculpture of the Maurya period.
5. Kushans : Growth of Art, Architecture and Literature.

SECTION-C

6. Guptas : Art, Architecture, Painting, Literature and Science.
7. Internal and External Trade.
8. Expansion of Indian Culture in South-East Asia.

SECTION-D

9. Land System : Land Tenure; Land Grants and Types of Land.
10. Crafts and Industries in ancient India , Guild System, its nature and importance.

SECTION-E (Compulsory)

10 short answer-type questions will be set from the entire syllabus. The candidates will attempt all the questions. These questions will be based upon terms, concepts, institutions and historical sources within the purview of the syllabus. The answer to each of these question will be of 50 words and will carry 4 marks each. Thus the total marks of these questions will be 40 marks. The candidates are required to give answer of each short answer type question in 50 words i.e. 7-10 lines.

BOOK RECOMMENDED

1. R.C. Majumdar (ed.) : *The Age of Imperial Unity* (The History and Culture of the Indian people, Vol.II, Bhartiya Vidya Bhawan).
2. Romila Thapar : *Ashoka and the Decline of the Mauryas*.
3. R.S. Tripathi : *History of Ancient India*.
4. S.L. Sikri & A.C. Arora : *Bhartiya Itihas Da Prachin Kal* (Punjabi).
5. Wheeler, M. : *Indus Valley Civilization*.
6. R.K. Mukherjee : *Ancient India*.
7. R.C. Majumdar, Datta & Raychoudhary : *Advanced History of India, Vol.I*.
8. A.L. Basham : *The Wonder that was India*.
9. Lallanji gopal : *Economic Life in Northern ndia*.
10. Sukhninder Kaur Dhillon : *Religious History of Ancient Punjab*.
11. R.S. Sharma : *India's Ancient Past*
12. M.L. Bose : *Social and Cultural History of Ancient India*
- 13 ਡੀ.ਡੀ ਕੋਸੰਭੀ (ਰਘਬੀਰ ਸਿੰਘ-ਅਨੁਵਾਦਕ) : ਪ੍ਰਾਚੀਨ ਭਾਰਤ ਦੀ ਸੰਸਕ੍ਰਿਤੀ ਅਤੇ ਸੱਭਿਅਤਾ

**PAPER-II (OPTION : II) : STUDY OF MEDIEVAL INDIAN
INSTITUTIONS : SOCIAL, CULTURAL & ECONOMIC (1000-1707
A.D.)**

*Max.Marks:100
hours*

Time Allowed : 3

*Pass Marks : 35% in the subject
75*

Total Teaching Periods :

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PAPER-SETTER

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CANDIDATES

Candidates are required to attempt one question each from the sections A, B, C and D of the question paper and the entire Section E. The candidates are required to give answer of each short-answer type question in 50 words i.e. in 7-10 lines.

SECTION-A

1. Social Classes and Communities.
2. Sufism : Sufi silsalas, principles of Sufism and its impact on society.

SECTION-B

3. Bhakti Movement : principles and impact on society.
4. Land Revenue System.
5. Religious policy of Akbar with special reference to Din-i-Ilahi.

SECTION-C

6. Education and Learning.
7. Art, Architecture and Paintings.

SECTION-D

8. Banking System.
9. Trade and Industry.

SECTION-E (Compulsory)

10 short answer-type questions will be set from the entire syllabus. The candidates will attempt all the questions. These questions will be based upon terms, concepts, institutions and historical sources within the purview of the syllabus. The answer to each of these question will be of 50 words and will carry 4 marks each. Thus the total marks of these questions will be 40 marks. The candidates are required to give answer of each short answer type question in 50 words i.e. 7-10 lines.

BOOK RECOMMENDED

1. S.A.A., Rizvi , *The Wonder that was India*, Vol.II.
 2. Sri Ram Sharma : *Mughal Government and Administration*.
 3. R.C. Majumdar (ed.) : *The Mughal Empire, The History and Culture of Indian People*, Vol.VII.
 4. Irfan Habib : *Agrarian System of the Mughals*.
 5. A.L. Srivastava : *History of Delhi Sultanate, History of Mughal Empire*.
 6. S.L. Sikri : *Muslim Yug*.
 7. K.M. Ashraf : *Life and Conditions of the people of Hindustan*.
 8. Bhagat Singh : *Madhkalin Bharat Diyan Sansthava* (Punjabi).
 9. Mohd Habib & K.A. Nizami : *A Comprehensive History of India*, Vol.I.
- 10** Vipul Singh : *Interpreting Medieval India*
- 11** Satish Chandra : *Medieval India from Sultanate to Mughals 1526-1748*
- 12** ਡਬਲਿਯੂ ਐਚ.ਮੋਗਲੈਂਡ:
(ਅਨੁਵਾਦਕ ਸੁਰਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਗਾਧੀ): ਭਾਰਤ - ਅਕਬਰ ਦੀ ਮੌਤ ਸਮੇਂ

**PAPER-II (OPTION : III) : MODERN INDIAN SOCIETY AND
ECONOMY : 1818-1947 A.D.**

Max.Marks:100

Pass Marks : 35% in the subject

Time Allowed : 3 hours

Total Teaching Periods : 75

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PAPER-SETTER

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE CANDIDATES

Candidates are required to attempt one question each from the sections A, B, C and D of the question paper and the entire Section E. The candidates are required to give answer of each short-answer type question in 50 words i.e. in 7-10 lines.

SECTION-A

1. Socio-religious reform movements : Namdhari movement, Brahmo Samaj, Arya Samaj, Singh Sabha Movement and Aligarh Movement.
2. Growth of Modern Education.

SECTION-B

3. Growth of Modern Press.
4. British Agrarian Policies : Permanent Settlement, Ryotwari system and Mahalwari system; their impact on Indian society.
5. Causes of the poverty of the Indian peasantry and famine policy.

SECTION-C

6. Commercialization of crops, rural indebtedness and destruction of village autonomy.
7. Industry: decline of indigenous industry, rise of plantation industry and modern Industry.

SECTION-D

8. Foreign Trade
9. Labour Movements, rise of trade unions in India.

SECTION-E (Compulsory)

10 short answer-type questions will be set from the entire syllabus. The candidates will attempt all the questions. These questions will be based upon terms, concepts, institutions and historical sources within the purview of the syllabus. The answer to each of these question will be of 50 words and will carry 4 marks each. Thus the total marks of these questions will be 40 marks. The candidates are required to give answer of each short answer type question in 50 words i.e. 7-10 lines.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED

1. A.R. Desai : *Social Background to Indian Nationalism.*
2. Ramsay Muir : *Making of Modern India.*
3. R.C. Majumdar (ed.) : *British Paramountcy and Indian Renaissance*
(2 Vols.)
4. R.C. Majumdar (ed.): *The Mughal Empire, The History and Culture of Indian People, Vol.VII.*
5. S.K. Bajaj & J.S. Rekhi : *History of India (1818-1919), (Punjabi).*
6. Dr. Nazer Singh : *Essays in History & Historiography.*
7. Garret & Thompson : *Rise and fulfillment of British Rule in India.*
8. K.W.Jones : *Socio-Reform Movements in British India*
9. B.L. Grover : *A New Look at Modern History 1707 to Modern times.*
10. B.B. Misra : *The Administrative History of India 1834-1947.*
11. ਐਸ.ਐਲ. ਸੀਕਰੀ : *ਭਾਰਤ ਦਾ ਰਾਸ਼ਟਰੀ ਅੰਦੋਲਨ ਅਤੇ ਸੰਵਿਧਾਨਿਕ ਵਿਕਾਸ 1858 - 1947*