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Sources of Ancient Indian History. The effects of geography on Indian History, Unity in Diversity - Indus Valley Civilization Pre - Mauryan India: Political life - Kingship - Republics and Oligarchies and Rise of Magadha - Sisunagas and Nandas - Invasion of Alexander - Social life - Origin and Development of the Caste system - Position of Women. Religion in Ancient India - Vedic Religion - Jainism and Buddhism.

BLOCK II

The Mauryas : Rise and consolidation of the Empire - Asoka and spread of Buddhism - The Mauryan Administration North India from 185 B.C to 300 A.D. The Sungas and the Kanvas - Kanishka - Mahayanism - Gandara Art.

BLOCK III

The Age of the Guptas: Rise and consolidation of the Empire - Administration, Social and Economic life - Arts - Decline of the Guptas - Harshavardhana: Administration - Social and Religious life under Harsha.

BLOCK IV

History of Deccan: The Satavahanas - The Chalukyas of Vatapi - The Rashtrakutas.

BLOCK V

Northern India after Harsha: The Rajput Age - Political and Social conditions - Arab conquest of Sind - Mohamed of Ghazni and Mohamed of Ghor.

Books Recommended

1. Sathianatha Iyer R - Political and Cultural History of India Volumes I & III
2. Majumdar, R.C. and Others - Advanced History of India
3. Thaper, R - History of India Vol. - I
4. Smith V. A - New Oxford History of India (Revised Edition) Spear T.G.P.
5. Nilakanta Sastri K. A - History of India
6. Krishnamurthy, V. M - Indian History
7. Ishwari Prasad - Short History of Muslim Rule in India
8. Venkataraman T. K - Manual of Indian History
9. Percival Spear - A History of India
10. Stanley Olpert - New History of India

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Foundation of Turkish Rule in Northern India 1206 - Kut-bud-din Aibak - Iltutmish - Balban.

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Alauddin Khilji - Muhammad-bin-Tughlaq and Firuz Tughlaq

Block - III

The Lodis - Administrative system under the Delhi Sultanate - Social and Economic life - Bhakthi Movement - Art and Architecture.

Block - IV

The Mughals - Babur and Humayun - Afghan interlude - Shershah - Akbar to Aurangzeb - 1556 to 1707 : Rajput Policy - Religious Policy of the Great Mughals. The Deccan Policy of the Great Mughals - Northwest Frontier Policy - Mughal Administrative system - The Development of Art - Architecture under the great Mughals.

Block - V

Deccan - Sikhs and Marathas - The Rise and Fall of the Bahmini Kingdom - History of the Vijayanagar Empire upto 1565 - Administration - Social life - Arts. History of the Sikhs upto 1707 - The Rise of the Marathas - Shivaji - Maratha Administration.

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BHIAL - 11N
CONSTITUTIONAL HISTORY OF INDIA
(From 1773 A.D To 1950 A.D)

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The circumstances leading to the passing of the Regulating Act of 1773 A.D . Its provisions . Merits and defects . importance of the Regulating Act . The Judicature Act of 1781 A.D. . Fax India Bill . Pitts India Act of 1784 A.D. . Circumstances leading to the Act . its provisions . its importance . Charter Act of 1793, 1813, 1813 and 1853 significance.

Block II

The Queens Proclamation . Government of India Act of 1858 A.D . Home Government . Government of India . Provinces. Indian Councils Act 1861 and 1892 . Constitutional development and its importance. Minto-Morley Reforms . Provisions . Merits and defects . significance.

Block III

Circumstances leading to Lucknow Pact . August Offer 1917 A.D. The Government of India Act of 1919 (Mont-ford Reforms) . Provisions . Changes in Home Government . Indian Government . Centre and Province . Merits and defects . significance.

Block Iv

Simon Commission . its recommendations . Nehru Report . Round Table Conferences . The Government of India Act of 1935 . provisions . Merits and Defects . significance.

Block V

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The advent of the Europeans . The Portuguese: the Dutch: The French: The English . The Anglo-French conflict (Carnatic Wars) The occupation of Bengal and Dual Government - Robert Clive.

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Expansion of British under Warren Hastings Regulating Act, 1773 . Pitts India Act, 1784 . Impeachment; Cornwallis - Permanent Settlement . Reforms; Wellesley Subsidiary Alliance, William Bentinck . Reforms . Lord Dalhousie . Doctrine of Lapse; The Anglo-Mysore War . Sikh Wars.

Block III

Revolt of 1857 . Queen's Proclamation . India under Crown's Rule . Indian Councils Act of 1861 & 1892 . The Vernacular Press Act, 1878 . Growth of Local self Government . Illbert Bill.

Block IV

Indian National Movement - Rise of Nationalism . Foundation of Indian National Congress . Moderates and Extremists - Minto . Morley Reforms, 1909 . Government of India Act, 1919 . Gandhi . Non Co-operation Movement and Simon Commission - Civil Disobedience Movement . Government of India Act, 1935 . Quit India Movement . Cabinet Mission . Mountbatten Plan . Indian Independence.

Block V

Indian Renaissance and Socio . Religious Movements . the Brahma Samaj . Upliftment of Indian Women . Arya Samaj . Ramakrishna Mission . Theosophical Society . Aligarh Movement . Muslim Communalism . Partition of India . Integration of the Indian States . Five year plans - Education . Agricultural Industry . Women's Development . Science and Technology - Nuclear policy . Non Alignment India and World Affairs Non Alignment . SAARC.

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1. Mahajan, V.D. - Ancient India
2. Sathianatha Iyer, R. - Political and cultural History of India Vols. I to III
3. Majumdar, R.C. - Advanced History of India
4. Smith, V.A. - New Oxford History of India (Revised Edition) by Spear T.G.P.
5. Thapper, R. - History of India, Vol. I
6. Nilakanta Sastri, K.A. - History of India, Parts I & III
7. Krishnamurthy, V.M. - Indian History, Vols. I & III
8. Ishwari Prasad - Short History of Muslim Rule in India
9. Venkataraman, T.K. - Manual of India History, Vol. II
10. Pakkianatha, I.S. - Mughal India and Modern India
11. Percival Spear - A History of India
12. Percival Spear - Oxford History of Modern India 1740-1975
13. Stanely Olpert - New History of India
14. Suntharalingam - History of Indian Nationalism

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Impact of Vijayanagar Rule on Society, Administration, Religion . Age of the Nayaks . Madurai, Tanjore and Gingi . Administration - Coming of the Europeans . Palayakkar Rebellion . The Anglo-French War . Vellore Mutiny . Political condition of Tamil Nadu in the 19th and 20th Centuries . Freedom Movement in Tamil Nadu.

BLOCK V

Socio, Economic, Religious and Cultural Condition of Tamil Nadu between 18 and 20th Centuries - Self Respect Movement - Congress Ministry - D.M.K. & A.I.A.D.M.K.

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1. K.A. Neelakanta Sastri - A History of South India
2. A. Krishnaswamy - Tamil Country under Vijayanagar
3. K.K.Pillay - History of Tamil Nadu, her people and Culture (in Tamil)
4. Sadasiva Pandarathar, .T.V - Pandiyar Varalaru (in Tamil)
5. Rajamanickam, M. - Cholar Varalaru (in Tamil)
6. M.R.Perumal Mudaliar - History of South India (in Tamil)
7. Balasubramaniam S.R. - Early Chola Art and Architecture (in Tamil)
8. R. Sathianatha Iyer - Political and Cultural History of India vol.III.

BHIAL – 21 TOURISM PERSPECTIVES

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Importance of Tourism in Modern Times - International and National - Tourism:Its Impact on International Economic Activity

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Tourism and International Trade and Balance of Payments - Essentials of Tourist accommodation and catering Unit

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Essentials of Travel Agency - Departments of Travel Agency and their functions

Block IV

Tour Operators (wholesaler) and Travel Agency (Retailer) Types of Contracts - Time Tables (Structures and Function, Ticketing) Costing of Tour

Block V

Tourism and National Economy

- a) Micro and Macro Aspects
- b) Quantitative Analysis of Tourism and Tourist Expenditure
- c) The value of Tourism

Books Recommended

1. Dr. S.N.Pruthi - Business and Government (Asia) Publishing House, Bombay
2. S.S.Khora - Government in Business, 1963.
3. Irudayam - Techniques of Export Trade
4. S.C.Kuchchal - Industrial Economy of India (Chapters 6 and 7)
5. Methew J.Kust - Foreign Enterprises in India Economic Review of World Tourism

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First World War . Russian Revolution . Peace Settlement . League of Nations-Rise of Dictatorships in Italy and Germany.

BLOCK V

Second World War . UNO . Cold War . EEC . Developments in Eastern Europe . Disintegration of USSR.

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Block V

Harry S. Truman . Eisenhower . J.F. Kennedy . Foreign Policy of U.S.A., since 1945.

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The rule of the Manchus- Socio, Economic conditions - Opening of China to Western Powers- First and Second Opium Wars- Taiping Rebellion.

BLOCK 2

The Sphere of Influences and Open Door Policy- Sino-Japanese War, 1894-95- Hundred Days of Reforms- Boxer Rebellion-Sun Yat Sen and the 1911 Revolution- Yuan Shih Kai.

BLOCK 3

China and the First World War-May Fourth Movement- The Rise of Kuomintang-Chiang Kai Shek- Establishment of Chinese Communist Party- Northern Expedition.

BLOCK 4

The Struggle between Kuomintang Party and the Chinese Communist Party- The Manchurian Crisis- Second Sino-Japanese War- Mao-Tse-Tung- Establishment of Peoples Republic of China.

BLOCK 5

Cultural Revolution-Big Leap Forward- Gang of Four- Tien . An- Men Square Episode- China's Foreign Policy since 1949.

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2. Paul H. Clyde & Burton F.Beers - The Far East, Prentice Hall of India Ltd., Delhi, 1974,5th ed.
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4. Li Chien . nung - The Political History of China , tr. by Teng Ssu . Yu and Jeyemy Ingals, New Delhi, 1956.
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Contemporary Challenges: Child Labour . Women's Rights . Bonded Labour . Rural and Urban Labourers . Problem of Refugees . Capital punishment.

BLOCK V

National and State Human Rights Commission . Their functions . Problems and prospect . Minorities Rights Commission . Its functions.

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India's Foreign Policy since Independence . 1947 to 1990 A.D. India's role in the UNO . Relations with neighbouring countries.

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India and China . Tibetan issue . Korean crisis . Pancha Sheel . Chinese Aggression 1962 . Colombo Proposals . Sino . Indian relations.

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India and Pakistan . Indo . Pakistan relations during the early years of independence . Kashmir issue . Indo . Pak war 1965 . Tashkent Declaration 1966 . Simla Agreement . Indo . Pak relations during the Janata rule and after.

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India and Bangladesh : Emergence of Bangladesh and India's Role . Trade relations Indo-Bangladesh relations from Indira Gandhi's Premiership to Narasimha Rao's Premiership . Issues and economic relations between India and Bangladesh. India and Burma: Relationship between India and Burma since Indian Independence . Boundary Nepal: Relations between India and Nepal since India's Independence . India and Sri Lanka: Relations between India and Sri Lanka since Independence . Problems of the Tamils in Sri Lanka . Agreement of Kachchatheevu 28 June 1974 . Sri Lanka Agreement 1987 . Role of IPKF . India . Sri Lanka relations up to 1980's . up to 1990's. India and Maldives : Political, economic and cultural relations between India and Maldives from 1947 to 1992.

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