



Mid-term examination – Sep 2019

II PUC

SUB: History

MAX MARKS: 100

Time :3 hrs.

- Instructions : 1. Write the serial number of questions properly as given in the question paper while answering.
2. Write the correct and complete answers.

PART- A

I) Answer the following in One word or sentence.

1X10=10

1. Name the work that mentions the extensions of Karnataka.
2. Name the stone used by paleolithic man.
3. What does the word 'mohenjo daro' mean?
4. What was considered as wealth by the Aryans?
5. Who wrote Indica?
6. In which inscription do we get the reference of the chola village administration?
7. Who was known as the parrot of India?
8. Name the religion started by Akbar.
9. Who was known as II Napoleon?
10. Who is considered as the greatest among the Chalukyas of Badami?

PART- B

II) Answer any ten of the following in two sentences.

2X10=20

1. Who transferred the capital from Delhi to Devagiri? Why?
2. And Between whom and when was the second battle of Panipat fought?
3. Who built the Kailasnath temple? Where was it built?
4. What were the terms of the treaty of Purandar?
5. What are the sources of Mauryan history?
6. Name the four varnashramas.
7. Name the different sects of Buddhism and Jainism
8. Who is considered as the greatest among the Kushanas? Name the Chinese ruler defeated by him.
9. Mention the works of Kalidasa.
10. Name the architectural centre of Hoysalas.
11. When and between whom was the Thakkolam battle was fought?
12. Who constructed the Gomateshwara statue and where?

PART- C

III) Answer any six of the following questions in 15 to 20 sentences each

5x6=30

1. Unity is Diversity is the main feature of Indian history. Explain.
2. Explain the town planning of the Indus valley civilization
3. What were the factors responsible for the rise of new religions?
4. Explain the teachings of Mahaveera.
5. What are the measures taken by Ashoka for spreading Buddhism?
6. Explain the chief characteristics of Gandhara architecture.
7. Explain the conquests of Samudragupta.
8. Describe the village administration of the Cholas.

PART- D

IV) Mark any 5 of the following places with an explanatory note on the outline map of India. 10 marks

1. Harappa
2. Panipat
3. Pataliputra
4. Devagiri
5. Delhi
6. Halebidu
7. Badami
8. Kanchi

PART- E

V) Answer any two of the following questions in 30 to 40 sentences each. 2x10=20

1. Explain the achievements of Alauddin Khilji.
2. Critically examine the administrative experiments of Muhammad bin Tughlaq.
3. Why is the Gupta age called the golden age of Indian history?
4. Explain the life and teachings of Gautam Buddha.

PART- F

VI) Match the following with appropriate options listed. 5 marks

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| 1. Epigraphy | a. Shivaji's teacher |
| 2. Arthashastra | b. Study of inscriptions |
| 3. 13th rock edict | c. Chanakya |
| 4. Dharma | d. Kalinga battle |
| 5. Dadaji Kondadev | e. Purushartha |

VII) Arrange the following events in chronological order. 5marks

1. Construction of Qutub minar
2. Token currency
3. Narmada battle
4. 1st battle of Panipat
5. Malik Kaffur's south Indian conquest
