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**Syllabus of M. A. PART-I (External)**

**HISTORY**

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**M. A. (Part-I) (External)**

- Paper-I : Historiography, Concept, Methods & Tools**
- Paper-II : Twentieth Century World**
- Paper-III : History of India (1757 - 1857 A. D.)**
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- Paper-V : History of West Asia (1850 - 1990 A. D.)**



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**M. A. Part-I (External)**

**HISTORY PAPER-I**

**[Historiography, Concept, Methods & Tools]**

**UNIT - 1 :**

1. Meaning of History - Importance of its study
2. Nature of History
3. Scope of History
4. Types of History - Their Characteristics

**UNIT - 2 :**

1. History and its relations with other disciplines - Archaeology, Economics, Geography, Numismatics, Political Science, Sociology, Literature and Natural Sciences.
2. Sources of History - Classification and Comparative Importance
3. Collection and Selection of Sources (data)

**UNIT - 3 :**

1. Testing the authenticity and credibility of the sources - Forgery in Historical Sources.
2. Evidence and its transmission - Theory of Causation - Historicism.
3. Bibliography and Foot Notes - Importance, uses and abuses.

**UNIT - 4 :**

1. Rewriting of History - Characteristics and pitfalls of a Historian
2. Greek, Roman, Islamic and Chinese Traditions - Oxford, Romantic and Prussian Schools of Historiography.
3. Ancient and Medieval Indian Tradition - Modern approaches to History - Imperialist, Nationalist, Marxist and Subaltern.

**UNIT - 5 :**

1. Evaluation of the contribution of Ranke and Toynbee
2. Assessment of the contribution of Kalhan, Jadunath Sarkar, G. K. Sardesai, R. C. Majumdar and D.D. Kosambi
3. Contribution to Regional Historiography of Bhagwanlal Indraji and Durgashanker Shastri.

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**M. A. Part-I (External)**

**HISTORY PAPER-II**

**[Twentieth Century World]**

**UNIT - 1 :**

1. Industrial Revolution - Growth of Capitalism and Socialism
2. Growth of Nationalism and Democracy in Europe - Unification of Italy and Germany - its impact.
3. Imperialistic activities of U. K. - France.
4. Liberalism & Progress in Japan under Meiji Rule.

**UNIT - 2 :**

1. Expansionist activities of Japan (1901 - 1919)
2. Chinese Revolution of 1911 - Role of Dr. Sun Yatsen
3. Origins of the First World War - Its nature - treaty of Versailles and other peace settlements - Its consequences.

**UNIT - 3 :**

1. Making of the Russian Revolution - Leadership of Lenin - Establishment of Socialist State - Its political and economic aspects, responses and reactions.
2. Working of the League of Nations and Collective Security - Causes of its failure.
3. Kemal Pasha and Modernisation of Turkey
4. Origins, Nature and Results of the Second World War. Nationalist Movement and Decolonization.

**UNIT - 4 :**

1. Washington Conference - Main Treaties - its impact
2. Crisis in Capitalism - Great Depression - Causes and effects Franklin Roosevelt and New Deal.
3. Ideology of Nazism in Germany and Fascism in Italy - Rise of Militarism in Japan.

**UNIT - 5 :**

1. Communist Revolution of 1949 in China - its impact in World Politics.
2. U. N. and the concept of World Peace - Aims, Achievements and Failures of U. N. - Regional tensions in Palestine and Kashmir -Non-Aligned Movement and The Third World.
3. Ideological and political basis of Cold War - Pacts and Alliances like NATO, SEATO, ANZUS, Warsaw Pact and Baghdad Pact.

4. Progress in the fields of Science, Technology and Communication. Genesis and Process of disintegration of Socialist Block and end of Cold War - Its impact on society and politics - From Bipolar to Unipolar World system - Globalisation and its impact.

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**HISTORY PAPER-III**

**[History of India 1757 to 1857 A. D.]**

**UNIT - 1 :**

1. Disintegration of the Mughal System and its impact upon Indian Society.
2. Foundation of British Rule in India : from Karnataka Wars to Buxar.
3. British ideology, policy and programmes for expansion : A theoretical overview
4. British Relations with Mysore up to 1799
5. Anglo-Maratha Relations up to 1818

**UNIT - 2 :**

1. Achievements of Ranjitsinh in Punjab and his relations with the British.
2. British Policy towards Afghanistan and Sindh
3. Anglo-Burmese Relations
4. Anglo-Sikh Relations (1839 to 1849)
5. Imperialism under Lord Dalhousie

**UNIT - 3 :**

1. Popular Resistance to British Rule before 1857
2. The Upeaval of 1857 : Causes, Nature and Impact.
3. Constitutional Developments : Regulating Act; Pitt's India Act, and the Charter Acts : An overview.
4. Growth of General Administration at Central and provincial level.
5. Growth of Civil Services

**UNIT - 4 :**

1. The British Revenue System (1757 - 1857)
2. Judicial Administration in India under Company Rule.
3. Evolution of British Paramountcy over the Princely States in India up to 1857.
4. Impact of British Rule on Indian Agriculture.
5. Trade, Commerce and Banking in India during Company Rule.

**UNIT - 5 :**

1. Decline of Indian handicraft industry and economic drain

2. Ideological dimensions of British Socio-economic policy in India : Orientalist, Evangelical and Utilitarian.
3. Growth of Education in India under British Rule upto 1857.
4. Raja Rammohan Roy, Brahmo Samaj and the reform movements in Hindu Society.
5. Whabi Movement and the Islamic Revivalism.

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**HISTORY PAPER-IV**

**[History of India 1857 To 1947 A. D.]**

**UNIT - 1 :**

1. Political Awakening in India, Rise of Nationalism and early associations.
2. Founding of the Indian National Congress and the Moderate Leadership.
3. The extremist challenge and Swadeshi Movement
4. The Home Rule Movement
5. Revolutionary Movements before Gandhi

**UNIT - 2 :**

1. Rise of communalism : Founding of All India Muslim League : its policy up to 1916.
2. Emergence of Mahatma Gandhi in Indian Politics, his ideology of Swaraj and Satyagraha.
3. Non-cooperation and Khilafat Movement (1920-22)
4. Civil disobedience Movement (1930-1934)
5. Quit India Movement (1942)

**UNIT - 3 :**

1. Revolutionary Movements (1920-47), Subhashchandra Bose and the Indian National Army
2. The Leftists in Indian Politics and Resistance from below : peasant and tribal movements
3. Communalism (1916-1947) and partition of India
4. Relations between Home Government and Indian Administration under Crown
5. Growth of Administration in India (1858-1947)
6. Growth of the Institutions of popular representation (1858-1919)

**UNIT - 4 :**

1. Expansion of popular representation (1919-1947)
2. Policy towards the Indian States
3. Foreign Policy of the Colonial State of India : A brief Survey.
4. Indian Agriculture : Irrigation and Famine Policy of British Administration.
5. Rise of Modern Industries : Scope and Problems.

**UNIT - 5 :**

1. Impact of Colonialism on village society and traditional institutions
2. Urbanisation and new middle class



3. Growth of education and press
4. Patterns of socio-religious movements before Gandhi
5. Social Movements during the Gandhian Era : main features

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**M. A. Part-I (External)**

**HISTORY PAPER-V**

**[ History of West Asia – 1850 to 1990 A. D. ]**

**UNIT - I :**

1. West Asia : geographical and cultural determinants of her history.
2. The disintegration of the Ottoman Empire, its impact upon West Asia.
3. The imperialistic designs of the European powers in west Asia during the late 19th century, conflict of interests, major issues and events.
4. Rule of Sultan Abdul Hamid-II in Turkey and the Young Turk revolution.

**UNIT - II :**

1. Emergence of Arab nationalism; determinants and major trends till the World War-I.
2. Major political and cultural trends in Iran upto 1914.
3. Modernization of Turkey and Mustafa Kemal Pasa.
4. The Mandate system in West Asia; major trends.
5. Zionism, Palestine problem and formation of Israel.

**UNIT - III :**

1. Egypt between the Wars.
2. Iraq under Shah Faizal-I.
3. Rezashah Pehalvi's achievements in Iran.
4. Emergence of Saudi Arabia under Ibna Saud.
5. Turkey since World War-II; growth of democracy and modernization.
6. Israel since 1948; political, economic and social development.

**UNIT - IV :**

1. Arab – Israel conflict; major trends since 1948.
2. Egypt under President Nasser and his role in West Asian politics.
3. Syria since 1945; major trends of internal politics and foreign policy.
4. Religious issues and domestic politics in Lebanon since World War-II.
5. Trans Jordan after independence; rule of King Hussein.
6. Iraq since World War-II.

**UNIT - V :**

1. Iran under Muhammad Rezashah and Khomeni reaction.
2. The regional organizations in West Asia; Arab league, Baghdad Pact, OPEC and Oil politics.
3. Russian invasion on Afghanistan; causes and impact.
4. The Iran – Iraq conflict.
5. Rise and growth of Fundamentalist and Terrorist activities in West Asia.

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