

Shri Dev Suman Uttarakhand Vishwavidyalaya

Badshahithaul, Tehri Garhwal

SYLLABUS

B.A. HISTORY 3 YEARS DEGREE COURSE

(Effective from Academic Session)

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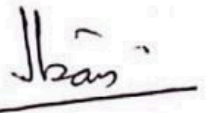
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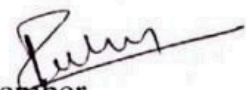
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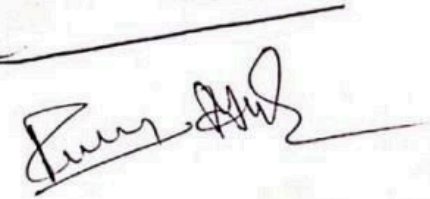


Summary Of Syllabus

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Year	Name Of Paper	Total Marks
First Year	Paper-1: History Of India (Earliest Times to 185 B.C.)	100
	Paper-2: History Of India (185 B.C. to 1206 A.D.)	100
Second Year	Paper-1: History Of India (1206 A.D. to 1707 A.D.)	100
	Paper-2: World History (1453 A.D. to 1815 A.D.)	100
Third Year	Paper-1: History Of India (1707 A.D. to 1947 A.D.)	100
	Paper-2: World History (1815 A.D. to 1945 A.D.)	100

B.A. First Year
Paper-1: History Of India (Earliest Times to 185 B.C.)

Unit-I: History- Meaning, Definition, Nature and Relevance; Sources Of Ancient History of India

Unit-II: Pre-historic Age- Paleolithic, Mesolithic, Neolithic and Chalcolithic Culture

Unit-III: Indus Valley Civilization- Society, Economy, Town Planning and Features

Unit-IV: Early and Later Vedic Polity, Society, Economy and Religion; Iron Age, Megaliths

Unit-V: Political, Social and Economic Conditions in 6th century B.C., Sixteen Mahajanpadas

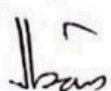
Unit-VI: Rise and Teachings of Buddhism and Jainism- Decline and Contribution

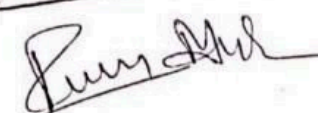
Unit-VII: Rise of Mauryan Empire- Polity, Economy, Society, Culture and Administration; Ashoka's Dhamma

Unit-VIII: Decline Of Mauryan Empire

Suggested Readings

- Jha, D.N. and Shrimali, K.N., Prachin Bharat kalitias
- Majumdar, R.C., History and Culture of Indian People, Vol II & III
- Lunia, B.N., Bhartiya Sabhyata aur Sanskritika Vikas
- Sharma, L.P., Prachin Bharat
- Srivastava, K.C., Prachin Bharat kalitias





Paper-2: History Of India (185 B.C. to 1206 A.D.)

Unit-I:

Post Mauryan Period- Sungas, Satavahans, Shakas, Parthians and Kushans

Unit-II: Sangam Age- Polity, Society, Economy, Religion and Administration; Chera, Chola and Pandya

Unit-III:

Gupta Empire- Polity, Society, Economy, Religion and Administration; Art and Architecture, Literature, Science and Technology; Fahien

Unit-IV: Harshvardhan- Administration, Achievements, Buddhism; Naanda University, Hieun Tsang

Unit-V:

Origin and emergence of Rajputs; Polity, Economy and Society

Unit-VI: Gurjar- Pratihar, Pala and Rashtrakuta Dynasty- Polity, Economy and Society; Tripartite Struggle

Unit-VII: Pallavas and Chalukyas- Polity, Society, Economy and Culture; Far South Cholas

Unit-VIII:

Foreign Invasions- Arabs, Ghaznavids and Goriids; Causes of the failure of Rajputs

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- Jha, D.N. and Shrimali, K.N., Prachin Bharat kalitihās
- Majumdar, R.C., History and Culture of Indian People, Vol II & III
- Lunia, B.N., Bhartiya Sabhyata aur Sanskritika Vikas
- Sharma, L.P., Prachin Bharat
- Bhargava, B.S., Prachin Bharat
- Pandey, V.C., Political And Cultural History of India
- Majumdar, R.C., Advance History of India

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Paper-2: World History (1453 A.D. to 1815 A.D.)

Unit-I: Causes Of Decline of Feudalism; Advent of Modern Age in Europe

Unit-II: Renaissance and Reformation; Mercantilism and Commercialism; Scientific and Agrarian Revolution

Unit-III: Thirty Years War- Causes, Nature and Impact

Unit-IV: Glorious revolution in England(1688)- Causes and Consequences

Unit-V: Industrialism Revolution

Unit-VI: American Revolution(1776)- Causes and Consequences, Declaration of the Rights of Men

Unit-VII: French Revolution(1789)- Causes and Impact; Role of Philosophers; National Assembly, National Convention and the Directory in France

Unit-VIII: Napoleon Bonaparte

Suggested Readings

- Fisher, H.A.L., History of Europe
- Langer, W.L., Diplomacy of Imperialism
- Saboul, A., The French Revolution
- Gupta M.L., World History
- Sharma, M.L., History of Europe
- Khurana and Sharma, World History
- Parthy Sarthy, J., World History
- Baghel, H.S., World History

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B.A. Third Year
Paper-1: History Of India (1707 A.D. to 1947 A.D.)

Unit-I:

Decline of Mughal Empire and Rise of Regional Powers

Unit-II: Expansion and Consolidation of East India Company- Bengal, Mysore, Awadh, Marathas and Punjab etc.,; Subsidiary Alliance

Unit-III:

Economic Changes- Land Revenue, Deindustrialization, etc.

Unit-IV:

Revolt of 1857- Causes, Nature and Consequences

Unit-V:

Victoria's Proclamation and Act of 1858; Rise and Growth of Nationalism

Unit-VI:

Indian National Congress- Origin, Moderates and Extremists, Acts of 1909 and 1919; Home Rule Movement

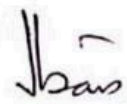
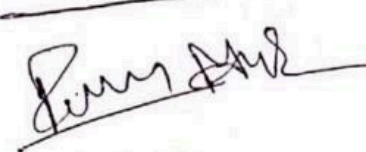
Unit-VII: Gandhian Movement: Non-cooperation, Civil Disobedience and Quit India Movement; Khilafat Movement, Simon Commission, Gandhi-Irwin Pact, Communal Award and Round Table Conference

Unit-VIII:

Communalism; Partition of India

Suggested Readings

- Grover, B.L., Yashpal, Adhunik Bharat ka Itihas
- Verma, H.C., Madhyakalin Bharat Ka Itihas
- Srivastava, A.L., Bharat Ka Itihas
- Mahajan, V.D., Medieval India
- Sharma, L.P., Madhyakalin Bharat
- Majumdar, R.C., History Of Freedom Movement of India

Paper-2: World History (1815 A.D. to 1945 A.D.)

Unit-I: Vienna Congress, Concert of Europe; Metternich; Revolutions of 1830 and 1848

Unit-II: Reform of 1832 and Chartist Movement in England

Unit-III: American Civil War

Unit-IV: Unification of Italy, Unification of Germany

Unit-V: First World War- Causes and Impact; Paris Peace Conference

Unit-VI: Russian Revolution(1917)

Unit-VII: Fascism and Nazism

Unit-VIII: Second World War- Causes and Consequences; U.N.O.

Suggested Readings

- Mathur and Jain, World History (1500-1950)
- Langer, W.L., Diplomacy of Imperialism
- Saboul, A., The French Revolution
- Gupta M.L., World History
- Sharma, M.L., History of Europe
- Khurana and Sharma, World History
- Parthy Sarthy, J., World History
- Palmer, A History of Modern Europe

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B.A. Second Year
Paper-1: History Of India (1206 A.D. to 1707 A.D.)

Unit-I:

Sources Of Medieval History of India

Unit-II:

Delhi Sultanate:- Foundation, Consolidation and Expansion- Mamluk, Khalji, Tughlaq, Sayyid and Lodhi Dynasty; Their administration, Policies and Decline of Delhi Sultanate

Unit-III:

Bhakti Movement and Sufism; Causes and Impact on Society

Unit-IV: Vijayanagar and Brahamani Empire

Unit-V:

Advent of Mughals- Babar, Humayun, Akbar, Jahangir, Shah Jahan and Aurangzeb; Administration and Works

Unit-VI:

Mughals- Rajput and Religious Policy, Mansabdari and Jagir System

Unit-VII: ShershashSuri- Conquest, Administration amd Land Reforms

Unit-VIII:

Rise of Maratha Power and Shivaji

Suggested Readings

- Pandey, A.B., PurvaMadyakalin Bharat
- Verma, H.C., Madyakalin Bharat Vol.I
- Srivastava, A.L., Bharat KaItihas
- Mahajan, V.D., Medieval India
- Sharma, L.P., Madyakalin Bharat
- Ishwari Prasad, Medieval India
- Sharma, S.R., Muslim Rule In India

