

History Syllabus for PhD Eligibility Test

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BBMKU, Dhanbad

Paper 1- Historiography, Concept, Methods and tools

- 1) Meaning and scope of history collection and selection of data, evidence and its transaction
- 2) Approaches of history imperialist, nationalist, marxist and subaltern
- 3) Themes in Indian history, labour, present, Varna, jati and janjati

Paper 2- Ancient World

- 1) Greece: Spartan Constitution, Athenian democracy and contribution of Greece in to the World Civilization
- 2) China Shang Dynasty & Chou dynasty and Contribution of China to the World Civilization

Paper 3- Medieval World

- 1) Feudalism:- Origin Development features and causes of decline of chivalry
- 2) University origin growth important and influence

- 3) Prophet Mohammad
- 4) Orthodox Caliphate

Paper 4- Modern World

- (1) Anglo-German naval rivalry
- (2) Chinese Revolution of 1911AD
- (3) First World ^{war} Causes, responsibility and effects
- (4) Foreign Policy of Britain between two World Wars
- (5) Cold War ideological and political basis, pact, treaties and effects

Paper 5- World History

- 1) Renaissance
- 2) Geographical Discoveries
- 3) Growth of parliamentary institution in England
- 4) Rise of Fascism and Nazism
- 5) Non-alignment

Paper 6- Ancient India

- 1) Sources of Ancient India
- 2) Pre-History and Proto History

Pre-History Age, Paleolithic Age, Mesolithic Age, Neolithic Age, Chalcolithic Age

- 3) Harappan Civilization

a) Origin and expansion

b) Urban planning and decline

4) Towards formation of the state chiefdoms of later Vedic periods and territorial's state in the age of Buddha.

5) Mauryan Empire:-

a) Kautilya & the arthashastra

b) Concept of dhamma of Ashoka

c) Society and Economy

6) The Guptas and Pushyabhuti (Harshvardhana)

a) Administration

b) Culture Contribution

7) Chola Administration

8) Pallavas and Chalukyas:-

Cultural Contribution

Paper 7:- Medieval India

1) Sources of Medieval Indian History

2) Delhi Sultanate

3) The Mughal Empire

4) Vijaynagar State:- Structure, Features & Nature

5) Cultural and Economic History of Medieval India

Paper 8:- Modern India

- 1) Sources of Modern Indian History
- 2) Advent of Europeans and Rise of British Power in India
- 3) The Revolt of 1857
- 4) Administration under British Rule
- 5) Political and Social History of Modern India
- 6) Rise of Nationalism till 1916
- 7) Freedom Struggle: 1916-1947
- 8) The making of the Indian Constitution
- 9) India after Independence

Paper 9:- History of Political Thought

- 1) Hobbes, Lock and Rousseau
- 2) Mahatma Gandhi; Non-Violence and Satyagraha
- 3) Karl Marx; theory of dialectical materialism, historical materialism, ~~pistorocal~~ ~~materialism~~ and class struggle

Paper 10- Women in Indian History

- 1) Reforms, Movements and Women
 - a) Status of women in Bhakti Movement
 - b) Status of women in Brahma Samaj
- 2) Education and Women
 - a) Women status in ancient India

b) Women status during post independence

3) Political Participation

a) Role of women in Gandhian Satyagraha

b) Role of women in Panchayat and Municipal Council

Paper 11:- History of Jharkhand

1) Kol insurrection of 1831-32 AD

2) 1857 in Jharkhand

3) Socio Religious reformation movement in Jharkhand with special reference to Birsa Dharma & Tana Bhagat Movement

4) Mining Industry; Coal & Iron

Paper 12:- Research Methodology

1) Research meaning, characteristics and types

2) Sources of research

3) Paper, article, workshop, seminar and symposium

4) Thesis, Writing Characteristics and Format