

CLASS - XI

(2017-18)

10. HISTORY

Time: 3 Hrs

Theory: 90 Marks

CCE: 10 Marks

Total: 100 Marks

STRUCTURE OF QUESTION PAPER

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. The question paper will comprises 4 sections A, B, C and D of 28 sub parts (questions) in total. The question paper will carry:

A. Objective Type Questions: This type may include questions with one word to one sentence answer/ fill in the blank/ true or false/ multiple choice type questions. Question No. 1 comprises of 10 sub parts (questions) I to X carry 1 mark each. **10×1= 10**

B. Short Answer Questions: Question No.2 comprises of 10 sub parts (questions) I to X carry 3 marks each. Answer to each question should be in about 50-60 words. **10×3= 30**

C. Long answer Questions: Question No. 3 comprises of 10 sub parts (questions) I to X carry 5 marks each. Attempt any 7 Questions. Answer to each question should be in about 100-150 words.

7×5= 35

D. Map Question: There will be a one questions of map carries 15 marks (10marks for showing 5 places and 5 marks for explanation of those places to be written in 20 to 25 words) with 100% internal choice.

1×15= 15

Note:- For blind candidates alternative questions will be given in lieu of question no. 19 (map) with 100% internal choice.

SYLLABUS

SECTION-A

- I. Indus Valley Civilisation: A Synoptic view of Research Material, Culture, Socio -Cultural life; Decline and Disappearance.
- II. The Indo-Aryans: Early Settlements; Political Organisations; Economic life; Social Institutions; Religious beliefs and practices; Legacy.
- III. Buddhism and Jainism: the Socio-Political Environment, Major Doctrines; socio-political impact; Legacy.
- IV. The Mauryas: The background to their rise into power; Establishment and Consolidation of their Empire: Ashoka's Dhamm Social and Cultural life during their rule.
- V. The Age of the Guptas: Establishment and Consolidation of the Gupta Empire, Major Socio-Cultural achievement of the age; Legacy.
- VI. The Vardhanas and their times: Political supremacy in the North; Kingdoms of the South; cultural achievements of the age; Legacy.

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- VII. The Rajputs: Establishment their kingdom; Political Conflict and Change; socio-Political Structure; Survival.
- VIII. The Sultanate of Delhi: Establishment of Turkish Rule, Dynastic changes and the fortunes of the Sultanate, Administration; the ruling classes; Art, and Architecture, Socio-religious life.
- IX. Kingdoms of the South: The Bahmani empire and its successor states; the Vijayanagar empire; Administration, the Ruling classes: Art Architecture; socio-religious life.
- X. Socio-religious Movements; Vashnava Bhakti; the Saints.
- XI. Guru Nanak Dev Ji and Foundation of Sikhism: Socio-religious environment; Development of Sikhism (1539-1605); Transformation of Sikhism (1605-1966); Discovery of a New panth, Foundation of a New panth, Legacy.

SECTION-B

- XII. Establishment of the Mughal Empire: Mughal Afghan Contest; Consolidation of the Mughal
- XIII. Mughal Policy and Administration: Conception of Kingship: Attitude towards the subjects-people; central and provincial administration; administration of justice and local administration; the Mansabdari System.
- XIV. Rise of New Powers in the South: with special reference to the Marathas.
- XV. Rise of New Powers in the North: with special reference to the Sikhs.
- XVI. Maharaja Ranjit Singh: Conquests and Consolidation; the New Ruling classes; Administration; Attitude towards the subject people; Relationship with sovereign powers; the Legacy.
- XVII. Advent of the Europeans and their struggle for supremacy: the Portuguese; the Dutch: The French: Anglo French rivalry; Emergence of East India Company as a political power in India.
- XVIII. Expansion and Consolidation of the British empire; Expansion through war and diplomacy; Imperial framework: administration and bureaucracy.
- XIX. Social and Economic changes under British rule: Means of Communication and Transportation; Raw materials for Export: Industrial Development; The India elite; The Middle classes; The working class.
- XX. Socio-religious movements; Construction, Bramho Samaj, Aligarh Movement, Nirankari Movement, Kuka Movement and Singh Sabha Movement.
- XXI. Political Consciousness and struggle for Representative Government in India: the revolt of 1857 and its legacy; the Indian National Congress; the Home Rule Movement; Constitutional Reforms; Jallianwala Bagh massacre and its impact; Demand for independence.

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XXII. Towards Freedom: the Quit India Movement and its aftermath; Transfer of power.

SECTION - C
MAP QUESTION

- (i) Sites of Indus Valley Civilization
- (ii) Extent of Ashoka's empire
- (iii) Extent of Samundragupta's empire
- (iv) Important Historical places
- (v) India in 1526
- (vi) Extent of Akbar's empire
- (vii) Extent of Ranjit Singh's empire
- (viii) Important historical places

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The Model Test Paper with detailed structure of Question Paper will be uploaded soon.

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STRUCTURE OF QUESTION PAPER

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SECTION- A

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SECTION- B

Short Answer Questions: Question No.2 comprises of 10 sub parts (questions) I to X carry 3 marks each. Answer to each question should be in about 35-40 words. **10×3= 30**

SECTION- C

Long answer Questions: Question No. 3 comprises of 10 sub parts (questions) I to X carry 5 marks each. Attempt any 7 Questions. Answer to each question should be in about 100-150 words. **7×5= 35**

SECTION- D

Map Question: There will be a one questions of map carries 15 marks (10marks for showing 5 places and 5 marks for explanation of those places to be written in 20 to 25 words) with 100% internal choice. **1×15 =15**

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PART - A

1. Physical Features of the Punjab and their influence on its History.
2. Sources of the History of the Punjab.
3. Political, Social and Economic conditions of the Punjab in the beginning of the 16th Century.
4. Guru Nanak Dev Ji's life and His Teachings.
5. Development of Sikhism under Guru Angad Dev Ji, Guru Amar Das Ji and Guru Ram Das Ji.
6. Guru Arjan Dev Ji and His Martyrdom.
7. Guru Hargobind Ji and Transformation of Sikhism.
8. Guru Har Rai Ji and Guru Har Krihan Ji
9. Guru Teg Bahadur Ji and His Martyrdom.
10. Guru Gobind Singh Ji, the foundation of Khalsa, His battles and His personality.
11. Banda Singh Bahadur.

PART-B

12. Abdus Samad Khan, Zakaria Khan and Mir Mannu, Their relations with the Sikhs.
13. Rise of the Dal Khalsa and its mode of Fighting.
14. Social and Economic Conditions of the Punjab under the Mughals.

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15. Invasions of Ahmed Shah Abdali and disintegration of Mughal rule in the Punjab.
16. Origin and Growth of the Sikh Misls and their nature of organization.
17. Ranjit Singh's Career and Conquests.
18. Anglo-Sikh Relations (1800-1839).
19. Ranjit Singh's relations with Afganistan and his N.W.F. Policy.
20. Civil and Military Administration of Ranjit Singh.
21. Character and Personality of Ranjit Singh.
22. First Anglo-Sikh War – Causes and Results.
23. Second Anglo-Sikh War – Causes and Results, Annexation of the Punjab.

PART-C

MAP QUESTION

In this part there will be one question on the map. The question on the map will be compulsory. The question of Map will be set out of the following Map of Punjab.

1. Battles of Guru Gobind Singh Ji.
2. Important Battles of Banda Singh Bahadur.
3. Ranjit Singh's Kingdom.
4. First Anglo-Sikh War.
5. Second Anglo-Sikh War.

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