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2018

HISTORY (Honours)**Paper Code : I-A****[New Syllabus]**

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1. Kalhana wrote—

- (A) Allahabad Prasasti
- (B) Rajtarangini
- (C) Arthasastra
- (D) India

2. Who discovered Indus Valley Civilization?

- (A) R. D. Banerjee
- (B) R. D. Bhandarkar
- (C) R. D. Mukherjee
- (D) R. D. Menan

3. Which one of the following metals was not known to the Indus Valley people?

- (A) Copper
- (B) Tin
- (C) Bronze
- (D) Iron

4. Goutam Buddha belonged to the—

- (A) Jnatrika tribe
- (B) Sakya tribe
- (C) Malla tribe
- (D) Lichchavi tribe

5. The battle of the Hydaspes was fought between—

- (A) Alexander and Purus
- (B) Nandas and Sunil
- (C) Nandas and Chandragupta Maurya
- (D) Pran and Darius

6. The earliest use of Punch marked coins belonged to the—

- (A) 7th Century B.C.
- (B) 8th Century B.C.
- (C) 5th Century B.C.
- (D) 4th Century B.C.

7. The first Tirthankara was—

- (A) Parshvanath
- (B) Rishabh Deva
- (C) Marina
- (D) Asvasena

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8. Who wrote Mahabhasya?

- (A) Kautilya
- (B) Bhadrabahu
- (C) Rishab
- (D) Patanjali

9. Who was the founder of Gupta Dynasty?

- (A) Srigupta
- (B) Chandragupta
- (C) Kumaragupta
- (D) Samudragupta

10. Who was the founder of Sunga dynasty?

- (A) Kharavela
- (B) Pushyamitra
- (C) Moga
- (D) Puja

11. The Book 'Harshacharita' was written by—

- (A) Kalhana
- (B) Bilhana
- (C) Banabhatta
- (D) Sandhyakar Nandi

12. Mahenjodaro means—

- (A) Mound of the dead
- (B) Mound of the living
- (C) Cultural Centre
- (D) Administrative Centre

13. Who built the Stupa at Sanchi in Madhya Pradesh?

- (A) Harsha
- (B) Kanishka
- (C) Ashoka
- (D) Chandragupta Maurya

14. Who called Samudragupta as 'Napoleon of India'?

- (A) R. C. Majumdar
- (B) Romila Thapar
- (C) V. A. Smith
- (D) H. C. Roychowdhury

15. Who issued the Aihol inscription?

- (A) Pulakesin-II
- (B) Pulakesin-I
- (C) Satakarni
- (D) Pulomavi

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16. Who was the founder of Pallava dynasty?

- (A) Narasimha Varman
- (B) Simhavishnu
- (C) Mahendra Varman-I
- (D) Narasimha Varman-II

17. Which of the following work was not authored by Harshavardhana?

- (A) Kadambari
- (B) Ratnavali
- (C) Pryadarsika
- (D) Nagananda

18. What was the capital of Pallavas?

- (A) Badami
- (B) Kanchi
- (C) Madurai
- (D) Guntur

19. Saka era started from—

- (A) 78 B.C
- (B) 78 A.D
- (C) 324 A.D
- (D) 261 B.C

20. Panchatantra was written by—

- (A) Kalidas
- (B) Tulsidas
- (C) Vishnu Sharma
- (D) Banabhatta

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Category - I

Answer any *two* questions within 750 words : 20×2=40

1. What were the different theories regarding the original homeland of the Aryans? 20
2. Discuss the important features of Ashoka's Dhamma. What steps did he take to propagate it? 12+8
3. Who were the Indo-Greeks? Discuss their cultural contribution in the history of India with special reference to Minander. 20
4. What do you mean by the term feudalism? Do you think that the practice of granting tax free land gave birth to feudalism in 6th Century A.D? 5+15

Category - II

Answer any *two* questions within 350 words : 10×2=20

5. What were the religious beliefs and practices of the Harappan people ? 10
6. Write a short note on Kautilyas' state system. 10

Turn Over

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7. Discuss in brief the irrigation system in ancient India. 10
8. Write a short note on the Sangama literature during the period of your study. 10

Category - III

Answer any *four* questions within 100 words : 4×5=20

9. Importance of Epigraphy 5
10. Radio-Carbon dating 5
11. Astangika Marg 5
12. Fa-hien. 5
13. Dharmamahamatra 5
14. Stupa 5
15. Nalanda University 5
16. Agrahara land grant 5

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- (A) Devepala
- (B) Gopal
- (C) Dharmapala
- (D) Rampala

2. Who built the great temple of Rajarajeswhari at Thanjavur ?

- (A) Dantidurga
- (B) Rajendra-I
- (C) Parantaka-I
- (D) Rajaraja-I

3. Al-Masudi was an—

- (A) Arab Traveller
- (B) Chinese Traveller
- (C) Foreign Envoy
- (D) None of the above

4. The author of the famous book 'Tabaqat-i-Hind' was—

- (A) Al-Masudi
- (B) Fa-hien
- (C) Hiuen Tsang
- (D) Alberuni

5. Kanchi was the capital of—

- (A) Pallavas
- (B) Cholas
- (C) Chalukyas
- (D) Rashtrakutas

6. Who introduced the Persian etiquettes like 'Paibos'?

- (A) Qutubuddin Aibak
- (B) Iltutmish
- (C) Aram Shah
- (D) Balban

7. The last ruler of Khilji dynasty was—

- (A) Jiauddin Khilji
- (B) Alauddin Mubarak
- (C) Nasiruddin Khilji
- (D) Kutubuddin Mubarak Khilji

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8. What was the real source of the Sultan's authority?

- (A) Will of the people
- (B) Military strength
- (C) The support of the Caliph
- (D) Recognition of the Ulemas

9. The book 'Rajtarangini' was written in—

- (A) 1149-50 AD
- (B) 1249-50 AD
- (C) 1049-50 AD
- (D) 850-51 AD

10. Who were called 'The Barids' during the Sultanate?

- (A) Craftsman
- (B) Body Gurards
- (C) Wazir
- (D) Spies

11. The battle of Talikota was fought between—

- (A) Ram Roy and allied powers of Muslims in 1565 AD.
- (B) Ram Roy and Ruler of Vijaynagara in 1665 AD.
- (C) Ram Roy and Allied powers.
- (D) None of the above.

12. The period called 'Dark Age' was—

- (A) 1493 AD to 1587 AD
- (B) 1478 AD to 1493 AD
- (C) 1478 AD to 1490 AD
- (D) 1487 AD to 1493 AD

13. Who was the founder of Chisti Community in Bengal—

- (A) SK AK Sirajuddin Osman
- (B) SK Alaul Haque
- (C) SK Selim Chisti
- (D) SK Kutub Alam

14. Who founded "Adhai din ka Jhopra" and where—

- (A) Giasuddin Balban, Delhi
- (B) Alauddin Khalji, Debagiri
- (C) Kutubuddin Aibak, Ajmeer
- (D) Iltutmish, Pathankot

15. 'Ashta diggaja' was the courtisan of—

- (A) Raja Krishna Deb Roy
- (B) Harshabardhan
- (C) Chandragupta-II
- (D) Raj Raj

Turn Over

16. Who was known as the 'Prince of Moneyers'?

- (A) Muhammad Bin Tughlaq
- (B) Firoz Shah Tughlaq
- (C) Balban
- (D) Alauddin Khalji

17. The Bhakti Movement was first organised by—

- (A) Kabir
- (B) Ramanuja
- (C) Nanak
- (D) Ramananda

18. Nicolo Conti was a Venetian traveller who visited India at the time of—

- (A) Krishnadeva Roy
- (B) Muhammad bin Tughlaq
- (C) Devaraja-I
- (D) None of the above

19. The city Agra was founded by—

- (A) Tomaras
- (B) Shal Jalal
- (C) Alauddin Khalji
- (D) Sikandar Lodi

20. Who said "Ram and Rahim are two different names of God"?

- (A) Kabir
- (B) Tulsidas
- (C) Surdas
- (D) Nanak

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Category - I

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1. Bring out the chief features of Chola administration. 20
2. What was 'Iqta system'? How was the revenue resources distributed among the ruling classes through Iqta system during the Sultanate period? 5+15
3. Trace the origin and development of Bhakti movement in the Turko-Afgan period. What were its contributions? 15+5
4. In what respect did the reign of Illias Shah open a new chapter in the history of Bengal? 20

Category - II

Answer any *two* questions within 350 words : $10 \times 2 = 20$

5. What was the character of the Kaivarta Revolt? What is the main sources of information in this regard? 8+2
6. How did Balban restore of prestige of the Crown? 10

Turn Over

7. Write a note on the taxation policy of the Sultanate. 10
8. How do you analyse the development of science and technology during the Sultanate period ? 10

Category - III

Write short note on any *four* of the following : 5×4=20

9. Kulinism in Bengal
10. Second Battle of Tarain
11. Ziauddin Barani
12. Bandegan-i-Chahelgaon
13. Khalifa
14. Raja Ganesh
15. Chisti Silsila
16. Lingayatism in South India