

Paper – XXVI (Opt. – i): Art, Architecture and Culture in Medieval India
1200-1750

Marks: 80

Internal Assessment: 20

Time: 3 Hours

Note: - The question paper will consist of nine questions. The candidate shall attempt *five* questions in all. Question No. 1 will be *compulsory*, which will consist of four short conceptual / thematic questions of equal marks (i.e. 4 marks each) spread over the whole syllabus. The candidate shall attempt *four* more questions, selecting at least *one* from each Unit. All questions will carry equal marks (i.e. 16 marks each).

- Unit – I *Medieval India*: Systems of Education; Growth of Literature: Persian, Sanskrit and Hindi; Patronage of Learning; Way of Life
- Unit – II Development of Architecture under the Sultans of Delhi : Mamluqs, Khaljis, Tughlaqs and Lodhis; Regional Architecture – Vijayanagar and Sharqi
- Unit – III Mughal Architecture : The Early Phase; Development from Akbar to Shahjahan; The Later Stage
- Unit – IV Visual and Performing Arts : Mughal, Rajput and Kangra Schools of Painting; Dance and Music; Evolution of Composite Culture

Lesson plan (2023-24)

MA History, Semester-IV

Specialization paper- XXVI(Opt-i): Art, Architecture and Culture in Medieval India 1200-1750

Week-1- Jan 1 st - 6 th	- Medieval India: Systems of Education
Week-2- Jan 8 th - 13 th	- Growth of Lit.: Persian, Sanskrit and Hindi
Week-3- Jan 15 th -20 th	- Patronage of Learning, Way of Life
Week-4- Jan 22 nd -27 th	- Development of Architecture under the Sultans of Delhi
Week-5- Jan 29 th - Feb 3 rd	- Cont..., Mamluqs, Khilji, Tuglaqs and Lodhis
Week-6- Feb 5 th -10 th	- Regional Architecture – Vijaynagar
Week-7- Feb12 th -17 th	-Regional Architecture- Sharqi
Week-8- Feb19 th -24 th	- Revision of Units 1 and 2, ASSIGNMENT- I
Week-9- Feb 26 th -March 2 nd	- Mughal Architecture: The Early Phase
Week -10- March 4 th -9 th	- Development from Akbar to Shahjahan
Week-11- March 11 th -16 th	- The later Stage
Week-12- March 18 th -23 rd	- Revision of Unit 3
Week-13- April 1 st - 6 th s	-Visual and Performing Arts: Mughal, Rajput and Kangra school of painting
Week-14- April 8 th -13 th	- Dance and Music,
Week-15- April 15 th -20 th	- Evolution of Composite Culture, Revision
Week-16- April 22 nd -27 th	- ASSIGNMENT-II, Test and Class presentations