

Paper – XI (Opt. -i) (Specialization Paper) : Medieval Indian Economy-II (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. Each question will carry equal marks (i.e. 16 marks).

- Unit – I Agrarian Economy: Land Ownership and Production; Nature and Magnitude of Taxation; Agrarian Relations
- Unit – II Handicraft Production: Textiles and Agro-Industries; Metal Technology; Artisans; Mercantile Groups and their Role in Production
- Unit – III Trade and Commerce; Currency, Banking and Hundi System; Process of Urbanization
- Unit – IV Systemic Crisis: Tensions and Conflicts Inherent in the Imperial System; Patterns of Resistance; Fall of Mughal Empire; Interpreting the 18th Century

Lesson plan (2023-2024)

MA History, Semester-II

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Week-1- Jan 1 st – 6 th	- Introduction to Agrarian Economy
Week-2- Jan 8 th - 13 th	- Land Ownership and Production
Week-3- Jan 15 th -20 th	- Nature and Magnitude of Taxation
Week-4- Jan 22 nd -27 ^{th b}	- Agrarian Relations, Revision of Unit-1
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Week-5- Jan 29 th - Feb 3 rd	- Handicraft Production: Textiles and Agro-Industries
Week-6- Feb 5 th -10 th	- Metal Technology, Artisans
Week-7- Feb12 th -17 ^{th n}	- Mercantile Groups and their role in Production
Week-8- Feb19 th -24 th	- Revision of Unit-2, ASSIGNMENT-I
Week-9- Feb 26 th -March 2 nd	- Trade and Commerce, Currency,
Week -10- March 4 th -9 th	- Bank and Hundi System
Week-11- March 11 th -16 th	- Process of Urbanization
Week-12- March 18 th -23 rd	- Revision of Unit 3
Week-13- April 1 st - 6 th	-Systemic in the imperial system crisis, Tensions and Conflict inherent
Week-14- April 8 th -13 th	- Patterns of Resistance, Fall of Mughal Empire
Week-15- April 15 th -20 th	- Interpreting the 18 th Century, Revision of Unit-4
Week-16- April 22 nd -27 th	- ASSIGNMENT-II, Class Presentations