

Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) syllabus of Bachelor of Arts has been implemented by Vidyasagar University in the year 2018 and it has complete overview for the development of the students of History.

GENERAL

SEM-I

PAPER: DSC-1A

TITLE: ANCIENT INDIA

Course Outcome: The students will be able to develop their knowledge on the history of Ancient India, the formation of Early India, Harappan Civilisation, Vedic Age and the corpus of Vedic Literature, Mauryan Empire, Gupta Empire and state of India after the Guptas.

SEM-II

PAPER: DSC-1B

TITLE: MEDIEVAL INDIA

Course Outcome: The students will be acquainted with the historical background of the Medieval India. They will come across the nature and impact of Arab Conquest of Sindh, causes and consequences of Early Turkish invasion, the establishment and consolidation of the Sultanate, the emergence of regional powers, the socio-cultural syncretism, Bhakti & Suvi movements and many more.

SEM-III

PAPER: DSC-1C

TITLE: SELECT THEMES IN THE COLONIAL IMPACT ON INDIAN ECONOMY AND SOCIETY

Course Outcome: The students will be able to know about the social, political and economic background of colonial impact on Indian economy and society. They will be acquainted with the concept of colonial state institutions and ideologies, land settlements and agricultural change, modern industrialization, reformism and revivalism and the Islamic

PAPER: SEC-1

TITLE: THE MAKING OF INDIAN FOREIGN POLICY

Course Outcome: The students will be able to know about the historical factors in India's foreign policy priorities, the State India and the Third World, India and the South Asia, India and the Great Powers, India and Globalization, the look East Policy and the European Union and India's Nuclear Policy etc.

SEM-IV

PAPER: DSC-1D

TITLE: MODERN NATIONALISM IN INDIA

Course Outcome: The students will be acquainted with the fundamental concept of Modern Nationalism in India. They will be able to understand the emergence of nationalism in India and its historiography, economic nationalism and cultural nationalism, rise of the Indian National Congress., Anti-partition movement in 1905, Gandhi's rise to power and the roots of Communalism and Communal Award etc.

PAPER: SEC-2

TITLE: LITERATURE AND HISTORY: BENGAL

Course Outcome: The students will be acquainted with the concept of history and literature, the dichotomy between Itihasa and History, the sense of itihasa in pre-colonial period, looking at past through literature, novel as a new literary genre, power and patriotism, the Indian women of early 20th century, economic and caste discrimination, the Gandhian Movement etc.

SEM-V

PAPER: DSE-1A

TITLE: RENAISSANCE AND REFORMATION

Course Outcome: The students will be acquainted with the Political and social background in the early modern European society, the features of the early modern state, Italian city states, the merchants, the church and the social context of the renaissance, origins of humanism, the intellectual and popular anti-clericalism, Luther and the reformation, reformation in the national context, renaissance science and the emergence of a secular culture etc.

PAPER: GE-1

TITLE: THEORIES OF THE MODERN STATE

Course Outcome: The students will be able acquainted with the different theories of Modern State, the state definitions and elementary concepts, the absolutist state, the liberal state, the state of class Marxist perspective, the ideological basis of the Welfare State and its comparison with Communalism etc.

PAPER: SEC-3

TITLE: COLONIAL SCIENCE IN INDIA: INSTITUTIONS AND PRACTICES

Course Outcome: The students will be able to know the problems and perspectives of colonial India, science and colonial exploration, science in practice, science and indigenous personality like Prafulla Chandra Ray, Jagadish Bose, Mahendralal Sarkar et al. They will be acquainted with the ideas of Mahatma Gandhi and other nationalists etc.

SEM-VI

PAPER: DSE-1B

TITLE: MODERN EUROPE

Course Outcome: The students will be acquainted with the Political and social background in the Modern European society, the French Revolution and Napoleon, the revolution in the making, phases of the French Revolution, the

rise of Napoleon Bonaparte, Fall of Napoleon and the impact of Napoleon, restoration and reaction of Europe, the movements of national aspirations and the causes of the two World Wars etc.

PAPER: GE-2

TITLE: GENDER & EDUCATION IN INDIA

Course Outcome: The students will be able to develop their ideas on historiographical trends and state of pre-colonial, colonial and post-colonial of women's education. Apart from these they will be able to know the education in early and medieval times, the roles of schools and colleges in colonial and post-colonial period etc.

PAPER: SEC-4

TITLE: ART APPRECIATION AN INTRODUCTION TO INDIAN ART

Course Outcome: The students will be able to know about the rock art, Harappan arts and crafts of Prehistoric and proto historic age, canons of Indian paintings, major developments in stupa, cave, and temple art and architecture of Early Indian sculpture, style and iconography, art movements: Bengal School of Art, Progressive Artists Group etc.