

M.A IN HISTORY, 3rd SEMESTER (BACK) EXAMINATION

ASSIGNMENT QUESTIONS

Date: 10.03.2026

GROUP – A

Paper – Politico-Social and Administrative History of Ancient India (Early time to 1st Century B.C)

Total Marks: 30

Word Limit-1000

Answer any two (15x2=30)

1. Discuss the origin, extent and characteristic features of Indus civilization.
2. Give a vivid picture of socio-political and economic condition of Vedic age.
3. Discuss the rise and growth of Buddhism and its contributions to India culture.
4. Examine sources of Mouryan history with suitable examples.
5. Discuss the part Mouryan polity in southern India during the rule of Satavahanas.
6. Asses King Kharavela's political achievement.

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GROUP – B

Paper – Constitutional and Administrative History of Modern India (1773-1950)

Total Marks 30

Word Limit-1000

Answer any two (15x2=30)

1. Highlight the key features of the Regulating Act of 1773.
2. Assess the impact of Pitt's India Act of 1784 on Company administration.
3. Discuss the key features of the Government of India Act, 1919.
4. Analyze the main features of the Government of India Act, 1935.
5. Examine the main provisions of the Indian Independence Act, 1947.
6. Discuss the evolution of the Central Legislature under British rule.

GROUP – C

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Paper – History of Odisha (From Earliest times to 1434 A.D)

Total Marks 30

Word Limit-1000

Answer any two (15x2=30)

1. Examine the historical geography of ancient odisha with special Reference to Tosali, Kongoda & Kosala.
2. Analyze the political history and significance of the early Eastern Gangas in the Kalinga Region.

3. Evaluate the Reign of Anantavarman chodogangadeva as the founder of the Great Ganga Empire.
4. Analyze the social and economic conditions of odisha during the Bhaumakara period
5. Discuss the salient features of the Kalingan style of Architecture.
6. Discuss the causes & consequences of the Kalinga war of 261 BCE

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HISTORY GROUP – A

Paper – Politico-Social and Administrative History of Ancient India (1st Century B.C to 8th Century A.D)

Total Marks 30

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Answer any two (15x2=30)

1. Write a note on the foreign investigation Ancient India.
2. Discuss in detail the origin, development and consolidation of Gupta Empire in India.
3. Describe the Achievement of Pulakesini-II.
4. Discuss in detail the vegi school of Buddhist Art.
5. Write a note on Varanashrama Dharma.
6. Briefly discuss the Land grants and Agrarian Relation during Gupta and post –Gupata period.

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GROUP – B

Paper – Socio- Cultural and Economic History of Modern India

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Answer any two (15x2=30)

1. Discuss the growth and development of modern education in colonial India.
2. Examine the involvement of Christian missionaries in Indian society during British rule.
3. Describe the contribution of Vidyasagar to social reform movements in India.
4. Describe the contribution of Brahmo Samaj in the socio-religious reform movement of India.
5. Examine the role of Arya Samaj in the socio-religious reform movement of India.
6. Describe the life and contribution of Jyotiba Phule to social reform in India.

GROUP – C

Date: 11.03.2026

Paper – History of Odisha (From 1435 to 1803 A.D)

Total Marks 30

Word Limit-1000

Answer any two (15x2=30)

1. Examine the significance of Kapilendra Deva in the history of Odisha.
2. Discuss the administrative system of the Suryavamsi Gajapati dynasty.

3. Highlight the main features of Muslim administration in Odisha.
4. Analyze the role of Sri Chaitanya in transforming the religious culture of Odisha.
5. Write an essay on the administrative system of the Marathas in Odisha.
6. Give an account of the socio-economic life in medieval Odisha.

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**HISTORY
GROUP - A**

**Paper – Politico-Social and Administrative History of Ancient India
(8th Century A.D to 12th Century A.D)**

Total Marks 30

Word Limit-1000

Answer any two(15x2=30)

1. Give an account of the main features of art and architecture under the Pratihara dynasty.
2. Throw light on the socio-economic and political condition of Bengal under Palas.
3. Describe the main features of the socio-economic condition in South India during the early medieval period.
4. Discuss the origin and development of the Bhakti Movement in India.
5. Examine the origin and development of feudalism in India.
6. Trace the development of internal and external trade in India.

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GROUP – B

Paper – Nationalist Movement in India

Total Marks 30

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Answer any two(15x2=30)

1. Discuss the causes and consequences of the Revolt of 1857.
2. Highlight the factors responsible for the growth of national consciousness in colonial India.
3. Give an account of the formation, aims and objectives of the Indian National Congress.
4. Discuss the causes and consequences of the Civil Disobedience Movement.
5. Examine the significance of the Quit India Movement in India's freedom struggle.
6. Assess the significance of the Subash Chandra Bose and INA in India's independence movement.

GROUP – C

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Paper – History of Odisha (From 1803 to 1948 A.D)

Total Marks 30

Word Limit-1000

Answer any two (15x2=30)

1. Write a note on British occupation on Coastal Odisha.
2. Critically examine the role of Surendra Sai in the revolt of 1857 of Odisha.
3. Who was Chakra Bisoi ? Discuss his role in the tribal uprising of Odisha.
4. Critically analysis the socio-cultural changes in the 19th Century Odisha.
5. Discuss the role of Utkal Sammiline from 1903 to 1920in odia Nationalist movements.
6. Write a note on prajamandal movements and merger of the states in the formation separate province.

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HISTORY

Paper –Disaster Management

Assignment

Total Marks 30

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Answer any two (15x2=30)

1. "Landslide is due to, both natural and human induced causes' - Examine with examples.
2. Discuss Global warming and its Long-term environmental and socio-economic impacts.
3. What is Water Pollution? Discuss its causes and suggest measures to prevent it.
4. Examine the functions of National Disaster Management Authority and National Disaster Response Force in disaster mitigation in India.
5. Assess the role of mitigation in reducing disaster-related losses.
6. What is Industrial pollution? Examine its impact on environment and human health.
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Paper – (Society and Polity in India)

Answer any two.

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1. Write a critical note on problems of national integration in India.
2. Discuss how caste and class influence the Indian policy.
3. Discuss how Sanskritization and Westernization influence social change in India.
4. Explain the relevant constitutional provisions relating to reservation issue.
5. Discuss the meaning and factors of modernization in India.
6. Examine the reasons responsible for the crisis of governance in India.

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Paper – CULTURAL HERITAGE MANAGEMNET

Total Marks 30

Word Limit-1000

Answer any two(15x2=30)

1. What are the difference between features and components of Indian culture?
2. What are the criteria for selection of World Heritage site by UNESCO?
3. What are the objectives and strategies for Heritage Management?

4. How to develop a destination, explain?
5. Classify the Heritage Hotel with suitable examples.
6. Elucidate World Heritage monument the Sun Temple at Konark.