

DISTANCE EDUCATION REVISED B.A. SYLLABUS

B.A Ist Year-Paper I

Unit I- Early History of North East India.

- a. Geographical Setting: River System, Mountain System, Flora, Fauna and Climate.
- b. Pre-history of North East India.
- c. Pattern of Settlement.
- d. The Varman Dynasty.

Unit II- Medieval North East India.

- a. Rise of Ahom State: Sukhapha and Sudangpha.
- b. Consolidation: Suhungmung, Pratap Singha and Rudra Singha.
- c. Ahom Frontier Policy.
- d. Moamaria Rebellion and Captain Welsh's Mission.

Unit III- Modern North East India.

- a. Anglo-Burmese War and North East India (1824-1826).
- b. Treaty of Yandaboo and its Impact.
- c. Annexations (1828-1852): Assam, Cachar, Jaintia and Khasi Hills.
- d. Annexations (1864-1905): Garo Hills, Naga Hills and Lushai Hills.

Unit IV- British Policy in the Northern Frontier of Assam.

- a. Poso, Duars, Kotokies, Trade and Military Expeditions.
- b. Inner Line.
- c. Outer Line
- d. Mc Mohan Line.

Unit V- Resistance to Colonial Rule in North East India.

- a. Impact of Colonial Rule: Society, Economy and Polity.
- b. Agrarian Revolts: Phulaguri Dhewa.
- c. Freedom Struggle in North East India: Non-Cooperation and Civil Disobedience.
- d. Quit India and India's Independence.

B.A Ist Year-Paper II

Unit I- Early India

- a. Sources: Archaeological and Literary.
- b. Indus Valley Civilisation: Extent, Basic Features and Decline.
- c. Early Vedic Cultures: Polity, Society and Economy.
- e. Later Vedic Cultures: Polity, Society and Economy and Religion.

Unit II- 6th Century BC and Rise of Heterodox Sects.

- a. Buddhism.
- b. Jainism.
- c. Moamaria Rebellion and Captain Welsh's Mission.

Unit III- Early States

- a. Mauryas: Chandragupta Maurya, Asoka and Decline.
- b. The Sungas, Indo-Greeks and the Kushanas.
- c. Guptas: Samudragupta, Chandragupta II, Art and Architecture.
- d. The Pallavas and The Chalukyas.

Unit IV- Delhi Sultanate.

- a. Mamluks: Qutub-uddin-Aibak, Iltutmish and Balban.
- b. Khiljis: Alauddin Khilji.
- c. Tughlaqs: Muhammed-bin-Tughlaq, Firoz Shah Tughlaq.
- e. Society, Economy and Literature under the Sultanate.

Unit V- Decline of the Delhi Sultanate.

- a. Vijaynagar Kingdom: Krishna Deva Raya, Socio-Economic Condition, Administration and Contribution to Art and Culture.
- b. Bahmani Kingdom: Administration and Decline.
- c. The Afghans: The Lodhis.

B.A IIInd Year-Paper III

Unit I- Mughal India.

- a. Babur: Foundation.
- b. Sher Shah Suri: Administration
- c. Akbar: Mansabdari System and Din-i-Ilahi.
- d. Shah Jahan: Art and Architecture.

Unit II- Crisis of Mughal Empire.

- a. Aurangzeb: Administration.
- b. Marathas: Shivaji, Administration.
- c. Rise of Regional Polities: Bengal, Awadh and Mysore.

Unit III- Struggle for Supremacy: Expansion and Consolidation Colonial Rule.

- a. Anglo-French Rivalry.
- b. Advent of British Rule in India.
- c. Warren Hastings, Cornwallis, Wellesley and Dalhousie.
- d. Resistance to British Rule: Maharashtra, Punjab, Sindh and Mysore.

Unit IV- Emerging Contours.

- a. Renaissance I-Ram Mohan Roy and Brahmo Samaj.
- b. 1857: Causes, Nature and Significance.
- c. Renaissance II-Ramakrishna, Vivekananda and Dayanand Saraswati.
- d. Syed Ahmed Khan and the Aligarh Movement.

Unit V- India National Movement.

- a. Emergence of Nationalism.
- b. Predecessors of the Congress and Formation of the Congress.
- c. Early Nationalists: Programmes and Policies and Extremists.
- d. Mass Movements: Non-Cooperation, Civil Disobedience, Quit India and India's Independence.

B.A IInd Year-Paper IV

Unit I- Rise of Modern World.

- a. Fall of Constantinople.
- b. Renaissance and Reformation.
- c. Industrial Revolution: Causes and Effects.

Unit II- French Revolution and its Aftermath.

- a. French Revolution: Causes and Significance.
- b. Napoleon as a Reformer.
- c. Congress of Vienna.

Unit III- Rise of Nation States.

- a. Germany.
- b. Italy.
- c. Congress of Berlin.

Unit IV- Imperialism, Revolution and Totalitarian States.

- a. World War I: Causes, Effects and Treaty of Versailles.
- b. The Russian Revolution.
- c. Nazism in Germany.
- d. Fascism in Italy.

Unit V- World War II and Post-War Movements.

- a. World War II: Causes and Effects.
- b. Colonialism and Nationalism in Asia: Burma, Indonesia and Vietnam.