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Rabindra Bharati University

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M.A. Part-I

History

Assignment for SRS

Paper I

Full Marks- 20

The figures in the right margin indicate marks

First Half

Answer any one.

1. Analyse the contribution of Asiatic Society towards Oriental learning. 10
2. How did Bankim Chandra evaluate the traditional Indian social system by his thought?10

Second Half

Answer any one.

3. Discuss the background, nature and significance of the Faraizi Movement in Bengal. 10
4. Discuss the role of press in the growth of national consciousness in 19th century Bengal. 10

Paper II

Full Marks- 20

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First Half

Answer any one.

1. What were the natures of traditional resistance movements against colonial rule? Would you argue that the Mopilah Uprising in South was an expression of religious fanaticism? 10
2. Describe different trends in the Swadeshi Movement in Bengal. 10

Second Half

Answer any one.

3. Discuss the role of revolutionary militant nationalism in India and abroad during the period 1912-1920. What was its impact on Indian national movement? 10
4. Discuss the economic policy of Nehruvian government with special reference to three five year plans. 10

Paper III

Full Marks- 20

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First Half

Answer any one.

1. Discuss the major historical debates regarding forest policy introduced under the British rule in India. 10
2. Examine the genesis of the introduction of the Permanent Settlement in land in Bengal. 10

Second Half

Answer any one.

3. Discuss the impact of the great economic depression on Indian rural economy. 10
4. Evaluate the views of Neil Charlesworth regarding the emergence of rich peasantry under the Raj. 10

Paper IV

Full Marks-20

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First Half

Answer any one.

1. What are the main features of Whig interpretation of History. 10
2. Do you agree with the view that in History facts are sacred opinion is free. 10

Second Half

Answer any one.

3. Discuss the impact of Foucault's writing in history writing. 10
4. How did the Subaltern group interpret the Indian Nationalism. 10