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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.A. Honours 6th Semester Examination, 2024

CC13-HISTORY

HISTORY OF INDIA VIII C. 1857-1950

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

CATEGORY-I

Answer any four questions

3×4 = 12

1. Write a short note on Swami Vivekananda. 3
2. Explain the concept of ‘Swadeshi’ and ‘Boycott’. 3
3. Write a short note on the Chauri Chaura incident. 3
4. Write a note on the Jallianwallabagh Massacre. 3
5. In which year was the Muslim League formed? Analyse the aims and objectives of the League. 1+2
6. What is the Bhoodan Movement? 3

CATEGORY-II

Answer any four questions

6×4 = 24

7. What were the social and religious conditions in India that led to the emergence of Brahmo Samaj Movement? What led to its split? 4+2
8. Assess the contribution of Bhagat Singh to the Indian Freedom Struggle. 6
9. Write a short note on Farazi Movement. 6
10. Write a short note on Gandhiji’s concept about ‘Hind Swaraj’ and Trusteeship. 6
11. Write a note on the contribution of Baba Saheb Ambedkar for upliftment of the Untouchables. 6
12. Examine the role of the INA towards the independence of India. 6

CATEGORY-III

Answer any two questions

12×2 = 24

13. Trace the genesis of the Indian National Congress. 12
14. Assess the contribution of Raja Rammohan Roy in the making of modern India. 12
15. Give an account of the Quit India Movement. What was its importance? 8+4
16. How far the Partition of India was inevitable? 12

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CC14-HISTORY**HISTORY OF MODERN EUROPE: (1780-1939)**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.***CATEGORY-I****Answer any four questions****3×4 = 12**

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| 1. | Write a short note on John Locke. | 3 |
| 2. | Define New-Liberalism. | 3 |
| 3. | What is Kultur Kampf? | 3 |
| 4. | Write a short note on Communist International. | 3 |
| 5. | Write a short note on the Potsdam Conference. | 3 |
| 6. | Who was Pablo Picasso? | 3 |

CATEGORY-II**Answer any four questions****6×4 = 24**

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| 7. | Write a short note on the Emancipation of Serfs in Russia. | 6 |
| 8. | Write a short note on Triple Entente. | 6 |
| 9. | Assess the role of Lenin in the October Revolution. | 6 |
| 10. | Write in brief about the impact of Romanticism in Literature. | 6 |
| 11. | Write a note on Liberal Democracy. | 6 |
| 12. | How did culture play an important role for the growth of nationalism in Europe in the 20th Century? | 6 |

CATEGORY-III**Answer any two questions****12×2 = 24**

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| 13. | How would you explain the growth of the working class movements in the 19th and 20th century Europe? | 12 |
| 14. | Analyse the factors behind the rise of Imperialism. | 12 |
| 15. | What conditions in post-war Italy favoured the rise of Fascism? | 12 |
| 16. | Trace the genesis of the Second World War. | 12 |

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DSE-P3-HISTORY

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**The question paper contains two parts: Part-I and Part-II.
The candidates are required to answer any *one* from *two* parts.
Candidates should mention it clearly on the Answer Book.**

PART-I

HISTORY OF AFRICA (1500-1960S)

CATEGORY-I

Answer any *four* questions

3×4 = 12

1. Write a short note on Patrice Lumumba.
2. Write a short note on Central African Federation.
3. What was Agadir incident?
4. Write a short note on Jomo Kenyatta.
5. Write a note on Tanganyika African National Union (TANU).
6. What is Pan Africanism?

CATEGORY-II

Answer any *four* questions

6×4 = 24

7. Write a note on African National Congress.
8. Examine Nehru's approach to 'Apartheid'.
9. Write a short note on Eastern African Travellers.
10. What were the causes and consequences of the Scramble for Africa in the late nineteenth century?
11. What role did Nelson Mandela play in the struggle for independence?
12. What were the causes for the Anglo-Boer War?

CATEGORY-III

Answer any *two* questions

12×2 = 24

13. How did African nations navigate the challenges of decolonization and nation-building in the Post-World War II era?

14. How did colonialism shape the political, social and economic landscape of Africa?
15. Outline the achievements of Kwame Nkrumah.
16. How did the Atlantic Slave trade impact African societies and economies?

PART-II

HISTORY OF NORTH BENGAL-I

CATEGORY-I

Answer any four questions

3×4 = 12

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| 1. | Write a note on Varendra. | 3 |
| 2. | Write a brief note on the importance of river Karatoya. | 3 |
| 3. | Write a note on Kamteswari temple of Gosanimari. | 3 |
| 4. | Trace the importance of Jagjivanpur copper plate inscription. | 3 |
| 5. | Write a short note on Raja Ganesh. | 3 |
| 6. | Write a note on Chila Rai. | 3 |

CATEGORY-II

Answer any four questions

6×4 = 24

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| 7. | Discuss the temple architecture of North Bengal under the Pala-Sena rule. | 6 |
| 8. | Write a note on Pundravardhan. | 6 |
| 9. | Review the development of Vaishavism in North Bengal. | 6 |
| 10. | Write a note on Jalpesh Temple. | 6 |
| 11. | Write a short note on Khen dynasty. | 6 |
| 12. | Trace the significance of the Iliyas Shahi rule in Bengal. | 6 |

CATEGORY-III

Answer any two questions

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| 13. | Give a brief description of the cities of Ancient North Bengal. | 12 |
| 14. | Discuss the religious and architectural aspect of the Buddhist Monasteries in ancient Northern Bengal. | 12 |
| 15. | Evaluate the invasion of Bhaktiyar Khilji in North Bengal. | 12 |
| 16. | Discuss the rise of Kamata-Koch dynasty up to 1773. | 12 |

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PART-I

HISTORY OF LATIN AMERICA (1500-1960s)

CATEGORY-I

Answer any *four* questions

3×4 = 12

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| 1. | Write a short note on Aztecs. | 3 |
| 2. | Write a short note on King John of Portugal. | 3 |
| 3. | Write a short note on Mestizo culture. | 3 |
| 4. | What was the impact of American Silver on European economy? | 3 |
| 5. | Who was Che Guevara? | 3 |
| 6. | Write a short note on Good Neighbour Policy of 1933. | 3 |

CATEGORY-II

Answer any *four* questions

6×4 = 24

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| 7. | Write a short note on Cuban Missile Crisis. | 6 |
| 8. | Write a short note on Simon Bolivar. | 6 |
| 9. | What kind of racial and social hierarchies existed in Colonial Spanish and Portuguese America? How did they change, if at all, overtime? | 6 |
| 10. | Discuss the role of Catholic Church in colonial Latin America. | 6 |
| 11. | What factors and motivations led to Spanish and Portuguese expansion across the Atlantic Ocean? | 6 |
| 12. | To what extent was the Mexican Revolution a bourgeois revolution? | 6 |

CATEGORY-III

Answer any *two* questions

12×2 = 24

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| 13. | To what extent is the concept of 'racial slavery' useful to understand the history of slavery in Latin America? | 12 |
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| 14. | What were the economic strategies of the Spaniards and Portuguese in different regions of Latin America? | 12 |
| 15. | Compare and contrast independence movement in Mexico, Peru and Brazil. What were the consequences of the difference between them? | 12 |
| 16. | How did the cold war affect Latin America in the aftermath of World War II? | 12 |

PART-II**HISTORY OF NORTH BENGAL-II****CATEGORY-I****Answer any four questions****3×4 = 12**

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| 1. | Explain the 'Regulated' and 'Non-Regulated' areas of Colonial North Bengal. | 3 |
| 2. | Write a short note on DHR. | 3 |
| 3. | Who was Jitu Santhal? What was his contribution in Indian Freedom Struggle? | 1+2 |
| 4. | Write a short note on Hili Mail Dacoity. | 3 |
| 5. | Trace the contribution of Rev. J. A. Graham in promotion of Western education in Kalimpong. | 3 |
| 6. | Write a note on Dooars Planters Association. | 3 |

CATEGORY-II**Answer any four questions****6×4 = 24**

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| 7. | Write a brief note on Second Anglo-Bhutanese War. | 6 |
| 8. | Write a note on Dhimals or Limbus. | 6 |
| 9. | Examine the chief features of Jotedari system in Northern Bengal. | 6 |
| 10. | Examine the role of women in Tebhaga Movement. | 6 |
| 11. | Discuss briefly on the Jute cultivation in North Bengal. | 6 |
| 12. | Write a short note on Hita Sadhani Sabha. | 6 |

CATEGORY-III**Answer any two questions****12×2 = 24**

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| 13. | Analyse the circumstances that led to the annexation of Darjeeling Hill in 1835. | 12 |
| 14. | Discuss about the Sanyasi-Fakir Movement in North Bengal. | 12 |
| 15. | Examine the Urbanisation Process in Siliguri. | 12 |
| 16. | Discuss the role of Rai Saheb Panchanan Barma in the Rajbanshi Caste Mobility movement in North Bengal. | 12 |

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