

EIILM University

**DIRECTORATE OF DISTANCE
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**SYLLABUS BOOKLET
Year - I TO II**

**MASTER OF ARTS – HISTORY
(M.A – HI)**

JAN 2010 ONWARDS

SYLLABUS
MASTER OF ARTS – HISTORY
YEAR – I

INDIA IN THE ANCIENT AGE

Sub. Code: MAHI/Y/110

Credits: 02

Total Marks: 100
Marks: 40%

Minimum Pass

Internal Assessment: 40 Marks

University Examination: 60 Marks

- The Ancient Geographical Back ground of Indian subcontinent.
- Important sources of Indian History.
- Elements of Pre and Proto-History
- Indus Valley Civilization
- Vedic Period
- Jainism and Buddhism
- Republics and Kingdoms
- Foreign Invasion on India
- Mauryan Age
- Political development in North India in Post Mauryan Period
- Shung , Kanva and Satvahanas Dynasty.
- Guptas Kingdom: Political Achievements
- Vardhan Empire
- Rajput Era
- Development of South Indian Peninsula
- Kingdoms of Southern India
- Social and Cultural Conditions of North India
- Colonial and Cultural Expansion of India

SYLLABUS
MASTER OF ARTS – HISTORY
YEAR – I

INDIA IN THE MEDIEVAL AGE

Sub. Code: MAHI/Y/120

Credits: 02

Total Marks: 100
Marks: 40%

Minimum Pass

Internal Assessment: 40 Marks

University Examination: 60 Marks

Part-I

- Introduction
- Rise of Islam and Conquest of Sind
- The Invasion of Northern India by Mohamed Ghaznavi
- Shahab-ud-din Mohammed Ghori and Conquest of Hindustan
- Slave Dynasty
- Ghias-UD-Din Balban
- The Khilji Dynasty
- Ala-ud-din Khilji and Mangol Invasion
- Administration of Ala-ud-din Khilji
- Tughlaq Dynasty
- The Sayyid Dynasty
- Lodhi Dynasty
- Independent States of Northern and Southern India
- Administrative system of Sultanate Period
- Indian Society, Literature and Art in Sultanate Period.
- Mongol Invasions and Their Effects
- Bhakti Movement or Religious condition in Sultanate Period
- Down fall of Delhi Sultanate

Part-II

- Some Short Notes
- He Condition of India on the Eve of Babar's Invasion
- Foundation of the Mughal Rule in India: Babar
- Humayun
- Sher shah suri and his Successors
- Akbar , the Great Mughal King
- Jahangir and Noorjahan
- Shahjahan
- Aurangzeb Alamgir
- Some Important policies of Mughal King
- Economic condition under the Mughals
- Social and Religious conditions in the Mughal period
- Art , Literature and Education under the Mughals
- Later Mughals and Downfall of Mughal Empire
- Rise of Sikh power
- The rise of Maratha power under the Shivaji

**SYLLABUS
MASTER OF ARTS – HISTORY
YEAR – I**

MODERN INDIA

Sub. Code: MAHI/Y/130

Credits: 02

**Total Marks: 100
Marks: 40%**

Minimum Pass

Internal Assessment: 40 Marks

University Examination: 60 Marks

- Decline and fall of Mughal Empire.
- Social and Economic condition of India
- Rising of Independent Empires
- Rise of Mysore Empire
- The Sikh Empire
- Anglo-Sikh wars
- Avadh Empire
- Beginning of European Establishments
- Anglo French Conflict
- Rise of British in Bengal
- Era of Administration and Reforms of East India Company
- Non-Intervention and Forward policies
- Socio-Religious Movement
- Constitutional Development 1773-1858
- The India Mutiny 1857-58
- Annexation of Awadh
- Indian under the Crown 1858-99
- The Economic Condition of India During British Rule
- Causes of Poverty in India during British Period

- Development of Modern Industries in India
- Changes in Policies for Different classes
- Constitutional Development, 1858-1947
- The National movement
- Muslim Communalism
- The Development of Education and press

**SYLLABUS
MASTER OF ARTS – HISTORY
YEAR – I**

HISTORY OF THE EUROPE

Sub. Code: MAHI/Y/140

Credits: 02

**Total Marks: 100
Marks: 40%**

Minimum Pass

Internal Assessment: 40 Marks

University Examination: 60 Marks

Part-I

- European society in 1815 A.D.
- The Concert of Europe
- The age of Metternich 1815-1848 AD
- Tempo of Industrial , Commercial and Social change
- Development of Liberal and Democratic Movement in Europe
- Movements for national Unification
- Second republic of France
- Russia: 1855-81 A.D.
- The eastern Question (1840-70 A.D.) and Crimea War
- Unification of Italy (1849-1870 A.D.)
- Unification of Germany(1849-70 A.D)

Part-II

- New era: 1870-1919 A.D.
- Social changes and Political developments in France, Germany and Russia. 1914
- The International States Systems
- Impact of World War-I on Europe

Part-III

- Quest for Peace and Disarmament
- Collapse of Liberal Democracy and rise of Dictatorship
- Economic Crisis between two World wars
- Second World war

**SYLLABUS
MASTER OF ARTS – HISTORY
YEAR – II**

HISTORY OF MEDIEVAL ENGLAND

Sub. Code: MAHI/Y/210

Credits: 02

**Total Marks: 100
Marks: 40%**

Minimum Pass

Internal Assessment: 40 Marks

University Examination: 60 Marks

- . England Before the Modern Era
- . Roman Rule Over Britain (55 BC to AD 450)
- . The Later Norman Rulers-Plantagenet's
- . The Tudors (1485 to 1603 AD)
- . Henry VIII
- . Reformation During Tudor Age
- . Edward VI (1547-1553 AD)
- . Elizabeth I (1558-1603 AD)
- . Socio-Economic Condition of Tudor Period
- . James I (1603 to 1625)
- . Charles I (1625-1649 AD) and Civil War (1642-1649 AD)
- . Oliver Cromwell (1599-1658)
- . Restoration and Charles II
- . James II (1685-1689) and the Glorious Revolution of 1688
- . Glorious Revolution and Its Consequences

**SYLLABUS
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YEAR – II**

HISTORY OF MODERN ENGLAND

Sub. Code: MAHI/Y/220

Credits: 02

**Total Marks: 100
Marks: 40%**

Minimum Pass

Internal Assessment: 40 Marks

University Examination: 60 Marks

- . Rule of William, Mary and Queen Anne
- . The House of Hanover
- . Pin the Elder and Seven Years' War
- . George III and Pitt the Younger
- . Era of Revolution and Progress
- . England between 1816 to 1831 and Parliamentary Reforms of 19th century
- . Britain and Her Colonies
- . Queen Victoria (1837-1902)
- . Peel Palmerstone and Chartism
- . Gladstone and Disraeli
- . George V (1910-1936) and the First World War
- . Peace Settlement and the League of Nations
- . United Nations Organization
- . Great Britain and the Commonwealth
- . Contemporary Great Britain

**SYLLABUS
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HISTORY OF JAPAN

Sub. Code: MAHI/Y/230

Credits: 02

**Total Marks: 100
Marks: 40%**

Minimum Pass

Internal Assessment: 40 Marks

University Examination: 60 Marks

- Decline of the Tokugawas
- The Meiji Restoration
- Modernization in Japan
- The Meiji Constitution
- Rise of Political Parties
- The Sino-Japanese War (1894-95)
- The Russo-Japanese War (1904-05)
- Japan in Manchuria
- Rise of Militarism in Japan
- Japan after World War II
- The Expedition of Commodore Perry
- The Imperial Oath of Five Articles
- The Iwakura Mission
- The Land Reform Act of 1873-1881
- Revision of the Unequal Treaties
- Fukoku Kyohei
- Popular Rights Movements
- Anglo-Japanese Alliance(1902)

- Peace Preservation Law of 1925
- The Shinto
- The Genro
- Zaibatsu
- Washington Conference (1921-22)
- The London Naval Conference
- The 21 Demands of Japan
- Japan Communist Party
- February Incident
- New Order in East Asia

**SYLLABUS
MASTER OF ARTS – HISTORY
YEAR – II**

HISTORY OF CHINA

Sub. Code: MAHI/Y/240

Credits: 02

**Total Marks: 100
Marks: 40%**

Minimum Pass

Internal Assessment: 40 Marks

University Examination: 60 Marks

- China In 17th Century
- China In 18th Century
- Chinese Republic to Dictatorship(1912-1916)
- The Republic Of Warlords(1916-1921)
- The May Forth Movement
- China in 1921
- Foundation Of Communism in China
- The Growth Of The Revolution from 1924-1927
- China Under Guomintang
- The communist Movement 1927-1934
- The Long March
- The Guomintang War and the Japanese Occupation
- The Communist movement 1937-1945
- The Fall Of the Guomintang 1945-1949
- Nationalist Collapse and the coming to power of the peoples Republic Of China.