

1m/HIS-100 Syllabus-2023

2024

(December)

FYUP : 1st Semester Examination

MINOR

HISTORY

**(History of India : Earliest Times to
the Post-Vedic Period)**

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Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

Answer any **five** questions

1. Discuss the literary sources of ancient Indian history. 15
2. Write a note on the imperialist approach to the study of early Indian history. 15
3. Describe the distribution of Palaeolithic culture of the Indian subcontinent. 15

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4. Examine the different characteristic features of Neolithic culture in India. 15
5. Highlight the Chalcolithic culture of Ahar or Jorwe. 15
6. Describe the socio-economic life of the Harappan Civilization. $7\frac{1}{2}+7\frac{1}{2}=15$
7. Write a note on the polity and religion of the Rig-Vedic period. 15
8. Describe the life and teachings of Mahavira. $5+10=15$
9. Trace the rise of Magadha as a paramount political power during the Sixth Century BC. 15
10. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : $7\frac{1}{2}\times 2=15$
 - (a) Geographical background of Indian culture
 - (b) Mesolithic tool technology
 - (c) Harappan religion
 - (d) Eight-fold path
