

M.A. History (Final)
Group - B
Paper - IX
Ancient Indian Society & Culture

Max. Marks: 100
Time: 3 Hours

Note: 10 questions shall be set in the paper spread over the entire syllabus more or less proportionately, out of which the candidates shall be required to attempt five questions, selecting at least one question from each unit. All questions shall carry equal marks.

UNIT - I

1. Enquiries into Socio-Cultural life of harap an people.
2. Vedic society
3. Buddhist Society.
4. Mauryan Society
5. Gupta Society
6. Early Medieval Society

UNIT - II

7. Family Organisation
8. Varna
9. Asramas
10. Sanskaras
11. Purusarthas
12. Marriage
13. Caste
14. Slavery
15. Untouchability
16. Labour

UNIT - III

Social institutions & socio cultural developments

17. Education and Educational Institutions.
18. Status of Women (Customary and Legal) :
a) Family b) Marriage
c) Eduation d) Property Rights
19. Kusanas
20. Satvahanas
21. Syncretic elements of Indian Society
22. Sangam Age : Society and Culture
23. Communication and Social Cohesion