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**UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL**  
B.A. Honours 1st Semester Examination, 2023

**CC2-HISTORY**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

**GROUP-A**

**Answer any four of the following questions**

3×4 = 12

1. Write a short note on 'Mesolithic tools'. 3
2. Discuss briefly Gordon Child's 'Oasis Theory Culture Model'. 3
3. Write a short note on the significance of the term 'Urban revolution'. 3
4. Write a short note on 'Deme'. 3
5. Define 'tyranny' in Ancient Greece. 3
6. Write a short note on any one Greek philosopher. 3

**GROUP-B**

**Answer any four of the following questions**

6×4 = 24

7. Discuss briefly important biological stages in the evolution of mankind. 6
8. What were the means of subsistence of the Paleolithic people? 6
9. Write a note on the domestication of animals. 6
10. Discuss briefly the causes for the decline of the Polis in Ancient Greece. 6
11. Examine the major aspect of Greek Culture. 6
12. Examine the main features of Spartan Oligarchy. 6

**GROUP-C**

**Answer any two of the following questions**

12 × 2 = 24

13. Give a brief account of periodisation of Paleolithic Culture. 12
14. What led to the domestication of animals? What was its impact on human and animal species? 2+10
15. Discuss the various factors that led to the emergence of Bronze age Civilization with reference to any 'One'. 12
  - (a) Mesopotamia Civilization (upto Akkadian Empire)
  - (b) Egypt (Old Kingdom)
  - (c) China (Shang)
  - (d) Eastern Mediterranean (Minoan) economy.
16. Discuss briefly the nature of conflict of aristocracy with peasantry and how did it culminate in the establishment of Democracy. 12

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