



‘समानो मन्त्रः समितिः समानी’

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.A. Honours 1st Semester Examination, 2022

CC1-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. What is the historical importance of Kalhana's Rajtarangini? 3
2. Write a short note on Microliths. 3
3. Write in brief on the Harappan Seals. 3
4. Write a short note on the chief characteristics of Vedic religion. 3
5. What are the basic differences between the Svetambaras and Digambaras? 3
6. Write a short note on Makkhali Gosala. 3

GROUP-B

Answer any four of the following questions

6×4 = 24

7. Give the contribution of the foreign travellers account on the reconstruction of Ancient Indian History. 6
8. Write a note on the Rock Art during your period of study. 6
9. What are the chief features of Neolithic Culture? 6
10. Give an account on the Harappan trade. 6
11. What are the main features of the Iron Age Cultures with special reference to Painted grey ware and Northern black polished ware? 6
12. How did Buddhism and Jainism promote the process of urbanisation? 6

GROUP-C

Answer any two of the following questions

12×2 = 24

13. Discuss the changes in stone tool technology from Lower Paleolithic, Middle Paleolithic and Upper Paleolithic phase. 12
14. Enumerate the problems of urban decay of the Harappan Culture. 12
15. Discuss the changes in the position of women during the early to later Vedic Period. 12
16. Write an essay on the Sangam Literature. 12

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