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**M A DEGREE (CSS) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2023**

**First Semester**

**CORE - HY010101 - PERSPECTIVES ON HISTORIOGRAPHY**

M A HISTORY, MA HISTORICAL STUDIES

2019 ADMISSION ONWARDS

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Time: 3 Hours

Weightage: 30

**Part A (Short Answer Questions)**

*Answer any **eight** questions.*

*Weight 1 each.*

1. Vamsavalicarita
2. Bardic oral traditions
3. Musakavamsa
4. The Law of the three Stages
5. Dialectical Materialism
6. Cultural Marxism
7. Mentalities history
8. Serial History
9. Metahistory
10. Paul Thompson

(8×1=8 weightage)



**Part B (Short Essay/Problems)**

*Answer any **six** questions.*

*Weight 2 each.*

11. Bring out the concept of time in ancient India and the changing morals in the society.
12. Assess the importance of Sangam literature in reconstructing South Indian History.
13. Discuss the impact of scientific revolution on historiography.
14. Examine the significance of history from below.
15. What are the major findings of Marc Bloch in *Royal Touch*?
16. Critically examine the arguments of Ferdinand Braudel in *Civilization and Capitalism*.
17. Describe the characteristic features of Annales School.
18. Debate the arguments of Keith Jenkins.

(6×2=12 weightage)

**Part C (Essay Type Questions)**

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Weight 5 each.*

19. Discuss the nature and ideology of historiography in Mughal India.
20. Critically examine Ranke's notions of historiography.
21. Discuss the contributions of Carlo Ginsburg in the development of Micro History.
22. Make a critical analysis of the works of Michel Foucault and assess the departures in historiography.

(2×5=10 weightage)

