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**M.A. DEGREE (C.S.S ) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2019**

**First Semester**

Faculty of Social Sciences

HISTORY

**Core - HY010102 - TRANSITION FROM PRE-STATE TO STATE SOCIETIES IN INDIAN HISTORY**

2019 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Weight :30

**Part A (Short Answer Questions)**

*Answer any **eight** questions.*

*Weight 1 each.*

1. E.j.Hobsbawm
2. Hindu polity
3. Mother goddess
4. Pasupati siva
5. City administration
6. Exogamy
7. Rajanya
8. Gangetic zone
9. Vinayapitaka
10. Indica

(8×1=8 weightage)

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

*Answer any **six** questions.*

*Weight 2 each.*

11. Describe the contributions of nationalist historians





12. Discuss the ecological explanation of Montesquie on asian state and society
13. Enumerate salient features of town planning in the Indus civilization
14. What is the significance of unicorn seals
15. Narrate the state and society in the vedic period
16. Briefly discuss the philosophical speculations of the vedic period
17. Make a critical assessment of Asoka' s Dhamma
18. Make a critical review of Kautilya's Arthasastra

(6×2=12 weightage)

**Part C (Essay Type Questions)**

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Weight **5** each.*

19. Explain the major aspects of ancient indian state and society
20. Make a critical assessment of the Political organization of Indus civilization
21. Describe the nature of polity in the age of Mahajanapadas
22. Critically examine the recent interpretations of Mauryan state

(2×5=10 weightage)

