



M A DEGREE (CSS) EXAMINATION , NOVEMBER 2020

Second Semester

M A HISTORY

CORE - HY010203 - DEBATES ON MEDIEVAL INDIA

2019 Admission Onwards B5BB375C

Time: 3 Hours Weightage: 30

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions.

Weight **1** each.

- 1. Oriental Despotism
- 2. Cultural Nationalism
- 3. Aligarh School of Historiography
- 4. Raghunath Ray Kayastha
- 5. Jodha Bai
- 6. Silsilah
- 7. Paikasht
- 8. "Deccan Ulcer"
- 9. "Zinda Pir"
- 10. Third Battle of Panipat

(8×1=8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions.

Weight **2** each.

- 11. Discuss about the politics of medieval sources and its interpertations by historians belonging to various perspectives
- 12. What are the views of Kesavan Veluthatt regarding feudalism in South India?
- 13. Comment on women artists in Mughal India
- 14. How will you account for the religious plurality and co existense in Mughal India?



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- 15. What were the type of ornamnets used by woermn in medieval India?
- 16. Critically examine the role of the sultanate nobilty in administration of the state
- 17. Discuss the causes and effects of Jat revolt against Mughal during the reign of Aurangazeb
- 18. Explain about Commercial capitalism in India. Whether it can be seen as a transitional period between Feudalism to Capitalism

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any **two** questions.

Weight **5** each.

- 19. What were the important characterstics of Indo-Islamic historiography
- 20. Examine the recent orientations in studying medieval India through a global trans regional outlook.
- 21. How do you look at the amalgamation of Islamic and Hindu culture in late medieval India?
- 22. Was there a decline of Mughal India or was there a change in the location of power from centre to regions? (2×5=10 weightage)

