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First Semester B.A. Degree Examination, June 2022

First Degree Programme under CBCSS

History

Core Course – I

HY 1141 : METHODOLOGY AND PERSPECTIVES OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

(2020 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Instruction : Answer can be written either in Malayalam or in English.

PART – A

Answer all questions in one word or in one or two sentences. Each question carries 1 mark.

1. 'The Persian War'
2. 'On Heroes, Hero Worship and the Heroic History'
3. R.C. Majumdar
4. Social Science
5. Oral History
6. Structuralism
7. Adam Smith

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8. Matrilineal system
9. Exogamy
10. Social Facts

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

PART – B

Answer any **eight** of the following questions for **one** paragraph each. Each question carries **2** marks.

11. Thucydides
12. Thomas Carlyle on history
13. Subjectivity
14. Interdisciplinary approach
15. 'Agrarian System of Mughal India'
16. Epistemology
17. Scope of Social Sciences
18. Culture
19. Society
20. Gender history
21. Historical Method
22. Max Weber
23. Patriarchy

- 24. Empirical studies
- 25. Comparative Method
- 26. Community

PART – C

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

Answer any six of the following questions in not more than 120 words each. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 27. Bring out the uses of history.
- 28. Examine the features of the Marxian concept of history.
- 29. Discuss the contributions of Irfan Habib towards medieval Indian historiography.
- 30. Describe the contributions of Ramachandra Guha in historical studies.
- 31. What do you know about Positivism?
- 32. Describe the relationship between History and Sociology.
- 33. Write on the significance of interdisciplinary approach in social science studies.
- 34. Bring out the features of class.
- 35. Analyse the contributions of Auguste Comte in sociological studies.
- 36. Give an account of the characteristics of caste system.
- 37. Examine different types of families round in India.
- 38. Give an account of the importance and features of Micro history.

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

PART – D

Answer any **two** of the following questions. Each question carries **15** marks.

39. Examine various definitions of history.
40. Analyse the features and merits of Social Sciences.
41. Examine the relevance of Subaltern studies.
42. Analyse the scope of History.
43. Examine the significance of Gender studies.
44. Describe various branches of Social Sciences.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)