

B.A.LL.B.(Hons)(5 Year Course)(with Credits)-Regular-Semester 2012 Sem I  
**0584-Course Code 1.4 : History-I Paper-IV**

P. Pages : 2

Time : Three Hours



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Max. Marks : 80

- Notes : 1. Attempt **eight (08)** questions in all including question no. **1** which is compulsory.  
2. All questions carry equal marks.

**1.** Choose the correct alternative :

- i) What is the meaning of the term 'Numismatics' ?
  - a) Study of coins
  - b) Study of Paintings
  - c) Study of inscriptions
  - d) Study of civilizations
- ii) Which of the following is not a language of ancient India ?
  - a) Pali
  - b) Prakrit
  - c) Sanskrit
  - d) Urdu
- iii) Which of the following is considered as the largest and oldest upnishad ?
  - a) Kena
  - b) Brihatdaranyaka
  - c) Ish
  - d) Yetreya
- iv) Who among the following Chinese pilgrims is popularly known as the 'Prince of Pilgrims' ?
  - a) Fahein
  - b) Itsing
  - c) Hiuen Tsang
  - d) None of the above
- v) What was the highest court of appeal in case of a monarchical form of government in ancient India ?
  - a) Puga Court
  - b) Sreni Court
  - c) Kula Court
  - d) Royal court of Justice
- vi) What was the Chief reason leading to the implementation of 'Ordeals' in ancient judiciary ?
  - a) Belief in divine intervention on behalf of the just and innocent
  - b) method of extracting the truth
  - c) tendency of the judges to inflict harsher form of punishment
  - d) A way to teach lessons to the Culprit in front of the public
- vii) Who was the first ruler to create a permanent 'Council of Ministers' in ancient India ?
  - a) Asoka
  - b) Chandragupta Maurya
  - c) Kaniska
  - d) Samudragupta
- viii) What was the capital of famous Gupta Empire ?
  - a) Taxila
  - b) Kanauj
  - c) Pataliputra
  - d) Rajagriha
- ix) What was the term applied to the head of a republic in ancient India ?
  - a) Ganpati
  - b) Samrat
  - c) Ektrat
  - d) Bhoja

x) How many 'Ashrama's were there in ancient India ?

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| a) 02 | b) 04 |
| c) 06 | d) 08 |

2. Give an account of various archaeological sources necessary for the reconstruction of ancient Indian history.
3. Evaluate the role of Brahminical literature in the rewriting of ancient Indian history.
4. What do you mean by the 'Jury System' ? Explain in detail the judicial procedure prevalent in ancient India.
5. Write a brief note on various popular courts working in ancient India.
6. Describe the executive, judicial and military duties of a king in ancient India.
7. Elaborate the qualifications and role of ministers in ancient India.
8. Discuss the salient features of vedic administration.
9. Give an account of the Gupta administration.
10. Write a brief note on popular republics in ancient India.
11. Throw light on the administration of villages in ancient India.
12. Give an account of ancient Indian cultural heritage.

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