

**2020/TDC(CBCS)/ODD/SEM/  
HISDSE-501T (A/B/C)/320**

**TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2020  
held in March, 2021**

**HISTORY**

**( 5th Semester )**

Course No. : HISDSE-501T

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

Honours students will answer either from Option—A  
or Option—B. Pass students will answer  
from Option—C

**OPTION—A**

**( For Honours Students )**

Course No. : HISDSE-501T (A)

**[ History of Great Britain (1688-1784) ]**

**SECTION—A**

Answer any *twenty* of the following questions :

1×20=20

1. Write one cause of Glorious Revolution.
2. Name the King of England when Glorious Revolution took place.

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3. When was the Bill of Rights passed?
4. Write one provision of the Bill of Rights.
5. Write one result of the Revolution of 1688.
6. When was the Act of Settlement passed?
7. Who was the first Prime Minister of England?
8. When was the Treaty of Utrecht signed?
9. In which year King George III died?
10. Who was the King of England when the French Revolution of 1789 took place?
11. When did the War of American Independence take place?
12. Who was the king of France in 1789?
13. Who was Napoleon Bonaparte?
14. When was the Treaty of Tilsit signed?
15. "England is considered as the Master of Sea."  
Do you agree?

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16. Mention one cause of the downfall of Napoleon I.
17. Name the country where first Industrial Revolution took place.
18. Who invented steam engine?
19. Who invented power loom?
20. What is the meaning of Industrial Revolution?
21. Define Agricultural Revolution.
22. What is meant by Mercantile system?
23. Was Britain a colonial power?
24. Name one colony of Britain.
25. Who was the founder of Methodist Movement in England?
26. What is Evangelical Movement?
27. What is Methodist Movement?

28. What is feudalism?
29. Why did capitalism start in England?
30. When did England become a capitalist country?
31. What is the meaning of capitalism?
32. Name one religion of English of England.
33. In which year was the Acts of Union passed?
34. When was the Alien Act passed?
35. Who was the first Hanoverian King of England?
36. When was the union of England and Scotland completed?
37. Name the King of England when American War of Independence took place.
38. Which dynasty did George III belong to?
39. What was the duration of the rule of George III of England?
40. England was a democratic country. Is it true or false?

## SECTION—B

Answer any *five* of the following questions : 2×5=10

41. Why is the Revolution of 1688 called Glorious Revolution?
42. Name two political parties of England.
43. When and by which treaty American War of Independence ended?
44. When and between whom was the Battle of Trafalgar fought?
45. Mention two effects of Industrial Revolution.
46. Mention two causes of Agrarian Revolution in England.
47. Mention two factors for the growth of capitalist class in England.
48. Mention two factors for the sufferings of peasants in England.
49. Mention two terms of the Act of Union.
50. Name two acts by which England and Scotland was united.

## SECTION—C

Answer any *five* of the following questions : 8×5=40

51. Discuss the causes of the Glorious Revolution of 1688.
52. Discuss the Cabinet system in England.
53. Discuss the causes of the War of American Independence.
54. Review the impact of French Revolution of 1789 on Britain.
55. Discuss the causes of Industrial Revolution in England.
56. Discuss the impact of Agrarian Revolution on trade and commerce of Great Britain.
57. Discuss the condition of working class in England during the period of your study.
58. Analyse the process of social change in England during the period of your study.
59. Give an account of the union of England and Scotland.
60. Give an account of the reign of George III of England.

## OPTION—B

( For Honours Students )

Course No. : HISDSE-501T (B)

[ **History of China (1839-1982)** ]

## SECTION—A

Answer any *twenty* of the following questions :

1×20=20

1. Name the Chinese port around which a commercial system developed between 1760 and 1842.
2. Name the company which had a monopoly of British trade with China.
3. Name an article of trade that was exported from China to Europe.
4. Which European country introduced opium to China?
5. Which treaty ended the First Opium War in 1842?
6. Name the dynasty that was ruling China at the time of the Opium Wars.
7. What is the name of the first formal treaty signed between the United States and China?

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8. By which treaty did the British obtain the territory of Hong Kong from China?
9. Name the rebel leader who proclaimed a new dynasty during the Taiping Rebellion.
10. Which major city in China was captured by Taiping rebels?
11. What was the popular name given to the reform movement in imperial China in 1898?
12. What was the capital of China during the Boxer Rebellion?
13. Name the Empress Dowager of China at the time of the Boxer Rebellion.
14. How many foreign nations formed an alliance against the Chinese Boxers in 1900?
15. Name the treaty that ended the Boxer Rebellion.
16. The growth of which foreign religion in China was a cause of the Boxer Rebellion?
17. Which revolution ended the rule of the Qing Dynasty in China?

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18. Who became the first President of the Republic of China in January, 1912?
19. What is the Chinese name of the Nationalist Party of China or Chinese National Party?
20. Who became the leader of the Kuomintang after the death of Sun Yat-sen in 1925?
21. Mention any one of the 'three principles' of Sun Yat-sen.
22. Name the Chinese General who led a nationalist campaign against the northern warlords in 1926.
23. What was the main cause of the May Fourth Movement of 1919 in China?
24. Name the country that invaded China in 1936.
25. Who was the leader of the Chinese communists during the Civil War from 1945 to 1949?
26. Who was the leader of the Kuomintang during the Civil War in China from 1945 to 1949?

27. Which event sparked fighting between the Nationalist Chinese Government troops and the occupying troops of Japan in July, 1937?
28. What was the name of the Communist Army during the late years of the Civil War in China?
29. Who was the Chairman of the Communist Party of China when the cultural revolution was launched?
30. In which year did the Cultural Revolution begin in China?
31. Name any member of the Gang of Four during the Cultural Revolution in China.
32. In which year did the Cultural Revolution finally come to an end?
33. Which army organised the Long March in China in 1934-35?
34. Who was Mao Zedong?
35. In which year did the People's Republic of China come into being?

36. Name the leader who proclaimed the establishment of the People's Republic of China in 1949.
37. Who was the leader of the Kuomintang Government in Taiwan in 1949?
38. Who became the 'paramount leader' of China in 1978?
39. How many articles are there in the Chinese Constitution of 1982?
40. The PRC Constitution of 1982 of China is largely modelled on the constitution of which country?

## SECTION—B

Answer any *five* of the following questions : 2×5=10

41. Mention a salient feature of the Canton Commercial System.
42. Name any two 'treaty ports' opened for foreign trade in China after the First Opium War.
43. State one objective of the Taiping rebels.

44. Who were the Boxers during the Boxer Rebellion of 1900 in China?
45. Who is known as the Father of Modern China? What was his profession in his early life?
46. What was the main objective of the Kuomintang after 1911?
47. State a cause of the Chinese Civil War.
48. What do you understand by the term 'Cultural Revolution' in China?
49. Which party proclaimed the establishment of the People's Republic of China at Beijing in 1949? Which party formed a government in Taiwan in 1949?
50. State one legacy of the Communist Party of China.

## SECTION—C

Answer *any five* questions

51. Examine briefly the salient features of the Canton Commercial System. 8
52. Discuss briefly the causes of the First Opium War (1839-1842). What was its impact on China? 5+3=8

53. Examine the circumstances leading to the Taiping Rebellion of 1851-64. 8
54. Narrate the circumstances that led to the Boxer Rebellion of 1900. What were its consequences? 5+3=8
55. Form an estimate of the life and work of Sun Yat-sen. 8
56. Discuss the nature and significance of the May Fourth Movement of 1919. 4+4=8
57. Make an estimate of Mao Zedong in the making of modern China. 8
58. Critically discuss the nature and significance of Cultural Revolution in China. 4+4=8
59. Form an estimate of the role of Communist Party of China up to 1949. 8
60. Analyse the features of the new Constitution of China of 1982. 8

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OPTION—C

( For Pass Students )

Course No. : HISDSE-501T (C)

[ History of Europe (1789-1914) ]

SECTION—A

Answer any *twenty* of the following questions :

1×20=20

1. Who was the ruler of France during the French Revolution?
2. Into how many classes was the French society divided?
3. How long did the Continental System last?
4. When was the 'Decree of Berlin' passed?
5. With which battle was the Napoleonic era ended?
6. By whom was Napoleon defeated in Waterloo?
7. When did the Vienna Congress take place?
8. Where is Vienna located?

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9. Who was the main architect of the Vienna Congress?
10. By whom was Russia represented in the Vienna Congress?
11. Who was the French representative in the Vienna Congress?
12. In which year did July Revolution occur?
13. Who was the ruler of France after the July Revolution?
14. Mention the year of occurrence of the February Revolution.
15. Who was the ruler of France during the February Revolution?
16. By whom was the *Spirit of the Laws* authored?
17. Who was the founder of secret society 'Young Italy'?
18. When did Unification of Italy take place?
19. Name the capital of Italy after its unification.
20. Who was the main architect of Unification of Germany?



21. Who was the ruler of Germany after its unification?
22. By whom was the policy of 'blood and iron' advocated?
23. What was the title of German rulers?
24. When was 'Dreikaiserbund' formed?
25. In which year did the Crimean War occur?
26. Who was the Emperor of Russia at the time of Crimean War?
27. Where is Berlin located?
28. Name the Emperor of France during the Crimean War.
29. By whom was the Congress of Berlin presided over?
30. When was the Treaty of Berlin signed?
31. By which treaty did the Crimean War come to an end?
32. Which country was defeated in the Crimean War?

33. Who was the ruler of Germany during the First World War?
34. When was the Triple Alliance formed?
35. To which dynasty did Kaiser William II belong?
36. When did the First World War begin?
37. Who was Francis Ferdinand?
38. Where is Sarajevo located?
39. Where was the Peace Conference held after the First World War?
40. When did the USA join the First World War?

## SECTION—B

Answer any *five* of the following questions :  $2 \times 5 = 10$

41. Name two French philosophers who hastened the revolution in France.
42. Mention two provisions of the Vienna Congress.
43. Mention two defects of the Vienna Congress.

44. Who was Matternich?
45. Name two leaders of Italian Unification.
46. Who were the members of Dreikaiserbund?
47. What was the importance of the Congress of Berlin?
48. Name two powers which joined the Crimean War in favour of Turkey.
49. Name two power blocs which fought the First World War.
50. What was the immediate cause of the First World War?

## SECTION—C

Answer any *five* the following questions : 8×5=40

51. Discuss in brief the causes of the French Revolution.
52. Write a note on the Continental System of Napoleon.
53. Discuss the main provisions of the Vienna Congress.

54. What were the main causes of the July Revolution?
55. Give an account of the Unification of Italy.
56. Write a note on the foreign policy of Bismarck.
57. Form an estimate of the Crimean War of 1854-56.
58. Write a note on the Berlin Congress of 1878.
59. Discuss in brief the foreign policy of Kaiser William II.
60. Explain in brief the causes behind the outbreak of the First World War.

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