

TDC (CBCS) Even Semester Exam., 2022

HISTORY

(6th Semester)

Course No. : HISGEC-601T

(History of India from C 300 to 1206)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

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

SECTION—A

Answer any *twenty* of the following questions :

1×20=20

1. Who was the greatest Kushana ruler?
2. Which era was founded during the Kushana period?
3. Name the capital of the Kushanas.
4. Who was the founder of the Satavahana dynasty?
5. Over which part of India did the Satavahanas rule?
6. Who was the predecessor of Samudragupta?
7. By whom was the Allahabad Pillar Inscription composed?

8. From which Chinese traveller do we get the information about the Guptas?
9. Which city was the capital of the Gupta Empire?
10. By whom was the *Harshacharita* composed?
11. Name the Chalukya king who defeated Harshavardhana.
12. Which city during the Chalukya period was known as the City of Temples?
13. Name the famous university of Pallava period.
14. Which Chinese traveller did visit the Pallava kingdom?
15. Who was the most powerful Chola ruler?
16. From which Inscription do we get the information about the Palas?
17. Who was put to the throne of Kanauj by Dharmapala?
18. Who was the founder of the Pratihara dynasty?
19. Which city was the capital of the Pratiharas?
20. Who was the greatest king of the Rashtrakuta dynasty?
21. Which was the first foothold of the Arabs in India?

22. For how many years did the Arabs rule over Sind?
23. Where is Somnath Temple situated?
24. Who was Muhammad Ghuri?
25. Who was made the Governor of his Indian provinces by Muhammad Ghuri?

SECTION—B

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

26. Name two conquests of Kanishka.
27. Name two inscriptions which give us the information about the Satavahanas.
28. Name two books composed by Kalidasa.
29. Name two kingdoms whose thrones were adorned by Harshavardhana.
30. Mention the names of two religions popular during the Chalukya period.
31. Which areas outside India were influenced by the Pallava art?
32. With which contemporary rulers did the Palas fight wars?
33. Name two Pratihara kings.
34. Who was Sultan Mahmud? How many times did he invade India?
35. When and against whom did Muhammad Ghuri's first Indian invasion take place?

SECTION—C

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

36. Discuss the effects of Kushana rule on Indian culture.
37. Make an estimate of the administrative system of the Satavahanas.
38. What were the causes of the downfall of the Guptas?
39. Give an idea of the administrative system of Harshavardhana.
40. Write a note on the Chalukya art, architecture and culture.
41. Make an estimate of the Pallava administrative system.
42. Make an estimate of the political achievements of Dharmapala.
43. Throw light on the development of Indian art and architecture during the Rashtrakuta period.
44. Describe the invasions of Arabs on Sind and throw light on the cause of the defeat of Shahis against the Arabs.
45. Describe the various Indian invasions of Muhammad Ghuri and the results of his invasions.

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