

2m/HIS-150 Syllabus-2023

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(May-June)

FYUP : 2nd Semester Examination

HISTORY

(Minor)

(History of India : Maurya to Post-Gupta Period)

(HIS-150)

Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

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

Answer any five questions

1. Write a note on the political history of the Mauryas. 15
2. Describe the administrative structure of the Mauryan Empire. 15
3. Who were Indo-Greeks? Assess the role played by the Indo-Greek rulers in the post-Mauryan period. 3+12=15

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4. Describe the achievements of Gautamiputra Satakarni. 15
5. Highlight the major features of the Mathura School of Art. 15
6. Discuss the contributions of the Guptas in the field of science and literature. $7\frac{1}{2}+7\frac{1}{2}=15$
7. Elucidate the causes of the rise of feudalism in early India. 15
8. Narrate the political history of the Vardhana dynasty with reference to Harshavardhana. 15
9. Bring out the religious developments in the post-Gupta period by focusing on either Vaishnavism or Shakism. 15
10. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : $7\frac{1}{2}\times 2=15$
 - (a) Ashoka's policy of Dhamma
 - (b) Mahayana Buddhism
 - (c) Samudragupta
 - (d) Pallava Art
