

SYBA History- Paper- III
Ancient India from Earliest Times to 1000 A.D.

SEMESTER-III

Objectives: To acquaint the students with different sources of Ancient Indian History. To enable the students to understand the political, socio-economic and cultural developments in the period under study and appreciate the rich cultural heritage in India

Module I: Sources of Ancient India and their Importance

- (a) Archaeological
- (b) Literary
- (c) Foreign Travellers

Module II: Indus Valley Civilization

- (a) Social and Economic Life
- (b) Religious Life
- (c) Town Planning and Decline of the Civilization

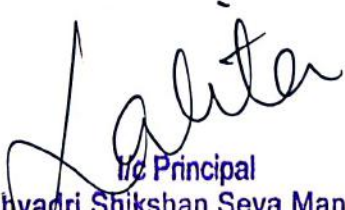
Module III: Vedic Age

- (a) Janapada
- (b) Social and Economic Life
- (c) Religion

Module IV: India after 6th Century B.C.

- (a) Administration of Mahajanapadas
- (b) Jainism and Buddhism
- (c) Persian and Greek Invasions




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SEMESTER-IV

Module I: Mauryan and Post- Mauryan Period (322 B.C. to 320 A.D.)

- (a) Chandragupta and Ashoka
- (b) Mauryan Administration
- (c) Post Mauryan Dynasties- Sungas, Kushanas and Satavahanas

Module II: Gupta Age (320 A.D. to 600 A.D.)

- (a) Imperial Expansion: Chandragupta I, Samudragupta and Chandragupta II
- (b) Administration
- (c) Classical Age

Module III: Post Gupta Period (600 A.D. to 1000 A.D.)

- (a) The Age of Harshavardhan
- (b) The Rise of Rajputs
- (c) Arab Invasion of Sind

Module IV: Major Dynasties of Deccan and South India

- (a) Chalukyas of Badami and Rashtrakutas
- (b) Pallavas and Cholas
- (c) Spread of Indian Culture in South-East Asia



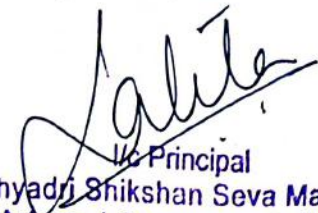
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