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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, ONGOLE

PRAKASAM-523001, ANDHRA PRADESH

M.A History

Syllabus: 2026-27

(Revised Scheme of Instruction and Examination, Syllabus etc., with effect from the Academic Year 2026-27)

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ANNEXURE – I

(Agenda item No.1, P.G.B.O.S meeting dated 03-09-2026)

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w.e.f 2026-2027 admitted batch of students

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LIST OF PAPERS w.e.f 2026-27

FIRST SEMESTER

S.No	Course Code	Components of Study	Title of the Paper	Instruction hours per week	Credits	IA Marks	End Semester Exam Marks	Total
1	H101	Core	History of AncientIndia(uptoto321 B.C.)	6	4	30	70	100
2	H102	Core	Age of Empires(322 B.C.to650A.D.)	6	4	30	70	100
3	H103	Core	History of Andhras(From Earliest Times to1070A.D.)	6	4	30	70	100
4	H104	Core	History of Modern World(till1914 A.D.)	6	6	30	70	100
5	H105.A (or) H105.B	Elective	Ancient World Civilizations / Religion in Andhradesa	6	4	30	70	100
Total				30	22	150	350	500

SECOND SEMESTER

S.No	Course Code	Components of Study	Title of the Paper	Instruction hours per week	Credits	IA Marks	End Semester Exam Marks	Total
1	H201	Core	Early Medieval India(650 A.D.to1206 A.D.)	6	4	30	70	100
2	H202	Core	India Under Delhi Sultanate(1206 A.D.to1526 A.D.)	6	4	30	70	100
3	H203	Core	History of Andhras (1070 A.D.to1650 A.D.)	6	4	30	70	100
4	H204	Core	History of Modern World (1914 A.D.–2000A.D.)	6	6	30	70	100
5	H205.A (or) H205.B	Elective	Constitutional History of India(1772 A.D.to1950 A.D.) / Freedom Movement in India(1857 A.D. –1947 A.D.)	6	4	30	70	100
6	H206	MOOC's	SWAYAM MOOC's/ SKILL DESIRE MOOC's	-	2	-	-	P
Total				30	24	150	350	500

1. All Core theory papers are mandatory.
2. Students must be Registered in SWAYAM MOOC's/ SKILL DESIRE MOOC's and submit the Certificate to the Department as per the University norms.

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THIRD SEMESTER

S.No	Course Code	Components of Study	Title of the Paper	Instruction hours per week	Credits	IA Marks	End Semester Exam Marks	Total
1	H301	Core	History of India under Mughals and Marathas(1526 A.Dto1761 A.D)	6	4	30	70	100
2	H302	Core	Economic History of Modern India (1757 A.D. to 1947 A.D.)	6	4	30	70	100
3	H303	Core	Communication and Soft Skills	6	4	30	70	100
4	H304	Core	Historical Method	6	6	30	70	100
5	H305.A (or) H305.B	Elective	Dimensions of Tourism / Intellectual History of the 19th Century India	6	4	30	70	100
6	H306	MOOC's	SWAYAM MOOC's/ SKILL DESIRE MOOC's	-	2	-	-	P
Total				30	24	150	350	500

FOURTH SEMESTER

S.No	Course Code	Components of Study	Title of the Paper	Instruction hours per week	Credits	IA Marks	End Semester Exam Marks	Total
1	H401	Core	Historiography	6	6	30	70	100
2	H402	Core	Social History of Modern India(1700A.D-1950 A.D)	6	4	30	70	100
3	H403	Core	History of Modern Andhra(1765 A.D.to1956 A.D.)	6	4	30	70	100
4	H404.A (or) H404.B	Elective	Historical Applications of Tourism / History of U.S.A(1600 A.D.–1945 A.D.)	6	4	30	70	100
5	H405	Core	Research Project(Dissertation and Viva–Voce)	-	8	*	**	100
Total				24	26	120	280	500

Assessent:

Academic assessent in each M.A. Course/Paper in History shall consist of two components:

A. Internal Assessment (30 Marks): Classroom attendance 5 Marks, Seminar 5 Marks and Test 20 Marks
B. End Semester Examination (70 Marks)

From Elective Course student can choose either A or B.

Note: * For project work = 70 Marks
** For Viva – Voce = 30 Marks
*** SWAYAM MOOC's/ SKILL DESIRE MOOC's Credits are excluded from calculating SGPA/CGPA

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M.A. HISTORY – I SEMESTER SYLLABUS
PAPER – I – H101
HISTORY OF ANCIENT INDIA (FROM EARLY TIMES TO 322 B.C.)

Unit – I:Geographical Factors of Indian Sub-continent - Races and Physical Types of Indian Population-Unity in Diversity of Indian Culture.

Unit – II: Sources for the Study of Ancient Indian History - Archaeological - Literary.

Unit – III: Stone Age Hunter gatherers and Early Farming Communities of India - Harappan Culture Town Planning-Arts and Crafts- Economy-Trade-Religion

Unit – IV: The Rigvedic Society-Economy and Religion-Later Vedic Society-Polity – EconomyReligion-Megalithic Culture of South India - Social Stratification.

Unit – V: Territorial States-Religious Movements - Buddhism and Jainism –Rise of Magadha Persian MacedonianInvasions - The Nandas.

Suggested Readings:

1. Agrawal. D.P. : The Archaeology of India (Delhi, Select Book ServicesSyndicate, 1984)
2. Allchin, Bridget and FRaymond :Origins of a Civilization: The Pre-History and Earl Archaeology of South Asia (Oxford and IBH, 1994)
3. Basham, A.L. : The Wonder That Was India (Mumbai, Rupa, 1971)
4. Lal, B.B. and S.P. Gupta. :Frontiers of the Indus Civilization (Delhi, Books& Books, 1984)
5. Majumdar, R.C.et al (Ed) : History and Culture of Indian People, Vols, I&II.
6. Raychaudhuri, H.C., : Political History of Ancient India (RevisedEd With Commentary by Prof.B.N.Mukherji)

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M.A. HISTORY – I SEMESTER SYLLABUS
PAPER – II – H102
AGE OF EMPIRES (321B.C. TO 650 A.D.)

Unit – I:The Mauryan empire-Chandragupta I and Bindusara-Asoka and His Dhamma the Mauryan Administrative System-Economic& Social Conditions – Artsand crafts- Fall of the Mauryan Empire.

Unit – II:The Indo – Greeks – The Kushana Empire – Kanishka–The Sakas –Kharavela of Kalinga – Sangam Age.

Unit – III:The Guptas – Chandragupta – Samudragupta – Chandragupta II – The GuptaAdministration. Beginning of Feudal Trends – TheCulturalFluorescence of the Gupta Period-Art and Architecture.

Unit – IV:The Huna Invasions–Toramana&Mihirakula-The Mukharis&The Pushyabhutis-Harshvardhana-The Chalukyas of Badami.

Unit – V:Sectarian developments in Buddhism - The Decline of Buddhism-Buddhist contribution to Indian Culture, Art andArchitecture - The Puranic Theism and the Beginning and Growth of TempleArchitecture.

Suggested Readings:

1. Basham, A.L. : The Wonder That Was India.
2. Chanmpakalakshmi,R. :Trade, Ideology and Urbanization:South India 300 B.C.to1300 A.D.
3. Chanana, DEvraj. : Slavery in Ancient India
4. Jha.D.N.(Ed) :Feudal Social Formation in EarlyIndia.
5.--do--- : Economy and Society in Early India: Issues and Paradigms
6. Maity, S.K. :Economic Life in North India in the GuptaPeriod 300A.D. - 550A.D.
7. Majumdar, R.C. et.al.(Eds):History and culture of the Indian People,Vol.III The ClassicalAge.
8. Sastri, K.A.N.(Ed) : Comprehensive History of India, Vol.II
9. Majurndar, R.C.(Ed) : A Comprehensive History of India, Vol. III (in two parts)
10. Raychaudhuri, H.C :Political History of Ancient India (Rev.Ed. WithCommentary By Prof.B.N.Mukherji)
11. Sahu, B.P. (Ed) : Land System and Rural Society in Early India, Delhi, Manohar, 1997
12. Sharma, R.S., : Aspects of Political Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India
13.---do--- : Indian Feudalism.
14.---do--- : Perspectives in Social and Economic History of Early
15.---do--- : Urban Decay in India.C.300-1000

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M.A. HISTORY – I SEMESTER SYLLABUS
PAPER – III – H103
HISTORY OF ANDHRAS (FROM EARLY TIMES TO 1070A.D.)

Unit – I:Sources for the study of Andhra History – Aryanization of South India – Andhradesa.TheExpansionof Mauryan Empire.

Unit – II: The Satavahanas – Andhra-Satavahana Identity – Original Home of the SatavahanasChronology- Relations with the Western Kshatrapas-Cultural Conditions ofAndhradesaunder theSatavathnas.

Unit–III:SuccessorsoftheSatavahanas–TheIkshvakusofVijayapuri-BuddhisminAndhradesa

Unit – IV:The Salankayanas of Vengi-The Vishnukundins-The Early Pallavas-CulturalConditions of theTime.

Unit-V:The Eastern Chalukyas-Relations with the Rashtrakutas-Andhradesa as the bone ofcontention between the Imperial Cholas and the Western Chalukyas -Decline of the Chalukyan power.

Suggested Readings:

1.RamaRao.,M., :Early History of Andhra Pradesh
2.Yazdani, G.,(Ed) :EarlyHistoryofDeccan.Vols.IandII
3.Gopalachari,K. :EarlyHistoryofAndhraCountry.
4.Sircar,D.C. :SuccessorsofSatavahanasinLowerDeccan.
5.HanumanthaRao.B.S.L. :AndhrulaCharitra(Telugu).
6.-do- :Religionin Andhra
7.Bhankarkar,R.G. :Early History of the Deccan.
8.Sankaranarayanan.S. :TheVisnukundisandtheirTimes.
9. Sarma P.S.R. :HistoryofAndhradesa(Telugu)

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M.A. HISTORY – I SEMESTER SYLLABUS
PAPER – IV – H104
HISTORY OF MODERN WORLD (From Colonalism to 1914 A.D.)

Unit– I:Colonialism–Imperialism–Mercantilism–NationStates–Scientific Revolutions.

Unit–II: FrenchRevolution– The Revolution of 1830 A.D. and 1848 A.D.– Question of Slavery–The Opium wars– Meiji Restoration.

Unit–III: Unification of Italy–Unification of Germany – Scramble for Africa– Sino Japanese war of 1894.

Unit – IV: Industrial Revolution – Big Business in U.S.A – Open door policy of U.S.A inChina.

Unit–V:Russo –Japanesewarof1904–05- Eastern question – Balkanwars–LiberalReforms in Russia.

Suggested Readings:

1.Cipolla,C.M :FontanaEconomicHistoryofEurope,Vol.III(TheIndustrial revolution)Harvters,1976
2.Evans, J :TheFoundationsofaModernStatein the19thCenturyEurope
3.Hobsbawn, E :NationandNationalism(Cambridge,1970)
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5.Jelvich,Charles : Establishment of the Balkan National States, 1840-1920 (University of and BarbaraWashington Press, 1977)
6.Lichtheim,George :AShortHistoryof Socialism(Glasgow,1976)
7. Lucas,Colin : The French revolution and the Making of Modern Political Culture, Vol.2(Pergamon, 1988)
8. Nove,Alec :AnEconomicHistoryof the USSR(Penguin,1972)
9. Porter :Andrew, European Imperialism, 1860 - 1914 (1994)
10.Roberts, J.M :Europe1880– 1945(Longman, 1989)
11. Wood,Anthony :History ofEurope1814 – 1960
12. Carnoll,Peterand :FreeandUnfree:ANewHistoryoftheUnitedStatesDavidNoble
13. Faulkner,U:EconomicHistoryof theUnitedStatesofAmerica
14. Kristol,Irving, :America'sContinuingRevolution(AM.Enterprises,1975)
15. Pratt,W :AHistoryofthe UnitedStatesForeignPolicy
16. Randall,james,etal :TheCivilwarandReconstruction(Health&Co1969)
17. AllenGeorge :AshortEconomicHistoryof Janan(London,Erifrngrld&Nicolson,1963)
18. Beckmann,GeorgeM:Modernizationof China andJapan(HarperandRow,1962)
19. Biaci, Lucien :Originsofthe Chinese Revolution,1915 –1949(London,OUP,1971)
20. Fairbank,John,etal :EastAsia:ModernTransformation
21. Myers, Ramon H and:The Japanese Colonial Empire, 1895-1945 (PrincetonUniversity Press. 1987)MarkR. Peattics (Eds.)
22. Peffer,Nathaniel :TheFar East:AModernHistory

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M.A. HISTORY – I SEMESTER SYLLABUS
PAPER – V – H105.A (Optional)
ANCIENT WORLD CIVILIZATIONS

Unit–I:Ancient Egyptian Civilization – Sources – Geographical Factors– The Old Kingdom – The MiddleKingdom – The New Kingdom – Egyptian Society – Government – Economy – Religion – Art and Architecture. Mesopotamian Civilization – Geographical Factors – The Sumerians and City – States – The Babylonian Empire– Science– Literature, Society.

Unit–II: Law Codes of Hammurabi–HittiteConquest–AssyrianConquest–
TheChaldeanorNewBabylonianEmpire– Persian Invasion[539B.C.]
Ancient Greece –HistoricalBackground–GeographicalInfluence–DevelopmentofCity–States–
AthenianDemocracy –Warswith Persia[492B.C]

Unit–III:Greek Philosophy–Education–Literature–Science–ArtandArchitecture–
DeclineofGreece –TheAgeofAlexandertheGreat.
AncientChina–GeographicalFactors–PoliticalHistory–TheHanDynastyPolity–
EconomicConditions– Trade andCommerce.

Unit– IV:AncientChinaReligionandPhilosophy–Buddhism–Confucianism–Taoism–
ArtandArchitecture.
AncientRome–GeographyofTheItalianPeninsula–TheAgeofTheKings–TheRomanRepublic–
ConquestofItaly[366 B.C. -264B.C.] –ThePunicWars–Republic toEmpire[133 B.C.to31B.C.]

Unit– V:TheFirstTriumvirate–RuleofJuliusCaesar[49 B.C. -44B.C.]–Society–Religion–
Philosophy–Literature–ArtandArchitecture –EngineeringandTechnology.
Indus Civilization – Origin – Extent – Urbanization Its Features Art and Architecture – HarappanSociety–Economy,Agriculture,TradeandCommerce–Religion–Script–
EndofIndusCivilization.

Suggested Readings:

1.WooleyLandHawker,J:Historyof Mankind,UNESCO,Vols.1-3.
2.ChesterGStarr :Historyof AncientWorld,OxfordUniversityPress,NewYork,1974
3. MaxSavelle :AHistoryofWorldCivilization,NewYork,1963
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9. Oppenhiem,A.L. : AncientMesapotamia,Chicago,1964
10. Delaportie,L. : MesopotamianCivilization,NewYork,1925
11. Finely,M.L. : AncientGreeks,PenguinBooks,Reprint,1991
12. Bury,J.B. : A HistoryofGreece, NewYork, 1951
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14. AllchinB.&Allchin.R.:The RiseofCivilizationinIndiaandPakistan,RevisedEd,1983

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M.A. HISTORY – I SEMESTER SYLLABUS
PAPER – V – H105.B (Optional)
RELIGION IN ANDHRADESA

Unit–I:EarlyReligions:Introduction-LiteraryandArchaeologicalSources–LandandPeopleof Andhra – Early Beliefs and practices – Mother Goddesses - Siva-Other Practices-Spreadof Buddhism– Declineof Brahmanism

Unit – II:Buddhism – Rise and spread of Buddhism in Andhra - Cause for the rise of Buddhism- AsokaandBuddhism-EarlyschoolsofBuddhism-Mahayana-Declineof Buddhism

Unit – III: Jainism in Andhra - Rise and spread of Jainism –In practice- Decline of Jainism.

Unit–IV:Hinduism in Andhra -Vedicpractice-PuranicTheism-Devotionalism-Vaishnavism.

Unit – V:Saivism:Pasupatha, Kapalika, Kalamukha& Veera Saivism – Role of Temples – Development of Mathas.

Suggested Readings:

1. AyyangarandSeshagiriRao : Studies inSouthIndianJainism1and11
2. A.L.Basham : TheWonderThatwas India
3. R.G.Bhandarkar : Vaishnavism,SaivismandminorReligions Systems
4. S.B.Dasgupta : IntroductiontoTantrikBuddhism
5. P.B.Desai : Basaveswaraandhis times
6. -do- : JainisminSouthIndia
7. Eliot.Sir.Charles : HinduismandBuddhism
8. J. Ferguson : TreeandSerpentWorship
9. K.Goplachari : EarlyHistoryofAndhracountry
10. Jaiswal.Suvira : TheOriginandDevelopmentofVaishnavism
11. Delaportie. L : Mesopotamian Civilization, New York, 1925
12. Finely. M.L. : Ancient Greeks, Penguin Books, Reprint, 1991
13. Bury. J.B. : A History of Greece, New York, 1951
14. Allchin. B & Allchin. R : The rise of Civilization in India and Pakistan, Revised Ed 1983.
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16. Bodo Wiethoff : Introduction to Chinese History from Ancient Times to 1912, London
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M.A. HISTORY –II SEMESTER SYLLABUS
PAPER – I – H201
EARLY MEDIEVAL INDIA(650 A.D. – 1206 A.D.)

Unit – I:The Rashtrakuta over Deccan-Dantidurga-Krishna II – Amoghavarsha – Krishna III –Fall of theRashtrakuta Empire-The Palas of Bengal – Rashtrakuta - Pala Struggle of Ganga - Jamuna Plains-The –Gurjara-Pratiharas – Political and Administrative Ideas and Institutionsof theEmpires.

Unit – II:The Rajput kingdoms in north India-The Chandellas-The Paramaras-The Gahadvalas- TheGuhilas-PoliticalandAdministrativeSystemsoftheRajputKingdoms.

Unit – III: Invasions of Mahmud of Ghajini-Fall of the Pratiharas-Invasions of Muhammad ofGhor-The ChahamanasandPrthviraj Chauhan- Factors contributed for the Muhammadanconquestof TheRajputkingdoms.

Unit – IV: The Pallavas of Kanchi - The Pandyas of Madurai and Cholas-Rise of the Cholas to ImperialPosition –TheWestern Chalukyas of Kalyani – Expansion of Imperial Powers fromDeccaninto GangeticPlains

Unit – V:Political and Administrative Systems during the Period – Society and Economy – TheDevotionalSectsofSaivismandVaishnavism–SyncretismofSects-ThePhilosophicalSchoolsofSankaraand Ramanuja- Artand Architecture.

Suggested Readings:

1. Bhandarkar,R.G. : EarlyHistory oftheDeccan,Vol.I
2. Bose :SocialandCulturalHistory ofAncientIndia,Tirunelveli,2001
3. Champakalakshmi,R : Trade,IdeologyandUrbanization:SouthIndia300B.C.to1300 A.D.,OUP,Delhi,1990
4. Chopra.P.N.et.al. : ASocial,CulturalandEconomic History ofIndia,Vol.I
5. Lunia.B.N. : Life andCultureinAncientIndia,Agra,1989
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7. Rajkumar :SurveyofAncientIndia,5.Vols.Tirunelveli,2001
8. RomilaThapar :AncientIndianSocialHistory:SomeInterpretations,Delhi,1978
9. Sarma.L.P. : History ofAncientIndia: Pre-Historic Ageto1200 A.D.,Delhi,1989
10. Sastri.K.A. N. :AHistoryofSouth India,Oxford, Chennai,1956
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M.A. HISTORY –II SEMESTER SYLLABUS
PAPER – II – H202
INDIAUNDER DELHI SULTANATE(1206 A.D.TO1526 A.D.)

Unit– I: Foundation of Muslim Rule in India – Qutb –ud-Din Aibak – Consolidation of the empire underIltutmish–Balban.

Unit– II: TheKhiljiDynesty - AlauddinKhilji–administrationand Economic reforms – Tughlaqs–Muhammad binTughlaq– Firozsha Tughlaq–SouthIndianinvasionsofKhilji's & Tughlaqs.

Unit–III:Invasions of Timur and its results – Syedsand Lodis - Administration Delhi Sultanate.

Unit– IV: Social & Economic conditions of the Sultanate Period – Composite Culture – Bhakthi & Sufi Movements – Arts& Architecture under Delhi Sultanate.

Unit– V:The Bahamani Sultanate – Mohamud Gawan –Foundation ofVijayanagara Kingdom –Sangama, Saluva and Tuluva Dynasties.

SuggestedReadings:

1.Asharf. K.M :Life and Conditions of the People of Hindustan (1200 A.D – 1550A.D)(MunshiramManoharlal,1970)

2. Habib,Irfan(Ed.) :Medival India – Research in the history of India 1200 –1750(Delhi – Manohar.1970)

3. Habib,Mohammad :PoliticsandSocietyinEarlyMedival Period, Vol.I& II.(Delhi, PPH,1974)

4. Habib,Mohammad : ComprehensiveHistoryofIndia.Vol.V.AD.1206-1526, andK.ANizaMI(Eds)

5. Jackson.P :TheDelhiSultanate(Foundationbooks,Delhi,1999)

6. Moreland,W.H. :Agrarian System of Moslem India: A Historical Essay with Appendices,Edn.2.(Delhi,OrientalBooksReprintCorporation.1968).

7. Nizami,KhaliqA. :ReligionandPoliticsinthethirteenthCentuary(Aligarh,1961)

8. SatishChandra : Histriography, ReligionandStateinMedievalIndia(Delhi, HAnand,1996)

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M.A. HISTORY –II SEMESTER SYLLABUS
PAPER – III – H203
HISTORY OF ANDHRAS (FROM1070to1650)

Unit – I:Political Conditions of Andhradesa at the Rise of the Kakatiyas –Ganapatideva – Rudramadevi–Prataparudra–MuslimInvasionson theKakatiyas– Polity – Social – Economic and Cultural Conditions.

Unit – II: ResistancetotheMuslimExpansionism–TheMusunuriChiefs– ProlayanayakaandKapayanayaka – The Reddi Kingdoms of Kondavidu and Rajahmundry – CulturalDevelopments during theperiod.

Unit – III:TheVijayanagara Kingdom – Theories about the foundation – The Sangama dynasty –Harihara and Bukka – Harihara II – Devaraya I – Devaraya II – Fall of the SangamaDynasty–Mallikarjunaand Virupaksha II – Relations with the ReddiKingdoms.

Unit– IV: TheVijayanagaraKingdomundertheSaluvaandTuluvakings–SaluvaNarasimhaandhis Career – Regency of Narasanayaka and Usurpation of Power – Vira Narasimha – Krishnadevaraya- AchyutarayaandSadasivaraya – Aliya Ramaraya and the Battle of Rakshasi– Tangadi.

Unit – V: TheVijayanagaraKingdomundertheAravitiChiefs–TirumalaNayakaSriRangaraya – Venkatapati II – Fall of the Araviti kingdom – Administration of the Vijayanagarakingdom– TheNayankaraSystem–LiteratureofVijayanagaraTimes.

Suggested Readings:

1.ParabrahmaSastry,P.V. :KakatiyasofWarangal.
2. SomasekharaSarma,M. :A ForgottenChapterinAndhraHistory.
3. ---do--- :Historyof theReddiKingdoms.
4. Sewell.R. :AForgottenEmpire.
5. NilakantaSastri.K.A. :A HistoryofSouthIndia.
6. –do-&Venkatarmanayya,N. :FurtherSourcesofVijayanagaraEmpire.3Vols.
7. Venkataramanayya.N. :EarlyMuslimExpansioninSouthIndia.
8. –do-- :TheVijayanagara:OriginoftheCityandtheEmpire.
9. --do-- :StudiesinThidDynastyofVijayanagara.
10. Mahalingam,T.V. :AdministrationandSocialLifeUnderVijayanagara,2Vols.
11. Sherwani,H.K.&Joshi, P.M. :HistoryofMedievalDeccan,2Vols.

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DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

M.A. HISTORY –II SEMESTER SYLLABUS
PAPER – IV – H204
HISTORY OF MODERN WORLD (1914 A.D. – 2000A.D.)

Unit– I: Triple Alliance versus Triple Entente – First World War causes and course –Russian Revolution – Peace of Versailles – League of Nations – Organs and functions.

Unit–II: The Geneva Protocol and Locarno Treaties – The Great Depression of 1928 – InternalDevelopments in SovietRussia.

Unit–III: NazisminGermany–Fascism inItaly –Japanese ImperialismandManchuriancrisis– Spanish CivilWar.

Unit–IV:CausesandcourseoftheSecondWorldWar–MarshallPlan –TrumanDoctrine –TheNon–AlignedMovement.

Unit–V:The Organs of U.N.O. - Challenges beforeU.N.O.-Endof theColdWar-Changes inPoliticalOrder- Bipolar to Unipolar World order- Socialism in Decline- Liberalization-Globalization - ItsEconomicandPoliticalImpact.

Suggested Readings:

1.Cipolla.C.M : Fontana Economic History of Europe, Vol. III (The Industrial Revolution) Harvters, 1976
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