

**DESIGN OF QUESTION PAPER**  
**Subject : HISTORY**  
**Class : XI**  
**Full Mark : 100**  
**Time : 3 Hours**

WEIGHTAGE TO OBJECTIVES:					
I	Objectives	Marks	Percentage		
	Knowledge(K)	16	16		
	Understanding (U)	50	50		
	Application (A)	30	30		
	Skill (S)	04	04		
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>		
WEIGHTAGE TO FORMS OF QUESTIONS:					
II	FORM OF QUESTIONS	No. of questions	Time ( in minutes )	Marks	Percentage
	Essay/Long Answer (E/LA)	4	104	32	32
	Short Answer (SA-I)	8	32	32	32
	Short Answer (SA-II)	8	24	16	16
	Very Short Answer(VSA)	8	8	8	8
	MCQ	12	12	12	12
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>
WEIGHTAGE TO CONTENT:					
III	Theme	Unit	Topics	Marks	Percentage
	<b>World History Part I.</b>	1	<b>Deleted</b>	20	20
		2	Writing and City Life		
		3	The Roman Empires Across three Continents (27 BCE to 600 CE)		
	<b>World History Part II.</b>	4	<b>Deleted</b>	20	20
		5	Growth of Nomadic Empires, The Mongols (c. 13 <sup>th</sup> to 14 <sup>th</sup> Century)		
		6	The Three Orders - Western Europe(c. 9 <sup>th</sup> to 16 <sup>th</sup> Century)		
	<b>World History Part III.</b>	7	Changing Cultural Traditions in Europe)(c. 14 <sup>th</sup> to 17 <sup>th</sup> Century)	20	20
		8	<b>Deleted</b>		
		9	<b>Deleted</b>		
		10	Displacing Indigenous People		
	<b>World History Part IV</b>	11	Modernisation in East Asia (c. Late 19 <sup>th</sup> to 20 <sup>th</sup> Century)	20	20
	<b>Regional History Manipur Part V</b>	12	Introduction to the History of Manipur	20	20
		13	History of Manipur (33 CE – 1597 CE)		
		14	Khagemba (1597 CE – 1652 CE)		
		15	Khunjaoba and Charairongba (c.1652 CE – 1709 CE)		
		16	Garibniwaz (1709 CE – 1748 CE)		
		<b>Total:</b>		<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>
IV	SCHEME OF SECTIONS: NIL				
V	SCHEME OF OPTIONS: 50% in SA I and SA II and 100% in LA				
VI	DIFFICULTY LEVEL :				
	Difficulty : 30 % of the total mark				
	Average : 55% of the total mark				
	Easy : 15% of the total mark				

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**HISTORY**  
CLASS : XI

Theme	Unit / Topics	Objectives	Periods	Marks
World History Part-I	I. Deleted			
	II. <b>Writing and City Life</b> (a) Growth of town (b) Nature of Early Urban Cities	Learners to - describe the emergence of towns - state the life in the cities	5	20
	III. <b>The Roman Empires Across Three Continents (c. 27 BCE to 600 CE)</b> (a) Political Evolution (b) Economic Expansion (c) Religion (d) Late Antiquity (e) Prevailing Institutions of Slavery	Learners will - describe the circumstances that led emergence of the Roman Empire - explain the political, social and economic activities of the Roman Empire	10	
World History Part-II	IV. Deleted			20
	V. Growth of Nomadic empire The Mongol (c. 13 <sup>th</sup> – 14 <sup>th</sup> Century)		10	
World History Part-III	VI. <b>The Three Orders – Western Europe, (c. 9<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> Century)</b> (a) Feudal Society and Economy (b) Formation of States (c) Church and Society	Learners will - highlight the nature of feudalism - state the society under the Church	10	20
	VII. <b>Changing Cultural Traditions in Europe), (c. 14<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup> Century)</b> (a) New ideas and new trends in literature and arts (b) Relationship with other ideas (c) The Contribution of West Asia	Learners will - outline the cause of Renaissance - describe the changes in life under Renaissance	10	
	VIII. Deleted			
	IX. Deleted			
	X. Displacing Indigenous People		10	
World History Part-IV	XI. <b>Modernisation in East Asia, (c. Late 19<sup>th</sup> -20<sup>th</sup> Century)</b> (a) Militarisation and economic growth in Japan (b) China and Communist alternative.	Learners to - describe the impact of industrialisation in Japan - explain the causes of the success of Communist in China	15	20

World History Part-V	<b>XII. Introducing To History of Manipur</b> (a) Natural vegetation of Manipur  (b) The people of Manipur  (c) Consolidation of the Ningthouja power  (d) Manipur's relation with the rest of India	- will state the geographical feature  - will state the different people inhabiting Manipur.  - to describe how the Ningthouja consolidated its power  - to explain Manipur's relation with other parts of India	2    3	20
	<b>XIII. History of Manipur (c. 33 CE – 1597 CE),</b> (a) Political activity of the period (b) External relation	- will describe the political activity of the period  - to state Manipur's relation with Burma, Assam, etc.	3	
	<b>XIV. Khagemba, (1597 CE – 1652 CE),</b> (a) Political activity under Khagemba (b) Administrative function (c) Social and economic reform under Khagemba	- to state the political activity under Khagemba  - will describe the change in social and economic activity	3	
	<b>XV. Khunjaoba To Charairongba (1652 CE – 1709 CE),</b> (a) Political activity of the period (b) Development works (c) Contact with other parts of India (d) Relation with the inhabitants of hills (e) External relations (f) Developments works	- will describe the political activity of the period  - to state developmental works carried out by the kings  - to explain relation with other parts of India  - will state external relations  - to describe developmental works	3  3	
	<b>XVI. Garibniwaz, (1709 CE – 1748 CE)</b> (a) Political activity of the period (b) External relation (c) Social, Cultural and Religious changes	- to describe political activity of the period  - will state external relation  - to describe developmental works.	3	
	Total		90	

#### PRESCRIBED TEXTBOOK :

Themes in World History and Regional History (Manipur)  
Textbook for Class XI  
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## FOR THE ACADEMIC SESSION 2024-25

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Class : XII  
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I	<b>WEIGHTAGE TO OBJECTIVES:</b>				
	Objectives	Marks	Percentage		
	Knowledge(K)	20	20		
	Understanding (U)	46	46		
	Application (A)	30	30		
	Skill (S)	4	4		
	Total:	100	100		
II	<b>WEIGHTAGE TO FORMS OF QUESTIONS (Theme wise):</b>				
	FORM OF QUESTIONS	No. of questions	Time(in minutes)	Marks	Percentage
	Essay/Long Ans: (E/LA)	4	82	32	32
	Short Answer Type-I (SA-I)	8	44	32	32
	Short Answer Type-II (SA-II)	10	30	20	20
	Very Short Answer(VSA)	8	12	8	8
	MCQ	8	12	8	8
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>180 m</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>
III	<b>WEIGHTAGE TO CONTENT:</b>				
	<b>Theme</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Topics</b>	<b>Marks</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
	Indian History Part - I	1	The Harappan Civilisation	25	25
		2	Early States and Economies		
		3	Early Societies		
		4	Cultural Development		
	Indian History Part - II	5	Perception of Society	25	25
		6	Changes in Religious Beliefs and Devotional Texts		
		7	An Imperial Capital: Vijayanagara (c. fourteenth to sixteenth centuries)		
		9	Agrarian Society and The Mughal Empire		
	Indian History Part - III	11	Revolt of 1857 and Its Representations	25	25
		12	Urbanisation, Planning and Architecture		
		13	Mahatama Gandhi and the Nationalist Movement		
		14	Understanding Partition		
	Regional History (Manipur) Part - IV	15	Beginning of a New Era : Framing the Constitution	25	25
		1	Pre and Proto History of Manipur		
		2	Historical Archaeology		
		3	Manipur and First Anglo Burmese War (1824 – 26)		
		4	Anglo – Manipuri War (1891)		
		5	Socio – Religious and Political Movements		
	<b>Total</b>			<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>
IV	<b>SCHEME OF SECTIONS: NIL</b>				
V	<b>SCHEME OF OPTIONS: 50% in SA-I &amp; 100% in Essay Type Questions.</b>				
VI	<b>DIFFICULTY LEVEL :</b> Difficult : 30% Average : 50% Easy : 20%				

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## FROM THE ACADEMIC SESSION 2025-26

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Class : XII

Full Mark : 100

Time : 3 Hours

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	Knowledge(K)			16	16	
	Understanding (U)			50	50	
	Application (A)			30	30	
	Skill (S)			04	04	
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<b>III</b>	<b>Theme</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Topics</b>	<b>Marks</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	
Indian History Part - I		1	The Harappan Civilisation	25	25	
		2	Early States and Economics			
		3	Early Societies			
		4	Cultural Development			
Indian History Part – II		5	Perception of Society	25	25	
		6	Changes in Religious Beliefs and Devotional Texts			
		7	An Imperial Capital: Vijayanagara (c. Fourteenth to Sixteenth centuries)			
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		9	Agrarian Society and The Mughal Empire (c. Sixteenth to Seventeenth centuries)			
		10	Colonialism and Rural Society			
Indian History Part – III		11	Revolt of 1857 and Its Representations.	25	25	
		12	Urbanisation, Planning and Architecture			
		13	Mahatama Gandhi and the Nationalist Movement			
		14	Understanding Partition			
		15	Framing the Constitution			
Regional History (Manipur) Part - IV		1	Pre and Proto History of Manipur	25	25	
		2	Historical Archaeology			
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Periods - 200  
Marks - 100

Themes	Unit / Topics	Objectives	Period	Marks
Indian History Part - I	<b>1 The Harappan Civilisation</b> (a) Early urban centres. (c) Archaeological report on the major sites and its interpretations by the scholars.	Learners to - interpret history Harappan Civilisations through archaeological ruins. - explain the distinct characteristics of urban planning	7	25
	<b>2 Early States and Economics</b> (c. 600 BCE – 600CE) (a) Inscriptions and decipherment of the script. (b) Shifts in the understanding of political and economic history. (c) Ashokan Inscriptions and Gupta period land grant.	Learners will - state history of the period through inscriptions - explain political development of India from c. 600 BCE to 600 CE. - describe the functioning of the economic activities of the said period.	8	
	<b>3 Early Societies</b> (c. 600 BCE – 600CE) (a) Issues in social history, including caste, class, kinship and gender. (b) The sources for reconstructing social history.	Learners to - to state issues in social history - explain the importance of sources in constructing social history.	7	
	<b>4. Cultural Development</b> (c. 6 <sup>th</sup> Century BCE – 6 <sup>th</sup> Century CE) (a) A brief review of religious histories of Vedic religion, Jainism, Vaishnavism, Saivism. (b) Buddhism. (c) Sanchi Stupa and its importance.	Learners to - explain the religious development from c. 6 <sup>th</sup> Century BCE – 6 <sup>th</sup> Century CE - describe the main tenets of them	12	
Indian History Part – II	<b>5. Perception of Society</b> (c. 10 <sup>th</sup> to 17 <sup>th</sup> centuries) (a) Outline of Social and Cultural life as they appear in travellers' accounts of Alberuni, ibi Batuta, Bernier, etc.	Learners will - describe history from traveller's account - narrate history of a period from such account	10	25
	<b>6 Changes in Religious Beliefs and Devotional Texts</b> (c. eight to eighteenth centuries) (a) Outline of religious developments during this period. (b) Ideas and practices of the BhaktiSufi saints. (c) Importance of Bhakti-Sufi works.	Learners will - explain the religious philosophies of the period - generalises the ideas and practices of the saints	7	
	<b>7 An Imperial Capital: Vijayanagara</b> (c. fourteenth to sixteenth centuries) (a) Outline of new buildings during Vijyanagar period-temples, forts, irrigation facilities. (b) Relationship between architecture and the political system.	Learners will - develop history of a period through various sources - highlight the history through architecture - describe the economic activities through sources	7	

	<p><b>9. Agrarian Society and The Mughal Empire</b> (c. 16<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> centuries) <b><u>The Ain-i-Akbari</u></b></p> <p>(a) Structure of agrarian Relations in the 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> centuries. (b) Patterns of change over the period. (c) Compilation and translation of Aini-Akbari and its importance in history.</p>	<p>Learners to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- explain the agrarian activities of the period</li> <li>- describe agrarian activity through contemporary sources</li> </ul>	13	
	<p><b>10 Colonialism and Rural Society</b></p> <p>(a) Life of Zamindars, peasants and artisans in the late 18th century.</p>	<p>Through various sources learners will</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- state the economic exploitation of the British imperialism in rural India</li> <li>- describe the impact of British economic exploitation of India</li> </ul>	5	
Indian History Part - III	<p><b>11 Revolt of 1857 and Its Representations</b></p> <p>(a) The events of 1857-1858-area affected. (b) Changes in the British policy after 1857.</p>	<p>Using sources learners to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- explain the outbreak of the Revolt of 1857</li> <li>- describe the changes in the British policy in India after the Revolt of 1857.</li> </ul>	8	25
	<p><b>12. Urbanisation, Planning and Architecture</b> Town Planning and Municipal Reports.</p> <p>(a) The growth of Mumbai, Chennai, hill stations and cantonments in the 18th and 19th centuries. (b) Town planning of cities like Kolkata, Mumbai, etc.</p>	<p>Learners to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- state evolution of towns from 16<sup>th</sup> centuries to the 18<sup>th</sup> centuries/</li> <li>- describe the architectural development and planning of town initiatives taken up by the British in India.</li> </ul>	10	
	<p><b>13 Mahatma Gandhi and the Nationalist Movement</b></p> <p>(a) The nationalist movement, 1918-1948. (b) The nature of Gandhian politics and leadership.</p>	<p>Learners will</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- state the role of Mahatma Gandhi in the nationalist Movement of India</li> <li>- describe the nature of Nationalist Movement under Mahatma Gandhi</li> </ul>	7	
	<p><b>14. Understanding Partition</b></p> <p>(a) The history of the 1940s. (b) Nationalism, Communalism and partition. (c) Horrors of communal riots Aftermath of partition.</p>	<p>Learners will</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- state the courses of events of that led to the partition of India</li> <li>- explain the impacts of partition in different parts of Indian sub – continent</li> </ul>	10	
	<p><b>15 Beginning of a New Era: Framing the Constitution</b></p> <p>(a) Independence and the new nation states. (b) The making of the constitution.</p>	<p>Learners will</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- describe India post independence</li> <li>- state the circumstances that led to the framing of Indian constitution</li> </ul>	5	

Regional History Manipur Part – IV	<b>1 Pre and Proto History of Manipur</b> (a) Outline the Pre historic culture of Manipur (b) Social and economic activities during the Prehistoric Manipur	Learners will - highlight the Prehistoric Culture of Manipur - describe the social and economic activities of Prehistoric Manipur	5	25
	<b>2 Historical Archaeology</b> (a) Role of archaeology in re-discovering the past of Manipur	Learners to - state the role of archaeology in writing the history of Manipur	5	
	<b>3 Manipur and First Anglo Burmese War (1824 – 26)</b> (a) Manipur's relation with Burma in the 19 <sup>th</sup> century (b) Liberation of Manipur under Gambhir Singh	Learners will - state the relationship between Manipur and Burma in the 19 <sup>th</sup> century - describe the liberation of Manipur from Burma	6	
	<b>4 Anglo – Manipuri War</b> (a) Causes of Anglo – Manipuri War, 1891 (b) Courses of Anglo – Manipuri War, 1891	Learners to - describe the circumstances that led <b><u>British rule in Manipur</u></b>	6	
	<b>5 Socio – Religious and Political Movements</b> (a) Outbreak of Movements in the 20 <sup>th</sup> century (b) Nature of Movements in the 20 <sup>th</sup> century	Learners will - state the outbreak of movements in Manipur in the 20 <sup>th</sup> century. - give reasons for the outbreak of movements in Manipur in the 20 <sup>th</sup> century.	7	
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