

B.A. HISTORY Syllabus
(Choice-Based Credit System - W.E.F. 2020-21)

SEMESTER III

COURSE-III : MODERN INDIAN HISTORY & CULTURE (1764-1947 A. D)

Learning Outcomes:

After successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- Unearth the true nature of the British rule and its disastrous impact on Indian economy and society
- Gauge the disillusionment of people against the Company's rule even during the early 19th century
- Assess the causes and effects of Reformation movements and also inspire the public to overthrow inequalities of the present day society
- Rise above petty parochial issues after understanding the sacrificial saga of freedom Struggle
- Evaluate the undercurrent of communal politics that led to India's partition and identify the enemies of India's integrity and sovereignty
- Visualize where places are in relation to one another through map pointing

Syllabus:

Unit - 1	Policies of Expansion – Cornwallis - Subsidiary Alliance & Doctrine of Lapse – Causes & Results of 1857 Revolt – Rippon, Curzon
Unit - II	Social, Religious & Self-Respect Movements – Raja Rammohan Roy, Dayananda Saraswathi, Swami Vivekananda, Jyotiba Phule, Narayana Guru, Periyar, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar
Unit - III	.Causes for the growth of Nationalism - Freedom Struggle from 1885 to 1920: Moderate Phase — Militant Phase: Vandemataram Movement - Home Rule Movement

Unit - IV Freedom Struggle from 1920 to 1947: Gandhiji's Role in the National Movement
– Revolutionary Movement – Subhas Chandra Bose

Unit - V Muslim League & the Growth of Communalism – Partition of India – Advent of Freedom - Integration of Princely States into Indian Union – Sardar Vallabhai Patel

References:

- 1 Anil Seal, Emergence of Indian Nationalism
- 2 Banerjee, Sekhar, From Plassey to Partition
- 3 Bipan Chandra, Rise and Growth of Economic Nationalism in India
- 4 Chandra, Bipan, et. al., India's Struggle for Independence
- 5 Bipan Chandra, Modern India
- 6 Joshi, P.C., Rammohun and the Forces of Modernisation in India
- 7 R.P.Dutt, India Today

Mandatory Co-Curricular Activity:

Map pointing should be a compulsory activity as it helps student to understand vividly and clearly than the text and should be made part of Internal Examination by allotting marks for this skill-based activity.

Suggested Co-Curricular Activities

- @ Debates
- @ Student seminars
- @ Viva voce interviews
- @ Quiz Programmes
- @ Photo Album
- @ Recording local history
- @ Role Play of freedom struggle events
- @ Organizing photo exhibition on freedom fighters
- @ Celebrations of important events / personalities
- @ Conducting Philately
- @ Examinations (Scheduled and surprise tests)
- @ Students may be asked to prepare a project on the differences between Mughal and British administration
- @ Encourage students to write their autobiography or biography of their inspiring Personalities