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**NOTIFICATION**

- Sub: Revised Syllabus for BA History of Bengaluru Central University  
Ref: 1. The Office Notification No:BCU/BoS/History /204/2019-20 dated 09.07.2019.  
2. Letter received on 30.07.2019 from the Chairman, BoS in History(UG)  
3. Approval of the Vice-Chancellor dated 31.07.2019.

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The Chairman, Board of Studies in History (UG) vide letter cited at reference (2) above has stated that the BoS deliberated the thematic and structural issues relating to the Syllabus notified vide Notification cited at reference (1) above and revised the Syllabus with minor corrections for the academic year 2019-20.

Accordingly, the revised BA History Syllabus of Bengaluru Central University is hereby notified in place of the earlier Syllabus for implementation from the academic year 2019-20.

The copy of the revised Syllabus is notified in the University Website : [www.bcu.ac.in](http://www.bcu.ac.in) for information of the concerned.

  
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To,

1. The Dean, Faculty of Arts, BCU.
2. The Chairman & Members of BoS in History (UG), BCU.
3. The Principals of the concerned affiliated Colleges of BCU – through email.
4. The P.S. to Vice-Chancellor/Registrar/Registrar (Evaluation), BCU.
5. Office copy / Guard file.

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BENGALURU CENTRAL UNIVERSITY

B.A History (CBCS)

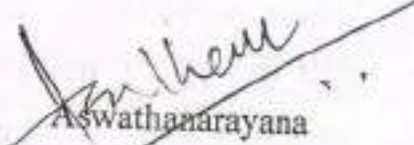
The B.A History Course is a Choice Based Credit System (Semester Scheme) spread over in Six Semesters. The syllabus has been designed keeping in view the vision of BCU. The focus of the course is to make the students understand the Self reflective nature of History, its epistemological bearing and contemporary relevance to situate the present. It also provides the students an opportunity to know the interwoven nature of local, regional, national and global histories. Students are introduced to important the phases of human history, with a firm grounding in Indian history and culture. Significant space has been provided to study the local and regional history.

Another important aspect of the designed syllabus is that it introduces students to the theoretical debates on certain select themes in Indian history, which is quite necessary to build competitiveness among the students.

It is hoped that the syllabus would stimulate a sense of objective understanding of the past and enable them to contextualizing the present. Further, a critical approach to the syllabus will prepare the students for civil services and other examinations.

The titles and detailed content of the papers are given along with this. Extensive reading list has also been provided for each paper.

This syllabus will come into effect from 2019-20 for the students admitted to I semester during the academic year 2019-20 and onwards.

  
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**BENGALURU CENTRAL UNIVERSITY**

**Department of History**

B.A Syllabus

Semester – I

Paper –1. History of Ancient India

Semester – II

Paper –2. Early Medieval India 300 CE – 1200 CE

Semester – III

Paper –3. Medieval India 1206 CE – 1707 CE

Semester – IV

Paper – 4 Modern Indian History

Semester – V

Paper 5.1 Modern Europe to 1945 CE ( Compulsory paper )

5.2 History of Karnataka up to 1956 CE (Optional paper)

OR

5.3 Women in History (Optional paper)

Semester – VI

Paper 6.1 Bengaluru in Time and Space ( Compulsory paper )

6.2 Select Debates in Indian History (Optional)

OR

6.3 Book Review (Optional paper)

## B.A History (CBCS)

### Course pattern, Scheme of Examination and Credits

Subject	Papers	Instruction per week	Duration of Examination	Marks IA	Marks Exam	Total Marks	Credits
Sem I paper I	History of Ancient India	1X5	1X3	1X50	1X100	1X150	1X3
Sem I paper II	Early Medieval India 300CE to 1200	1X5	1X3	1X50	1X100	1X150	1X3
Sem I paper III	Medieval India	1X5	1X3	1X50	1X100	1X150	1X3
Sem I paper IV	Modern Indian History	1X5	1X3	1X50	1X100	1X150	1X3
Sem I paper V	Modern Europe to 1945 CE	1X5	1X3	1X50	1X100	1X150	1X3
	History of Karnataka up to 1956 CE (optional)	1X5	1X3	1X50	1X100	1X150	1X3
<b>OR</b>							
	Women in History (optional)	1X5	1X3	1X50	1X100	1X150	1X3
Sem I paper VI	Bengaluru in Time and Space	1X5	1X3	1X50	1X100	1X150	1X3
	Select Debates in Indian History	1X5	1X3	1X50	1X100	1X150	1X3
<b>OR</b>							
	Book Review (optional)	1X5	1X3	1X50	1X100	1X150	1X3

## Department of History

Question paper pattern (B.A History, CBCS- This pattern does not apply to the papers V semester 5.3, VI semester 6.3)

Total Marks: 100

Time: 03 hours

- Instructions:** 1) All sections are compulsory  
2) Answers should be written completely either in Kannada or in English.  
3) In part 'A' the blind students have to write only historical importance of places given. They are exempted from marking the places. Note on each historical place carries two marks.

### Part A

I a) Map Work with notes

1X10 = 10

**OR**

b) Places of Historical Importance [Five places and a note on the importance of each historical place]

### Part B

Answer any Three of the following.

3X5 = 15

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

### Part C

Answer any Three of the following

3X10 = 30

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

Part D

Answer any three from the following

$$3 \times 15 = 45$$

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

## Department of History

Question paper pattern (B.A History, CBCS, This Pattern applies only to the Papers V semester 5.3 and VI semester 6.3)

Total Marks: 100

Time: 03 hours

### **Instructions:**

- 1) All sections are compulsory
- 2) Answers should be written completely either in Kannada or in English.

### Part A

Answer any three of the following in about 60 words each.

3X5 = 15

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

### Part B

Answer any Four of the following in about 200 words each.

4X10 = 40

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

### Part C

Answer any three from the following in about 400 words each.

4X15 = 45

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.



## Department of History

### **B.A History**

#### Break up of Internal Assessment Marks

1. Mid-Semester Tests	25
2. Assignments	15
3. Seminar	<u>10</u>
Total	50

**BANGALORE CENTRAL UNIVERSITY- B.A. HISTORY SYLLABUS 2019-20**

1<sup>ST</sup> SEMESTER-PAPER 1

HISTORY OF ANCIENT INDIA

2<sup>ND</sup> SEMESTER-PAPER 2

EARLY MEDIEVA INDIA 300-1200 C E

3<sup>RD</sup> SEMESTER -PAPER 3

MEDIEVAL INDIA 1206 C E – 1707 C E

4<sup>TH</sup> SEMESTER -PAPER 4

MODERN INDIAN HISTORY

5<sup>TH</sup> SEMESTER

PAPER 5.1 - MODERN EUROPE 1945 C E (COMPULSORY PAPER)

PAPER 5.2- HISTORY OF KARNATAKA UPTO 1956 CE (OPTIONAL PAPER)

OR

PAPER 5.3 -WOMEN IN HISTORY (OPTIONAL PAPER)

6<sup>TH</sup> SEMESTER

PAPER 6.1 -BANGALORE IN TIME AND SPACE (COMPULSORY PAPER)

PAPER 6.2 -SELECT DEBATES IN INDIAN HISTORY (OPTIONAL PAPER)

OR

PAPER 6.3 – BOOK REVIEW (OPTIONAL PAPER)

## FIRST SEMESTER-B.A

### **PAPER-1 HISTORY OF ANCIENT INDIA**

#### **UNIT-1**

Sources-Archaeology-Epigraphy-Numismatics-Literature-Indigenous and foreign accounts.

Different approaches to reconstructing Ancient Indian History.

Orientalist Historians - With special reference to William Jones, Max Mullar

Utilitarian Historians - Jeremy Bentham, John Stuart Mill

Nationalist Historians - K.P. Joyaswal, P.V. Kane

Marxist Historians - D.D. Kosambi, R.S. Sharma

#### **UNIT-2**

Pre Harappan and Stone age cultures - Neolithic culture in south India

Harappan culture- Town planning

Harappan agriculture-Religion-Script-Divine of Harappan Culture

#### **UNIT-3**

Vedic Age

The Aryan Debate-Indo European Languages-Archeological excavations-Interface between Harappan and post Harappan Cultures.

Vedic literature-Samhitas-Nature of Economy-Pastoralism and Social organisation-political institutions-religious practices

Later Vedic period-Geographical expansion-Introduction of Iron-PGW-Emergence of Varna system-Changes in the social outlook.

#### **UNIT-4**

Age of Mahajanapadas-Agrarian expansion-Second urbanisation-Emergence of Guilds-Sixteen Mahajanapadas-overseas contact.

Rise of Heterodox Religions – Background- Protest against Orthodoxy – Doctrinal foundations of Jainism and Buddhism – Contributions.

#### **UNIT-5**

Rise of Magadha Kingdom and Nandas – Chandragupta Maurya–Ashoka- Arthashastra- Indica- Ashokan edicts, Society- Economy- Mauryan Art- Mauryan Administration- Ashoka's Policy of Dhamma- Kushanas

Shatavahanas – Sangam Age.

### MAP WORK

1. Harappan Sites
2. Ashokan Edicts
3. Mahajanapadas

### PLACES OF HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE:

- 1 Harappa 2 Mohenjodaro 3. Lothal 4. Bodh Gaya 5. Saranath 6. Pataliputra 7. Taxila 8. Kashi
9. Kosambi 10. Rajagriha 11. Ujjayani 12. Lumbini 13. Maski 14. Pattanam 15. Sarnathi
16. Pavapuri 17. Sravana Belagola 18. Amaravathi 19. Kushinagara 20. Uraiyur

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## SECOND SEMESTER-BA

### **PAPER-2 EARLY MEDIEVAL INDIA 300-1200 CE**

#### **UNIT-1**

Rise of Gupta empire- Allahabad Prashasti- Samudragupta- Chandragupta II – Hun Invasion- Decline of the Guptas- Administration- Economy- Agriculture and Land grants- Trade-Feudalism.

The Cultural contributions of Guptas- Development of Science & technology- Literature- Religion- Art

Vardhanas- Harsha Vardhana- Buddhism- Huen Tsang- Education system

#### **UNIT-2**

Chalukyas & Pallavas

Rise of Chalukyas- Pulikeshi II- Battle of Narmada- Interface with the Pallavas- Mahendra Varman.

Pallava Narasimhaha Varman.

Chalukyan Art- Pallava Art Religion- Alwars & Nayanmars

#### **UNIT-3**

Rastrakutas & their contributions- Art & Literature

Pala and Pratiharas.- Rajputs- Contributions to Art

#### **UNIT-4**

The Chola period- Raja Raja I- Rajendra Chola- Administration- Local self government- Economy- Art & Architecture- Chola Bronzes.

#### **UNIT-5**

Political Ascendency- Arab Conquest of Sindh- Arab Trade- Invasions of Muhammad of Ghazni and Muhammad of Ghori- Political Significance

## MAP WORK

1. Extent of Gupta Empire under Samudra Gupta
2. Extent of Empire under Pulikeshi II
3. Extent of Raja Raja Chola Empire

## PLACES OF HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE:

1. Prayag
2. Kanuj
3. Thaneswar
4. Kanchipuram
5. Mahabalipuram
6. Tanjavore
7. Gangaikondacholapuram
8. Aihole
9. Badami
10. Pattadakal
11. Ellora
12. Ajantha
13. Elephanta
14. Manyakheta
15. Somanatha
16. Delhi
17. Uttaramerur
18. Agra
19. Mewar
20. Tarain.

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## **THIRD SEMESTER-BA**

### **PAPER-3 MEDIEVAL INDIA-1206-1707 CE**

#### **UNIT-1**

Struggle for establishment of the Sultanate Power-Ultamush-Razia Sulthana-Balban- North West Frontier problem-Eastward expansion-Consolidation of the Sultanate.

#### **UNIT-2**

Khiljis and Tuglaqs- expansion of political power under Sultanate, Alla-ud-din Khilji- internal reforms- agrarian policy- market regulation-Muhammad Bin Tuglaq and his experiments-Feroz Shah Tughlaq and disintegration of Delhi sultanate.

#### **UNIT-3**

Economy and society - Bhakti movement- Sufism-Central administration- provincial administration- Art and Architecture

#### **UNIT-4**

The Afghan Mughal conflict for supremacy- Babar-Battle of Panipat- Battle of Kanwa-Humayun and his struggle for supremacy-Sur interregnum-Akbar and his consolidation of Mughal empire, Rajput policy- religious policy- revenue policy . Mansabdari system, Aurangzeb and his Deccan policy- Mughal architecture, society, social stratification- Shivaji - consolidation of Marathas.

#### **UNIT-5**

The Vijayanagara- Foundation-Devaraya II- Expansion of the empire under Krishnadevaraya, Ramaraya and Battle of Talikota, Nayankara system, administration, socio economic conditions, Art and Architecture. Literature, Bahamani's conflict and consolidation, contribution of Bahamanis and Adil Shahis to Art and Architecture.

Bahamani's conflict and consolidation, contribution of Bahamanis and Adil Shahis to Art and Architecture-

### MAP WORK

1. Malik Kafur's Conquest
2. Extent of the Empire of Akbar
3. Vijayanagara Empire under Krishnadevaraya

### PLACES OF HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE

1.Delhi, 2.Daulatabad, 3.Dwarasamudra, 4.Warrangal, 5.Madurai, 6.Panipat, 7.Agra, 8.Fathepur Sikri, 9.Sasaram, 10.Kanwa, 11.Ranathambore, 12.Malwa, 13.Poona, 14.Surath, 15.Shivanerudurga, 16.Hampi, 17.Talikota, 18.Bijapur, 19.Bidar, 20.Nalanda

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## **FOURTH SEMESTER-BA**

### **PAPER-4 MODERN INDIAN HISTORY**

#### **UNIT-1**

Forms of Dominance-Early phase-The Portuguese-The Dutch-The French-Mercantilism-Struggle for supremacy-Production of knowledge-Orientalists-Utilitarians-Anglicists-Establishment of the British political power-Robert Clive-Carnatic wars-Battle of Plassey and Buxur

#### **UNIT-2**

Evolution of British Governance and Control-British army-Police-Civil service-Judiciary-Transport and communication-Economic policies-Revenue policies.

#### **UNIT-3**

Indian renaissance-Western education-Socio-religious reform movement-1857 Event-Queen's Proclamation and its significance- Restructuring the British administration under the Crown.

#### **UNIT-4**

Constitutional Development -Consolidation of the British power-Regulating Act1773-Pitt's India Act1783-Indian council's act-1861-Birth of Indian National Congress-Different phases-Indian Council's Act-1892-Minto-Morley reforms Act 1909-Indian Councils Act 1919-Government of India Act 1935.

#### **UNIT-5**

Gandhian Era-Tools of protest-Non-co-operation-Civil disobedience-Gandhi- Ambedkar debate-Discourse on empowerment of subalterns-Dr.B.R.Ambedkar-Early experiments-constitutional method-Labour Movements-II World war-Quit India movement-Netaji-Forward Block-War time negotiations-Cripps Mission-Cabinet mission-Lord Mountbatten plan-India's Independence.

## MAP WORK

1. Portuguese trade settlements
2. French settlements in India.
3. Important places of 1857 event.

## PLACES OF HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE

1. Goa
2. Pondicherry
3. Mahe
4. Calcutta
5. Poona
6. Meerat
7. Jhansi
8. Delhi
9. Amrutsar
10. Simla
11. Madras
12. Pudukottai
13. Warrangal
14. Hyderabad
15. Vaikom
16. Belgaum
17. Wardha
18. Ahmedabad
19. Nagpur
20. Dandi.

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## **FIFTH SEMESTER-B.A**

### **PAPER 5.1 MODERN EUROPE TO 1945 C E (Compulsory paper)**

#### **UNIT-1**

Geographical discoveries-Discovery of new world-Renaissance-Impact-Reformation-Counter reformation.

#### **UNIT-2**

Transformation of Europe as a colonial power-Industrial revolution-Impact-Expansion of European Colonial power-Africa-South East Asia.

#### **UNIT-3**

French revolution- Causes- National Assembly- National Convention- Results-Rise of Napoleon- Domestic reforms- Continental system-Congress of Vienna- Metternich- Revolution of 1830 and 1848- Marxian socialism

#### **UNIT-4**

Nationalism and Unification-Unification of Italian associations-Mazzini –Garibaldi- Cavour-Victor Emanuel II-Unification of Germany- Bismarck- Three wars and the birth of German empire-Russian Revolution-Causes and impact.

#### **UNIT-5**

I World war- Causes- Paris Peace conference and League of Nations- Failure- Rise of Dictatorship- Hitler- Mussolini- II World war –United Nations Organization and aftermath.

### MAP WORK

1. Centers of Industrial Revolution and French Revolution
2. Unification Movements- Italy and Germany
3. The Centers connected to World Wars I and II

### PLACES OF HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE

1. Frankfurt
2. Rome
3. Turin
4. Naples
5. Milan
6. Leningrad
7. Paris
8. Berlin
9. Dunkirk
10. Vienna
11. Waterloo
12. Versailles
13. Leipzig
14. Moscow
15. London
16. Piedmont
17. Petersburg
18. Yalta
19. Potsdam
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## **5.2- HISTORY OF KARNATAKA UPTO 1956 (optional paper)**

### **UNIT-1**

State formation in Karnataka –Mauryan period- Satavahana- Kadambas- Gangas - Rattrakutas – Chalukyas - Rashtrakutas-Hoysalas – Vijayanagara– Bahamans- Adilshahis- Minor dynasties.

### **UNIT-2**

Society – Economy-Social structure – Land grants – Agraharas – Agrarian economy and trade – Ayyahole-500 - Socio-Cultural synthesis- Revenue administration – Art & Architecture- Shivappanayakana sishu.

### **UNIT-3**

Cultural revolution –Vachana Movement – Dasa movement – Sufism

### **UNIT-4**

Entry of the British Colonial power-Hyderali & TipuSultan – Tipu's Economic reforms-Restoration of erstwhile Mysore State-Commissioners' rule-Rendition (1881)-Chamaraja Wodeyar X- Krishnaraja Wodeyar IV- Mysore's integration into Indian Union-Governments upto 1956.

### **UNIT-5**

Emergence of National Movement – Various phases -Unification Movement-Contemporary Issues - Border disputes-River-Water Disputes- Environmental protection movements - Backward class movement – Dalit movement – Peasant Movement



## MAP WORK

1. Extent of the Chalukyan Empire under Pulakeshi-II
2. Rastrakuta Empire Under Amoghavarsha
3. Extent of Tipu's Empire.

## PLACES OF HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE

- 1.Maski 2.Talagunda 3.Chandravalli 4.Kolara 5.Halmidi 6.Badami 7.Aihole 8.Halebeedu
- 9.Hampi 10.Keladi 11.Basavakalyana 12.Bidar 13. Srirangapatna 14.Devanahalli 15.Mysore
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ಕುವೆಂಪು ಭಾಷಾಭಾರತಿ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು 2016

OR

## **PAPER-5.3 WOMEN IN INDIAN HISTORY (Optional paper)**

### **UNIT-1**

Meaning of the idea of 'Position of women'-Ancient India-Religious texts and Women-Marriage system -Polity and women-Representation of women's voice-Gargi-Maitreyi-Sita.

### **UNIT-2**

Medieval times and women-Status of Hindu women-Islam and women-Political leaders among women-Muslim Personal Law-(Shariyat)-Sufism and women-Devadasi system

### **UNIT-3**

Colonial times-Christian missions and women-Social reform movements and their approach to the problems of women-Savithri Bai Phoole-Women centric debates-Epicentres of Debates-Calcutta – Poona-Madras-Mysore-Sati- Widow remarriage Act-Infant and child marriages-Women in the freedom movement of India and Karnataka

### **UNIT-4**

Indian Constitution and women-Dr.B.R.Ambedkar and paradigm shift-Property Rights for women-Legislative enactment related to Divorce-Political representation-Shabano Case and thereafter-Triple Talaq Debate.

### **UNIT-5**

Post colonial debates- Euro centrism-Feminist theories-Gayathri Chakravathy Spivak's 'Can the Subaltern Speak?' Latha Mani's arguments-Development discourse on women.

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## SIXTH SEMESTER-B.A

### **PAPER 6.1 BANGALORE IN TIME AND SPACE (Compulsory paper)**

#### **UNIT -1**

Introducing Bengaluru -Historical geography-Political divisions-Topography and natural resources-climate and seasons-flora and fauna-economic resources and social wealth-Pre History to Early Historical period

#### **UNIT -2**

Historical Period beginning - Demography and ethnic variety-Hindu-Muslim -Sikh-Buddhist-Jain - Christian Communities Social hierarchy and caste system-Social mobility-Changing demographic pattern.

#### **UNIT -3**

Towards a major Transition – Western Gangas, Nolambas, Cholas and Hoysalas

Vijayanagar-Yelahanka Nada Prabhus- Kempe Gowda- Social impact of new land settlement in the medieval period- Entry of colonialism - Trade and Commerce—Colonial interference- Hyder Ali, Tipu Sultan; Bangalore as seen by the foreigners- Buchanan, William Arthur.

#### **UNIT -4**

Towards Modern Bangalore: The Wodeyars-Diwans' Rule-handicrafts and small industries-Textile-silk-Lamps-rice-cutlery,etc.—Development of industries-communication and railways- Trade marts-commercial groups and professionals-urbanization-old and new towns-rise of the small town gentry-Synthesis of urban -rural culture.

#### **UNIT -5**

Religion and culture-Major cults-Festivals, Folk-culture-Christian Missionaries-Emergence of Community Associations- Development of Science & Information Technology-IISc Bangalore-Electronic City; IT Corridor; Impact of IT & Social changes-Environmental movements-Bangalore towards BBMP status.

## MAP WORK

1. Boundary of Yalahanka Nada Prabhus
2. New Major Layouts of 20<sup>th</sup> Century Bengaluru
3. BBMP Boundary limits (Upto 2010)

## PLACES OF HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE

- 1.Begur 2.Yalahanka 3.Ulsoor 4.Devanahalli Fort 5.Bangalore Tipu Palace 6. Maharaja palace 7. Gavigangadhareshwara Temple 8. Doddabasavanna Temple 9. Tawakal Masthan Darga 10.Kadumalleshwara Temple 11.St.Mary's Basilica 12.Andrew Church 13.Halasar Gurudwara 14.Shankaramatta 15.Rajabhavan 16.Attara Kacheri 17. Government Museum 18.Lalbagh 19.Vidhana soudha 20.IISc

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### **UNIT-1**

Indian antiquity-Harappan Civilization-Ethnicity-Indus script-The Aryan origin-Invasion and migration-Arya-Dravida debate-varna-jati

### **UNIT-2**

Emergence of Heterodox religions-Ashoka's policy of Dhamma-Decline of the Mauryan State.

### **UNIT-3**

The Golden age concept-Feudalism-Asiatic mode of production-Oriental Despotism.

### **UNIT-4**

Perceptions of Colonialism in India-English medium-Women centric debates-Forms of nationalism-Gandhi-Ambedkar debate on social justice

### **UNIT-5**

Debates on Medium of Instruction-Communalism verses Secularism-Uniform Civil Code



### MAP WORKS

1. Buddhist sites.
2. Mauryan empire.
3. Presidencies under the British

### PLACES OF HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE

- 1.Harappa 2.Mohenjadaro 3.Lothal 4.Chanhu-daro 5.Sanchi 6.Bodh Gaya 7.Nalanda 8.Rumtek
- 9.Tawang 10.Taxila 11. Ujjaini 12.Maski 13.Pataliputra 14.Prayaga 15.Kalinga 16.Amaravati
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