

TDP (General) 2nd Semester Exam., 2019

HISTORY

(General)

[DSC/GE]

SECOND PAPER

Full Marks : 80

Time : 3 Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates are required to give their answers
in their own words as far as practicable.*

Section - A

1. Answer *all* the questions below : 1×20=20

(a) The construction of Qutub Minar was completed
by

- (i) Qutub-uddin Aibak
- (ii) Sher Shah
- (iii) Iltutmish
- (iv) Aram Shah

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- (b) Bandegan-I-Chahelgan was a group of —
- (i) Forty powerful nobles
 - (ii) Group of forty soldiers
 - (iii) Close relatives of Sultan
 - (iv) None of the above
- (c) Muhammad-bin-Tughlaq shifted his capital from Delhi to —
- (i) Mursidabad
 - (ii) Daulatabad
 - (iii) Hyderabad
 - (iv) Lucknow
- (d) Ala-uddin Khalji defeated the Yadav ruler named —
- (i) Kamadev
 - (ii) Ramchandra
 - (iii) Pratap rudradev
 - (iv) Mahlakdev

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- (e) The last ruler of Delhi sultanate was
- (i) Ibrahim Lodi
 - (ii) Kaikobad
 - (iii) Firuj Tughlaq
 - (iv) Razia
- (f) Ramanuja was the earliest exponent of —
- (i) Buddhism
 - (ii) Jainism
 - (iii) Sufism
 - (iv) Bhaktism
- (g) The meaning of the word 'sikh' is
- (i) gurus
 - (ii) slaves
 - (iii) disciple
 - (iv) officers

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(h) Main-uddin Chisti was—

- (i) Nawab of Dhaka
- (ii) Sufi saint
- (iii) an arabian invader
- (iv) None of the above

(i) Vijayanagar kingdom was established in —

- (i) 1346 A.D.
- (ii) 1436 A.D.
- (iii) 1336 A.D.
- (iv) 1646 A.D.

(j) Diwan-I-Risalat was the department dealt with —

- (i) Royal correspondence
- (ii) Justice
- (iii) Foreign policy
- (iv) News gathering

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(k) Akbar came to throne in —

- (i) 1556 A.D.
- (ii) 1526 A.D.
- (iii) 1605 A.D.
- (iv) 1707 A.D.

(l) Who of the Mughal emperors was also known as 'Zindapir' ?

- (i) Shahjahan
- (ii) Akbar
- (iii) Bahadur Shah
- (iv) Aurangzeb

(m) Shahjahan sent his military troop to conquer —

- (i) Gujarat
- (ii) Balkh and Badakhshan
- (iii) Ujbekistan
- (iv) Kabul

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(n) The British ambassador that came to Jahangir's royal court was —

- (i) Manucci
- (ii) Lord Clive
- (iii) Sir Thomas Roe
- (iv) Nicholokonti

(o) Meherunnisa was the real name of —

- (i) Nurjahan
- (ii) Mumtaz
- (iii) Sultana Razia
- (iv) Jahan-ara

(p) The "Treaty of Purandar" was signed in —

- (i) 1616 A.D.
- (ii) 1665 A.D.
- (iii) 1676 A.D.
- (iv) 1766 A.D.

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(q) Afzal Khan was a reputed general of —

- (i) Ahmadnagar
- (ii) Golkonda
- (iii) Bijapur
- (iv) None of the above

(r) The meaning of the word 'Mansab' is —

- (i) Rank
- (ii) Land
- (iii) System
- (iv) None of the above

(s) Aurangzeb died in the year —

- (i) 1807 A.D.
- (ii) 1661 A.D.
- (iii) 1607 A.D.
- (iv) 1707 A.D.

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(i) Shivaji's coronation ceremony was held in -

- (i) Chunar fort
- (ii) Raigarh fort
- (iii) Chitor fort
- (iv) Palace of Maratha

Section - B

Answer any *four* questions.

3×4=12

2. (a) What do you mean by 'Khutba' and 'Sikka'?

Or

(b) Who were known as 'Neo-Muslims'? Who suppressed them?

3. (a) Write a short note on the teaching of Srichaitanya.

Or

(b) Name three famous travellers who came to Vijayanagar. Where did they come from?

4. (a) What were the main features of Akbar's Rajput policy?

Or

(b) What were the famous architectural monuments built during the reign of Shahjahan.

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5. (a) What do you mean by 'Chauth' and "Sardeshmukhi"?

Or

(b) Write a short note on 'Astapradhan'.

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Section - C

Answer any *four* questions.

12×4=48

6. (a) Describe the role of Iltutmish in consolidation of Delhi Sultanate.

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Or

(b) What do you know about the economic measures adopted by Ala-uddin Khalji? What were its impacts?

9+3

7. (a) Name four major silsilahs of sufism. What were the impacts of sufism?

4+8

Or

(b) Discuss the various administrative reforms of Sher Shah.

12

8. (a) Write a brief note on Akbar's central and provincial administration.

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Or

(b) What do you know about the central asian policy of Shahjahan? What was its result?

8+4

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9. (a) What were the factors leading to the rise of Shivaji ? 12

Or

- (b) Critically discuss the role of Aurangzeb and Mughal nobility behind the decline of Mughal empire. 6+6