

# **1M/HIS-100 Syllabus-2023**

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( December )

**FYUP : 1st Semester Examination**

**MAJOR**

**HISTORY**

**( History of India : Earliest Times to the  
Post-Vedic Period )**

**HIS-100**

*Marks : 75*

*Time : 3 hours*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

Answer *any* **five** questions

1. Reconstruct the understanding of early Indian history on the basis of archaeological sources. 15
2. Write a note on the Marxist approach to the study of early Indian history. 15
3. What are the characteristic features of Mesolithic culture in India? 15

4. Write an essay on the Chalcolithic culture of Malwa. 15
5. Discuss the various theories to explain the decline of the Harappan Civilization. 15
6. Give an account of the town planning of the Harappans. 15
7. Describe the social and political life of the later Vedic period.  $7\frac{1}{2}+7\frac{1}{2}=15$
8. Highlight the main features of the post-Vedic economy with special reference on iron technology, trade and urbanization. 15
9. Describe the life and teachings of Gautama Buddha. 15
10. Write short notes on any *two* of the following :  $7\frac{1}{2}\times 2=15$ 
  - (a) Lower palaeolithic culture of India
  - (b) Neolithic culture of Burzahom
  - (c) Harappan arts and craft
  - (d) Mahavira

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