

*(World Map to Accompany)***SECOND SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MAY 2016**

(CUCBCSS-UG)

Core Course—History

HIS 2B 02—HISTORY OF THE EARLY WORLD

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Part A (Objective Type Questions)*Answer all questions.***Bunch I**

1. Who deciphered the hieroglyphic script ?
2. Who united the kingdom of Egypt for the first time ?
3. Who is known as the Napoleon of ancient Egypt ?
4. Whose reign is considered as the golden age in the history of Rome ?

(4 × ½ = 2 marks)

Bunch II

5. The species which represents the first phase of human evolution is the _____.
6. Ziggurat is associated with the _____.
7. The Akkadian king who conquered the Sumerians was _____.
8. The greatest philosopher of ancient Greece was _____.

(4 × ½ = 2 marks)

Bunch III

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| 9. Benedictine Order | Robert Molesmos. |
| 10. Carthusian Order | William-1, the Duke of Aquitaine. |
| 11. Cistercian order | St. Benedict. |
| 12. Cluniac Movement | St. Bruno. |

(4 × ½ = 2 marks)

Turn over

Part B (Short Answers)

*Answer any seven questions.
Each question carries 2 marks.*

13. Mesolithic age.
14. Gordon Childe.
15. The Sphinx.
16. The cuneiform script.
17. Socrates.
18. Roman Law.
19. Constantine.
20. Pericles.
21. Hanseatic League.

(7 × 2 = 14 marks)

Part C (Map Study, Mark on the outline map the following trade centres)

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| 22. Venice. | 23. Florence. |
| 24. Paris. | 25. Lyon. |
| 26. Naples. | 27. Marseille. |

(6 × 1 = 6 marks)

Part D (Short Essay)

Answer any four questions.

28. What do you mean by Neolithic Revolution ?
29. Discuss the progress of science in ancient Greece.
30. Discuss the religion of ancient Egyptians.
31. What are the reasons for the decline of the Roman Empire ?
32. Assess the significance of Hammurabi's code.
33. What do you mean by Pax Romana ?

(4 × 6 = 24 marks)

Part E (Essays)

Answer any two questions.

34. What are the salient features of the Bronze Age civilizations ?
35. Assess the contribution of Roman civilization with special reference to their architecture.
36. What is feudalism? How the society was shaped in the Feudalistic period ?
37. Discuss the salient features of the Paleolithic age.

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)