

TDC Odd Semester Exam., 2020  
held in July, 2021

UNIT—II

HISTORY

( Honours )

( 5th Semester )

Course No. : HISH-503

( Indian Historiography )

Full Marks : 50

Pass Marks : 17

Time : 2 hours

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

Answer **five** questions, taking **one** from each Unit

UNIT—I

1. Mention the names of four Vedas. Write a note on the literary sources of Ancient India. 2+8=10
2. Name two epics of Ancient India. Review the Indian historical traditions and biographies in Ancient India. 2+8=10

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3. Discuss the contribution of Amir Khusru and Abul Fazl during the period of your study. 5+5=10
4. Name two important autobiographies of Mughal India. Give an account of Mughal historiography. 2+8=10

UNIT—III

5. Mention two important imperialist historians of British India. Write a note on imperialist historiography of India. 2+8=10
6. Who founded the Asiatic Society of Bengal? When? Write a note on the Asiatic Society of Bengal. 2+8=10

UNIT—IV

7. Discuss the contribution of R. C. Majumdar and S. N. Sen in Indian historiography. 5+5=10
8. Write the names of two nationalist historians. Assess the nationalist historiography of India. 2+8=10

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UNIT—V

9. Name two works of Mohammad Habib.  
Discuss the contribution of Mohammad  
Habib as the Marxist historian. 2+8=10
10. Who was D. D. Kosambi? Critically examine  
the Marxist historiography of India. 1+9=10

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