

**SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY**  
**B.A. (History) Semester-1 Core Course**  
**UA01CHIS22 History of India-I**  
**( Earliest time to 323 BCE)**

**( 3 Credits )**

**Unit: 1**

1. Sources and tools of Ancient Indian History
- 2 . Pre-historic India : Pre-historic ways of life
3. The Harappan civilization : Main features

**Unit: 2**

1. Vedic India: Society, Religion and Economy
2. Vedic Literature
3. Post Vedic India: A Summary

**Unit: 3**

1. Jainism : Mahavir swami
2. Buddhism : Gautam Buddha
3. Contribution of Buddhism & Jainism to literature and art

**Unit: 4**

1. The Rise of Magadha Empire
2. Persian and Greek invasions in India
3. Impact of Persian and Greek Invasions

**ESSENTIAL READINGS :**

Shastri K.A.Nilkanth	: History of India Part-1
Majmudar R.C.	: Ancient India
Mahajan Vidhyadhar	: Ancient India
Mookarjee R.K.	: Glimpses of Ancient India

**Hindi :**

Luniya B.N.	: Prachin Bharat ka Itihas
Pandey Rajbali	: Prachin Bharat
शास्त्री हरिप्रसाद	: हड़प्पा અને મોહેંજો-દડો
	: प्राचीन भारत - भाग-१ -२
परीभ प्रवीणचंद्र ची.	: भारत दर्शन आद्युग ज्ञान गंगोत्री श्रेणी
यावडा વિજયસિંહ	: ભારતનો સાંસ્કૃતિક ઇતિહાસ