

SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY
Vallabh Vidyanagar
B.A. (History) Semester-4 Core Course
UA04CHIS21 History of India-VI (The Marathas c.1664-1750)

(3 Credits)

UNIT-I

1. Sources for the history of the Marathas
2. Rise of the Maratha Powers: Causes
3. The Shivaji: Career and Achievement

UNIT-II

1. Rise of the Pashwas: Causes
2. Chhatrapati Shahu: Career and Personality evaluation
3. Bajirao-I: Career and achievements

UNIT-III

1. Balaji Bajirao: Career and Personality evaluation
2. Balaji Bajirao's unforgivable mistakes
3. Decline of Maratha Power : Causes

UNIT-IV

1. Maratha Administration and Defence system
2. Choth, Sardeshmukhi & Saranjami system
3. Maratha Age : An Introspection

REFERENCES:

- Sardesai, G.S. main currents of Maratha History; Volume-I
- Sardesai, G.S. Now History of Marathas; Volume-I to III
- Sarkar, J.N. Shivaji and his times-(Calcutta:1919)
- Vaidya, C.V. Shivaji, the founder of Hindu Swaraj.
- Ranade, M.G.; Rise of the Maratha power.
- Mahajan, V.D. and Sethi, R.R.: India since 1526.
- Kamdar, K.H. survey of Indian History (Foreign Policy:1818)
- Shah, M.B. Bharat no Itihas.(Maratha Period) (1707 to 1818)

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UA04CHIS22 History of India-VII (The Mughal Empire c.1605-1750)

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1. Sources for the history of Mughal Dynasty.
2. Extension of Mughal Rule : Jahangir
3. Shahjahan's Golden Age

UNIT-II

1. Aurangzeb: Career and Achievements
2. Aurangzeb: Issues in the war of succession
3. Aurangzeb: Policies regarding religious groups and institutions

UNIT-III

1. Disintegration of the Mughal empire
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3. Features of Mughal Administration

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1. Society and Economy during Mughal period
2. Visual Culture and Architecture during Mughal period
3. Trade and Commerce during Mughal period

REFERENCES:

- ripathi R.P. ,Rise and fall of Mughal Empire
- Shrivastav A.L. Mughal Empire
- Patel, Jashubhai Bharat no Itihas(1526-1707), Ahmedabad.
- Pratapsingh, Mughal kalin Bharat (1526-1656) & (1656-1761)
- Gupta Shivkumar, Madhyakalin Bharat ka Itihas.(1526-1656) &(1656-1761)
- Chandra, Dr.satish, Medieval India. (Part.- 1&2)
- Thapar Romila, 1984. The Decline of Mughal Empire, Delhi

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UA04CHIS23 History of India-VIII (The Company Rule c.1750-1857)
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UNIT-I

1. Advent of the British Power in India : From Plassey to Buxar
2. British Expansion in India (1773-1823 AD) : Overview
3. Lord William Bentinck : Era of Progress & Reforms

UNIT-II

1. First Afghan war & Annexation of Sindh
2. British-Sikh Relations
3. Lord Dalhousie : The Imperialistic Policy & Reforms

UNIT-III

1. The Upheaval of 1857 : Causes
2. The Upheaval of 1857 : Nature, Incidents
3. The Upheaval of 1857 : Impacts, Causes of Failure

UNIT-IV

1. Social Reforms during British Rule : Socio-Religious Movements
2. Growth of Western Education during British Rule in India & its Impacts
3. Impacts of British Rule on Indian Agriculture & Industry

REFERENCES:

- Banerjee, A.C. The New History of Modern India.1907-1947.
- Grover, B.L.2001. Reprint (A New Look on modern Indian History,Delhi.
- Majumdar,R.C.: History and Culture of the Indian People volume VIII to XI.
- Sarkar,Sumit. Adhunik Bharat.
- Shukla R.L.Arvin Bharat ka Itihas.
- Dharaiya R.K.Adhunik Bharat no Itihas ane Bharat no Svatantra Sangram.
part 1 to 2 (1885 to 1947)
- Parikh Dr.R.G. Bharat no Itihas (1818 to 1885)

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B.A. (History) Semester-4 Skill Enhancement
UA04SHIS21 Art Appreciation An Introduction to Indian Art

(3 Credits)

UNIT-I

1. Prehistoric and protohistoric Art
2. Major developments in stupa,cave
3. Temple Art and Architecture : An overview

UNIT-II

1. Early Indian Sculpture: Style and Iconography
2. Early medieval Sculpture: Style and Iconography
3. Early illustrated manuscripts and mural painting traditions

UNIT-III

1. Indian Bronzes or metal icons
2. Sultanate Art and Architecture : An overview
3. Mughal Art and Architecture : An overview

UNIT-IV

1. Introductions to Indian Miniature Painting traditions
2. Introduction to Indian fort,palace and haveli
3. Modern Indian Art and Architecture

REFERENCES:

- Neumayer,Erwin, Lines of Stone:The pre-historic rock-art of India, South Asia Books, 1993
- Goswamy,B.N., Essence of Indian Art,Asian Art Museum of San Francisco,1986
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- Percy Brown,:Islamic Architecture
- શાસ્ત્રી, હરિપ્રસાદ : હડપ્પા અને મોહેજો-દડો
- પરીખ, પ્રવીણચંદ્ર ચી. : ભારત દર્શન આદિયુગ જ્ઞાન ગંગોત્રી શ્રેણી
- મણિયાર,સોનલ :ગુજરાતનાં સંગ્રહાલયો, માહિતી ખાતું, ગાંધીનગર.

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B.A. (History) Semester-4

UA04SHIS22 : Historical Tourism: Theory & Practice
(3 Credits)

Unit: 1 Defining Heritage

1. Art & Architecture in India: An overview:
2. Field Work: Visit to historical sites & Museums

Unit: 2 Understanding Built Heritage:

1. tupa Architecture
2. Temple Architecture
3. Indo Persian Architecture, Forts, Palaces, Mosques
4. Colonial Architecture
5. Present day structures

Unit: 3 Field Work: Visit to site & Conducting of research

Unit: 4 Modalities of conducting tourism

ESSENTIAL READINGS:

Peter Howard, Heritage: Management, Interpretation, Identity, London, 2003

V.S Agarwal, Indian Art, Varanasi, Prithvi Prakasahan, 1972

Percy Brown, Indian Architecture, Bombay, -
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James Harle, The Art & Architecture of the Indian Subcontinent, Harmondsworth, Penguin, 1988

S.K.Bhowmik, Heritage Management: Care, Understanding & Appreciation of Cultural Heritage, Jaipur, 2004.