

**SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY**  
**B.A. (History) Semester-2 Core Course**  
**UA02CHIS22 History of India-II**  
**(321 BCE – CE 647)**  
**( 3 Credits )**

Unit: 1

1. Rise of Mauryan Empire : The founder Chandragupta
- 2 . Mauryan Emperor Ashok : Achievements, Sculpture
3. Administrative system during the Mauryan era.

Unit: 2

1. Society, Religion and Economy during Mauryan era.
2. Mauryan Art & Culture
3. Decline of Mauryas and Political disintegration of India

Unit: 3

1. Rise of Gupta Empire
2. Samudra gupta : Achievements
3. Chandra gupta-II : Achievements

Unit: 4

1. The classical age : Achievements of Guptas
2. Post Gupta period : Harshavardhan and his times
3. Education in ancient India

**ESSENTIAL READINGS**

Shastri K.A.Nilkanth	: History of India Part-1
Majmudar R.C.	: Ancient India
Mookarjee R.K.	: Glimpses of Ancient India
Majmudar R.C.	: The Classical Age.

**Hindi:**

Luniya B.N.	: Prachin Bharat ka Itihas
Pandey Rajbali	: Prachin Bharat
Gupta Parmeshwari lal	: Gupta Samrajya
शास्त्री हरिप्रसाद	: हड़प्पा અને મોહેંજો-દડો
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