

Asannagar Madan Mohan Tarkalankar College

COURSE MODULE : SESSION JULY-DECEMBER, 2020

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

3RD SEMESTER HONOURS COURSE

TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-3 CC-V	The Delhi Sultanate in Retrospect Unit-1: The successor states of Bijaynagar, Bahmani and Bengal - society, economy, art, architecture and literature. Unit-2: Delhi on the eve of the Mughal ascent - Timur's invasion - the Sayyids and Lodis - Babur's adventure - Babur's central Asian connection - Humayun's misfortune - Sher Shah Sur and Afghan rule in India.	20
PARTHA BANERJEE	HONOURS SEM-3 CC-V	Unit-3: Economy of Sultanate India - changes in land revenue administration - new agrarian relations - industry and urbanization - trade and currency. Unit-4: Ideas of state and kingship - moves from theocracy to secular administration - development of bhakti and sufi philosophy - language, literature, art and architecture.	20
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-3 CC-VI	Rise of the Modern West Unit-1: Structural features of European feudalism - the Crusades and the 14 th century crisis of feudalism - decline of feudalism in western Europe but its survival in eastern Europe . Unit-4: Europe from Thirty Years' War to Seven Years' War - rise of early nation states, Spain, France, England and Russia.	20
MILI PAUL	HONOURS SEM-3 CC-VI	Unit-2: Socio-economic roots of Renaissance - spread of new social ideas - secularism and humanism - art, architecture, science and literature - the printing revolution.	10
PARTHA ROY CHOUHURY	HONOURS SEM-3 CC-VI	Unit-3: Reformation - origin, course and results - progress of the movement from Luther to Calvin ; the counter Reformation.	10
MILI PAUL	HONOURS SEM-3 CC-VII	Europe in Transition Unit-1: Geographical explorations and overseas empires of Portugal and Spain - shift of economic balance from the Mediterranean to the Atlantic ocean - commercial and price revolution. Unit-2: Seventeenth century crisis in Europe - mercantilism and economic transition - Glorious Revolution in England and great changes in political, economic and state structure; from scientific to Industrial Revolution - rise of industrial societies in Europe.	20
NARATTAM BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-3 CC-VII	Unit-3: American War of Independence - birth of new democratic politics. Unit-4: From the age of Enlightenment to the Age of Liberalism - from feudalism to capitalism- the transition debate.	20

3RD SEMESTER PROGRAMME COURSE

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MILI PAUL	PROGRAMME SEM-3 CC-III	History of Modern India till Independence Unit-2: Exploitation and resistance – de-peasantization and de-industrialization - drain of wealth - famines in India - resistance from the tribes and peasants till the Revolt of 1857 - analysing the revolt and its aftermath – colonial policy of further exploitation through railways and industrial network.	10
NARATTAM BISWAS	PROGRAMME SEM-3 CC-III	Unit-1: Expansion and Consolidation of British Rule with special reference to Bengal, Maharashtra, Mysore, Punjab and Awadh ; colonial state and development of its administration – orientalism and utilitarianism - land revenue settlements and results thereof. Unit-3: The cultural revolution of the nineteenth century ; critique of Young Bengal Movement, Bengal Renaissance, social and religious reforms ; colonisation of education ; the women’s question.	20
PARTHA ROY CHOUHDURY	PROGRAMME SEM-3 CC-III	Unit-4: Interpreting Indian nationalism – swadeshi movement and different phases of the nationalist struggle - role of Gandhi, Tagore, Subhas Bose, Nehru and Jinnah ; workers’ and peasants’ movements – religious polarisation of national politics – partition and independence (1947).	10

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TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS SEC SEM-3 SEC-I	Understanding Heritage, Art and architecture of India Unit-4 : The Bengal School of art and architecture – Birbhum, Bankura and Bishnupur Gharana – Art Movements – Santiniketan style - Progressive Artists' Group – major artists and their works – popular art forms – folk art traditions.	10
PARTHA BANERJEE	HONOURS SEC SEM-3 SEC-I	Unit-1 : Defining heritage – an overview of cultural and built heritage of India – notions of art and craft. Unit-3 : The colonial period – western influences on Indian Art and architecture – changes in the post-colonial period.	10
MILI PAUL	HONOURS SEC SEM-3 SEC-I	Unit-2 : Pre-colonial Indian Art and Architecture – early illustrated manuscripts and mural painting traditions – nearly medieval sculpture, style and iconography – numismatic art – miniature painting, Mughal, Rajasthani and Pahari - early Indian architecture, stupa, cave and temple – the Mughals -Indo-Persian architecture, fort, palace and mosque.	10

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5TH SEMESTER HONOURS COURSE

TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
PARTHA BANERJEE	HONOURS SEM-5 CC-XI	<p style="text-align: center;">History of Modern India from the beginning of colonial rule to the Great Revolt</p> <p>Unit-1: Understanding Modern Indian History- historiography, concepts, terminologies, approaches. Unit-4: Nature of colonial exploitation - drain of wealth - famines in India - monetization and entitlement debate - resistance from the tribes and peasants till the Revolt of 1857 - analysing the Revolt and its aftermath.</p>	14
MILI PAUL	HONOURS SEM-5 CC-XI	<p>Unit-3: Rural Economy and Society - land revenue settlements - agrarian structure and transformation debate - commercialization of agriculture - rural stratification thesis, peasants and landless labourers - detribalization and the environmental question - de-industrialization, rural credit and indebtedness.</p>	13
PARTHA ROY CHOUDHURY	HONOURS SEM-5 CC-XI	<p>Unit-2: Expansion and Consolidation of British Rule with special reference to Bengal, Maharashtra, Mysore, Punjab and Awadh ; colonial state and its ideology - rule of law, orientalism, utilitarianism.</p>	13
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-5 CC-XII	<p style="text-align: center;">History of Modern India from Renaissance to Independence</p> <p>Unit-1: The cultural revolution of the nineteenth century - critique of Young Bengal Movement, Bengal Renaissance, social and religious reforms - colonisation of education - the women's question. Unit-2: Re-industrialisation of India following the spread of railway network - colonial fiscal policy and the balance of Indian trade - rise and growth of the Indian capitalist and working class.</p>	14
PARTHA ROY CHOUDHURY	HONOURS SEM-5 CC-XII	<p>Unit-3: Interpreting Indian nationalism - messianic and developmental - different phases of the nationalist struggle - politics of association and politics of union - different political parties and their ideologies - role of Gandhi, Tagore, Subhas Bose, Nehru and Jinnah - workers' and peasants' movements.</p>	13
NARATTAM BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-5 CC-XII	<p>Unit-4: Colonial policy of divide and rule - religious polarisation of the nationalist leaders - demand for Pakistan and partition of 1947 - the refugee question - struggle for new developmental economy, democracy and security in the bi-polar world.</p>	13

5TH SEMESTER PROGRAMME GE COURSE

TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
PARTHA BANERJEE	PROGRAMME SEM-5 GE-I	<p style="text-align: center;">History of India from the Earliest times to the Early Medieval Period</p> <p>Unit-1 : Sources and interpretation – broad survey of paleolithic, mesolithic and neolithic cultures – the Harappan Civilisation – journey from the Vedic state to the 16 Mahajanapadas – from the age of the Vedas to the age of Jainism and Buddhism.</p> <p>Unit-2 : The Maurya rule in Magadha - Asoka's Dhamma and administration - The post-Maurya India of the Kushanas, Satavahanas and Tamil powers, Splits in Jainism and Buddhism - Vaishnavism, Saivism</p>	14
NILENDU BISWAS	PROGRAMME SEM-5 GE-I	<p>Unit-3: Age of the Guptas ; consolidation of Magadhan empire ; debates on golden age, brahminical revival and growth of feudalism ; decline of the Gupta power and beginning of political decentralization of India ; assessing Harshavardhana as the last great emperor.</p>	13
NARATTAM BISWAS	PROGRAMME SEM-3 SEC-I	<p>Unit-4: From centralized to decentralized India - The Rajputs of North India - Palas and Senas in Bengal - Kingdoms of the South – The Pallavas, Rashtrakutas, Chalukyas and Cholas – changes in Polity, Society, Economy, Religion and Culture - towards transition.</p>	13

5TH SEMESTER HONOURS DSE COURSE

TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
MILI PAUL	HONOURS SEM-5 DSE-I	<p style="text-align: center;">History of China from Tradition to Revolution</p> <p>Unit-1: Traditional China – sino-centrism - society - social groups and classes - confucian value system - closed chinese economy - the canton trade.</p> <p>Unit-2: Confronting the foreigners - Opium Wars - treaties with imperialist powers - foreigners' struggle for concessions in China - China as an 'informal colony' – increasing western pressure - the open door policy - transformation of China from a feudal society to a semi-colonial and semi-feudal society.</p>	14
PARTHA ROY CHOWDHURY	HONOURS SEM-5 DSE-I	<p>Unit-3: The People's response – from Taiping to Boxer - self -strengthening movement and reforms 1860 -1898 and 1901-1908 - revolution of 1911 – from nationalism to comprador-ship, Sun Yat Sen to Yuan-Shi-Kai - Warlordism since 1916 - revolt of the Chinese working class, the May Fourth Movement.</p>	13
NARATTAM BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-3 SEC-I	<p>Unit-4: Development of Chinese industrial economy and growth of the Chinese proletariat - spread of communism among the proletariat in between the world wars - Chiang Kai Shek, Kuomintang and the united front - break with the front and the mature phase of Chinese communist movement under Mao Tse Tung - the Long March and the Communist Revolution of China.</p>	13
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-5 DSE-II	<p style="text-align: center;">History of Japan from Meiji Restoration to the Second World War</p> <p>Unit-1: Tokugawa Baku-han system of Japan- its nature - crisis encounter with the west - Meiji restoration - processes of modernization – social, military, political and economic.</p> <p>Unit-3: Growth of militarism in Japan and her imperialist projects - Sino -Japanese relations; Anglo-Japanese alliance - Russo-Japanese war - World War I and after - the Manchurian crisis.</p>	20
PARTHA BANERJEE	HONOURS SEM-5 DSE-II	<p>Unit-2: Popular and democratic movements - Satsuma rebellion; popular rights movement and Meiji constitution.</p> <p>Unit-4: Rise of political parties in Japan and their failure to sustain democratic system - Japan and the two World Wars.</p>	20

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PARTHA BANERJEE	PROGRAMME SEM-5 DSE-II	History of Japan from Meiji Restoration to the Second World War Unit-1: Tokugawa Baku-han system of Japan- its nature - crisis encounter with the west - Meiji restoration - processes of modernization – social, military, political and economic. Unit-3: Growth of militarism in Japan and her imperialist projects - Sino -Japanese relations; Anglo-Japanese alliance - Russo-Japanese war - World War I and after - the Manchurian crisis.	20
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5TH SEMESTER PROGRAMME SEC COURSE

TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
NILENDU BISWAS	PROGRAMME SEM-5 SEC-II	Sports and Society in India in Historical Perspective Unit-1 : Concepts and theories – Sports and History – Greek Philosophy of Sports – Greek and Roman Tradition of Sports – the Olympics.	9
MILI PAUL	PROGRAMME SEM-5 SEC-II	Unit-2 : Ideas of sports from ancient and medieval texts of India – sociology of pre-colonial Indian sports – race, religion, caste and gender.	7
NARATTAM BISWAS	PROGRAMME SEM-5 SEC-II	Unit-3 : Colonization of Indian sports in the 19 th and 20 th centuries – imposition of European sports on Indian society – commercialization of sports - impact on mind and body.	7
PARTHA ROY CHOWDHURY	PROGRAMME SEM-5 SEC-II	Unit-4 : Sports in post-colonial India – sports in education – sports and economy – sports and politics – sports and diplomacy - effects of globalization on Indian sports.	7

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PARTHA BANERJEE	HONOURS SEM-I CC-I	<p align="center">History of Early India, from remote past to the end of the Vedic Polity</p> <p>Unit-1: Historiography of early India – historical interpretations - imperialist vs nationalist school - leftist vs liberal school - secular vs religious school.</p> <p>Unit-2: Evolution from paleolithic to neolithic cultures - chalcolithic societies from Baluchistan to Gujrat - growth and decline of pre-state non-iron urban culture - the Harappan Civilization ; problem of the Indus script - journey from proto-historic to historic India.</p>	20
MILI PAUL	HONOURS SEM-I CC-I	<p>Unit-3: Legacy of the Harappan Culture - the Aryan penetration and the Anglo-Oriental debate ; beginning of iron age and settled agriculture - patterns of settlement and cultural changes - emergence of caste society, organized religion and state territoriality - the Vedic literature.</p>	10
PARTHA ROY CHOUDHURY	HONOURS SEM-I CC-I	<p>Unit-4: The non-Vedic political economy of the 16 Mahajanapadas - spread of protestant religions – Ajivikism, Jainism and Buddhism ; commercial and urban growth of India - rise of Magadha as an imperial power.</p>	10
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-I CC-II	<p align="center">Social Formation and Cultural pattern of the Ancient and early Medieval World</p> <p>Unit-1: Pre-historic and proto-historic cultures beyond India – beginning of agriculture and animal husbandry – searches into the history of Africa, the Aztec Civilization and the Inca Society.</p> <p>Unit-2: Bronze Civilizations of Egypt, Mesopotamia, China and eastern Mediterranean lands.</p>	20
PARTHA ROY CHOUDHURY	HONOURS SEM-I CC-II	<p>Unit-3: The Polis and slave society of ancient Greece - rise of ancient Rome – decline of the Roman Empire – agrarian economy and trade – the Church and the question of religion.</p>	10
NARATTAM BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-I CC-II	<p>Unit-4: Societies in Central Islamic Lands - spread of Islam – the Ummah, Caliphite State, Shariah and Sufi culture.</p>	10

1ST SEMESTER GE COURSE

TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS GE SEM-1 GE-I	Human Rights in India Unit-1 : Basic concepts and theories of human rights – social structure and the question of human rights in India, gender, caste, class and religion – state and human rights, politics and economic policies. Unit-3 : History of human right movements in India – intensity and impact.	20
PARTHA BANERJEE	HONOURS GE SEM-I GE-I	Unit-2 : International Conventions and Charters on human rights – Constitution of India and provisions for protection of human rights – legislation and landmark court judgments on human rights in India. Unit-4 : Women’s rights in India – the question of women’s empowerment – women’s access to resources of the country – violence against women, protective laws, protests and movements.	20

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2ND SEMESTER HONOURS COURSE

TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-II CC-III	Ancient India from the Maurya to Late Gupta period Unit-1: The Maurya rule in Magadha - Asoka's Dhamma and administration - the policy of cultural conquest. Unit-2: The post-Maurya India of the Kushanas, Satavahanas and Tamil powers, Chera,Chola and Pandya - new trends in economy and society – peasantization of tribes and changes in the caste system ; spread of megalithic culture - splits in Jainism and Buddhism - Vaishnavism, Saivism and Tantricism.	20
MILI PAUL	HONOURS SEM-II CC-III	Unit-3: Age of the Guptas - consolidation of Second Magadhan empire - debates on golden age, brahminical revival and growth of feudalism - decline of the Gupta power and beginning of political decentralization of India - assessing Harshavardhana as the last great emperor.	10
PARTHA ROY CHOUHURY	HONOURS SEM-II CC-III	Unit-4: Early India in retrospect – society and culture and environment - literature and philosophy - art and architecture - science, technology and guild - trade and industry.	10
PARTHA BANERJEE	HONOURS SEM-II CC-IV	History of Early Medieval India Unit-1: Sources of History and historiography of the period - contemporary texts and travelogues - indigenous literature and archaeology. Unit-3: Condition in the pre-Sultanate period - Polity, Society, Economy, Religion and Culture - towards transition.	20
MILI PAUL	HONOURS SEM-II CC-IV	Unit-2: From centralized to decentralized India - The Rajputs of North India - Palas and Senas in Bengal - Kingdoms of the South – The Pallavas, Rashtrakutas, Chalukyas and Cholas..	10
NARATTAM BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-II CC-IV	Unit-4: Northern India under the Delhi Sultanate - the Turkish invasions from 997 to 1206 AD - consolidation of the Sultanate from 1206 to 1286 AD - the Khalji Revolution and the omnipotent state under the Khaljis - The Tughluq period of reforms and counter reforms - decline of the Delhi Sultanate.	10

2ND SEMESTER GE COURSE

TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS GE SEM-II GE-II	Making of Contemporary India Unit-1 : Towards independence – from Government of India Act (1935) to the Mountbatten Plan – partition and birth of the new State of India in 1947 – communal riots, influx of refugees and their rehabilitation. Unit-3 : The Indian Economy – planned economy – the land question – industry and labour – the demographic and public health.	20
PARTHA BANERJEE	HONOURS GE SEM-II GE-II	Unit-2 : Making of the Republic – the Constituent Assembly and framing of the Constitution – integration of princely states – electoral politics and the changing party system – setting the tone for new foreign policy, non-aligned movement, issues of Pakistan, Bangladesh and China. Unit-4 : The Indian Society – caste, religion and gender – movements and legislations – education - cultural trends, institutions and ideas, literature, media and performing arts.	20

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MILI PAUL	PROGRAMME SEM-II CC-II	History of Medieval India Unit-1 : Northern India under the Delhi Sultanate - consolidation of the Sultanate from 1206 to 1286 AD ; the Khalji Revolution and the omnipotent state under the Khaljis ; The Tughluq period of reforms and counter reforms ; decline of the Delhi Sultanate - the successor states of Bijaynagar, Bahmani and Bengal - society, economy, art, architecture and literature. Unit -3 : Agrarian crisis and the decline of the Mughal Empire - regional polity – the Marathas under <i>Shivaji</i> and the <i>Peshwas</i> ; the Sikh challenge - emergence of successor states – Bengal, <i>Awadh</i> , Mysore and Hyderabad.	14
NARATTAM BISWAS	PROGRAMME SEM-II CC-II	Unit-2 : Delhi on the eve of the Mughal ascent - Timur's invasion - the Sayyids and Lodis - Babu's adventure - Babur's central Asian connection - Humayun's misfortune - Sher Shah Sur and Afghan rule in India - Making of the Mughal State from Akbar to Aurangzeb.	13
PARTHA ROY CHOUDHURY	PROGRAMME SEM-II CC-II	Unit - 4 : Mughal India in retrospect - state and religion ; evolution of the administrative system – mansab and jagir - management of land and agriculture – features of urban economy, trade and industry - society and culture – religion of the masses - language, music and literature ; art and architecture.	13

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4TH SEMESTER HONOURS COURSE

TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-4 CC-VIII	History of Mughal India Unit-1: Survey of sources and different aspects of historiography of Mughal India – reading of the texts of AbulFazal, Badauni, Abdul Hamid Lahori and Bernier - Studies in the writings of Sir Jadunath Sarkar and historians from Delhi and Aligarh schools. Unit-3: Trade, commerce, and monetary system - routes of trade and commodity pattern of internal transactions - overseas trade and commodity pattern - markets and monetary system.	20
PARTHA BANERJEE	HONOURS SEM-4 CC-VIII	Unit-2: Making of the Mughal State from Akbar to Aurangzeb - state and religion - management of land and agriculture - evolution of the administrative system - mansab and jagir - the Mughal ruling classes - nobility and zamindars - the peasants and village community. Unit-4: Urban centres - morphology of cities - urban economy – crafts, technology and industry - imperial <i>karkhanas</i> - urban social structure, merchant communities, bankers, artisans, craftsmen and labourers.	20
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-4 CC-IX	History of Late Medieval India Unit-1: Society and culture – religion of the masses - language, music and literature - art and architecture. Unit-2: Regional polity - the Marathas under <i>Shivaji</i> and the <i>Peshwas</i> - the Sikh challenge.	20
MILI PAUL	HONOURS SEM-4 CC-IX	Unit-3: Decline of the Mughal Empire - agrarian crisis and the eighteenth century debate.	10
PARTHA ROY CHOU DHURY	HONOURS SEM-4 CC-IX	Unit -4 : Emergence of successor states – Bengal, <i>Awadh</i> , Mysore and Hyderabad.	10
MILI PAUL	HONOURS SEM-4 CC-X	Rise of Modern Europe Unit-1: Historiography – studies in the writings of Alfred Cobban, Lefebvre, Eric Hobsbawm, E.P.Thompson, David Thomson and A.J.P.Taylor. Unit-2: The eighteenth century background to the French Revolution - society, economy, and polity ; the philosophers and the ideological revolution.	20
NARATTAM BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-4 CC-X	Unit-3: People in the French Revolution – aristocracy, bourgeois, peasants and workers - the Constituent Assembly and its achievements - Girondins and Jacobins - the Reign of Terror and the Rise and fall of the Jacobin Republic - the Thermidorian reaction and the Directory ; the Napoleonic Era - interpreting the French Revolution. Unit-4: The unity and disunity in Europe in 1815 - the Vienna Congress and rise of Metternich - struggle between forces of continuity and change.	20

4TH SEMESTER PROGRAMME COURSE

TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
NARATTAM BISWAS	PROGRAMME SEM-4 CC-IV	History of Europe from the Fifteenth to the Twentieth Century Unit-3: The French Revolution ; society, economy, and polity ; the philosophers and the ideological revolution – the Napoleonic era – the Vienna Settlement and the Metternich system - revolutions of 1830 and 1848 – birth of the united nation states of Germany and Italy – Karl Marx and the socialist challenge in Europe.	10
MILI PAUL	PROGRAMME SEM-4 CC-IV	Unit-1: Renaissance and Reformation - socio-economic roots - secularism and humanism - art, architecture, science and literature - the printing revolution. Unit-2: Seventeenth century crisis - Glorious Revolution in England and great changes in political, economic and state structure - American War of Independence, birth of new democratic politics - from scientific to Industrial Revolution - rise of industrial societies in Europe – the transition debate.	20
PARTHA ROY CHOUDHURY	PROGRAMME SEM-4 CC-IV	Unit-4: Roots of European imperialism, Nazism and Fascism - the World Wars as the total wars - from the League of Nations to the UNO - the Cold War after 1945 - various military and economic alliances ; regional conflicts in the bi-polar world, Vietnam, Korea, Cuba, the middle East and Afghanistan.	10

4TH SEMESTER GE COURSE

TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS GE SEM-4 GE-IV	Social and Cultural History of Bengal ,14th to 20th centuries Unit-1 : Bengal in the 14 th century – geographical and socio-economic formation – the Chaitanya Movement – aspects of social transformation. Unit-2 : Colonial rule in Bengal and debates on the imperial impact – structural changes in rural and urban economy.	20
PARTHA BANERJEE	HONOURS GE SEM-4 GE-IV	Unit-3 : Bengal's response to the Western Impact – social and religious reforms in 19 th and 20 th centuries – trends of politics, nationalism, leftism and communalism. Unit-4 : The pangs of partition – the refugee question – development Bengali literature in the 19 th and 20 th centuries – performing arts, urban and rural.	20

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6TH SEMESTER HONOURS COURSE

TEACHER	COURSE	TOPIC	TOTAL CLASS
PARTHA BANERJEE	HONOURS SEM-6 CC-XIII	<p style="text-align: center;">Modern Europe : From Nationalism to Socialism</p> <p>Unit-1: The age of Revolutions – the national revolutions (1830-1850) - the liberal revolutions and the transformation of Russian society - remaking of eastern Europe.</p> <p>Unit-2: The economic revolutions, consolidation of capitalism and formation of big national states in Germany and Italy - imperial advances before and after Bismarck – developments in eastern Europe - the new balance of power in Europe - Europe divided.</p>	14
MILI PAUL	HONOURS SEM-6 CC-XIII	<p>Unit-3: Politics of democracy - industrial society and its critics - new concept of welfare state and revolution in medical science - reason, social change and social reform - the new woman - arts transformed.</p>	13
PARTHA ROY CHOUDHURY	HONOURS SEM-6 CC-XIII	<p>Unit-4: The socialist challenge - from utopian to Marxian socialism - the German, French and Russian variety of socialist politics.</p>	13
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PARTHA ROY CHOUDHURY	HONOURS SEM-6 CC-XIV	<p>Unit-2: Roots of European imperialism and the World Wars as the total war - impact of war on European mind - Peace settlement of 1919 and search for the collective security - the League of Nations.</p>	13
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NARATTAM BISWAS	PROGRAMME SEM-II CC-II	Unit-2 : Delhi on the eve of the Mughal ascent - Timur's invasion - the Sayyids and Lodis - Babu's adventure - Babur's central Asian connection - Humayun's misfortune - Sher Shah Sur and Afghan rule in India - Making of the Mughal State from Akbar to Aurangzeb.	13
PARTHA ROY CHOUHDURY	PROGRAMME SEM-II CC-II	Unit - 4 : Mughal India in retrospect - state and religion ; evolution of the administrative system - mansab and jagir - management of land and agriculture - features of urban economy, trade and industry - society and culture - religion of the masses - language, music and literature ; art and architecture.	13

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MILI PAUL	HONOURS SEM-6 DSE-III	History of Bangladesh from Liberation to the present day Unit 3 : Bangladesh after independence - society, economy and politics. Unit 4 : Foreign policy of Bangladesh - relations with India - role of Bangladesh in the SAARC and ASEAN.	14
PARTHA ROY CHOWDHURY	HONOURS SEM-6 DSE-III	Unit-1 : The genesis - issues of conflict between Pakistani non-Bengali elite group and the rising Bengali middle class of East Pakistan.	13
NARATTAM BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-6 DSE-III	Unit 2 : Political transformation in East Pakistan - emergence of linguistic nationalism since 1952 - resistance against Pakistani militarism - rise of Sheikh Mujibur Rahaman as the new mass leader - Awami League Movement, 1966 to 1970 - Bangladesh liberation movement of 1971 - birth of Bangladesh in 1972.	13
PARTHA BANERJEE	HONOURS SEM-6 DSE-IV	History of Women in India Unit-1 : Women in the Indian tradition - different socio-religious movements in pre-colonial India and women's position re-defined. Unit-2 : Feminism revisited in the Indian context - the women's question in 19 th century India during colonial modernization - the debates on Sati and Purdah.	20
NILENDU BISWAS	HONOURS SEM-6 DSE-IV	Unit-3 : The nationalist resolution on the women's question - women in the freedom movement in India. Unit-4 : Emerging new woman in post-colonial India - women's organizations and fight against their marginalization - women in Indian literature and performing art.	20