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Enrollment Number:

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BA DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, DECEMBER 2024

Third Semester

B.A. History

B21HS01SE – Historical Tourism

(2023 January admissions)

Time: 3 Hours

Max Marks: 70

Section A

Answer any ten of the following questions in a word or sentence each. Each question carries 1 mark.

1. Who wrote Indica?
2. Who was the founder of Maurya dynasty?
3. Name the work of Fa-Hien
4. Who first discovered Bhimbetka?
5. Name the work of Marco Polo?
6. Who built Bekal Fort?
7. Who attacked the Cheraman Mosque?
8. Who conceptualised and constructed the Golden Temple?
9. Who constructed the shrine at Bodh Gaya?
10. What was the name of the currency used for exchange in India?
11. Who called Hawkins “English Khan”
12. Who published the travelogues of Peter Mundy?
13. Who was instrumental in founding the French East India Company?
14. Which city is known as the 'Diamonds of Golconda'?
15. Who was ruling India when Batutta visited India?

(1X10=10)

Section B

Answer any ten of the following questions in two or three sentences each. Each question carries 2 marks.

16. What were the contributions of HiuenTsang?
17. What were the major challenges faced by the medieval travellers in India?

18. How does Malayattoor Church influence the religious realm of Kerala
19. What is the importance of Thiruchirappalli as a heritage centre.
20. Sewagram Ashram
21. What is the religious significance of Amritsar?
22. How Sir Thomas Roe influenced the Mughal court in establishing British settlements in India?
23. Write a brief note on Francois Bernier
24. Give a brief note on Amir Khusaru
25. Prepare a list of Travelogues of Kerala and their historical significance
26. Discuss the importance of Palakkad Fort in Kerala history
27. Briefly discuss the cultural significance of padmanaphapuram palace.
28. Briefly describes the Importance of Hampi
29. How does Thunjan Parambu influence Malayalam literature?
30. Analyse the historical significance of indica.

(2X10=20)

Section C

Answer any five of the following questions in a paragraph each. Each question carries 4 marks.

31. Briefly explain the importance of Bhimbethka
32. Make a brief note on Khajuraho
33. Briefly mention the cultural significance of Thanjavoor
34. Assess the significance of Bodhgaya
35. Briefly explain the travelogues of Marco Polo
36. Briefly prepare the Malayalam travelogues
37. What are the educational aspects of Santinikethan?
38. Prepare a brief note on Edakkal caves
39. Assess the cultural significance of Pazhassinikadavu temple
40. Briefly narrate the cultural significance of Sabarimala.

(4X5=20)

Section D

Answer any two of the following questions in two pages each. Each question carries 10 marks.

41. Briefly discuss the archaeological sites of Palakkad
42. Evaluate the historical destinations in India and their importance.
43. Examine various religious sites in India and emphasise their significance
44. Narrate the contributions made by Medieval travellers to Indian history

(10X2=20)