Department of History

Tura Government College,

. Syllabus Distribution ODD SEMESTER 2023-202



BA 1st Semester - HIS-100: HISTORY OF INDIA: EARLIEST TIMES TO THE POST VEDIC

Unit II: Pre and Proto Historic India Palaeolithic cultures: Sequence and distribution; tool typology and technology; subsistence patterns; Mesolithic cultures: Regional and chronological distribution; new developments in technology and economy;	Madam Benora B Masharing
Neolithic and the advent of food production; regional and chronological distribution; patterns of exchange;	Madam Jessica A Sangma
Chalcolithic cultures in India with special reference to Ahar, Kayatha, Malwa and Jorwe cultures; distribution pattern and subsistence economy.	Madam Benora B Masharing
Unit III : Harappan Civilization Origin; settlement pattern and town planning; agrarian base; art and craft, trade; socio-political organization and religious beliefs; the problem of urban decline.	Sir Armstrong K Marak
Unit IV : Vedic to Post-Vedic Period Vedic culture: Early to Later-Vedic period (society, economy, polity and religion); post-Vedic period (Iron technology, trade, money economy and urbanization);	Madam Judith G Momin
the rise of heterodox sects; Buddhism and Jainism (origin and teachings);	Madam Eglentina Jana
the rise of Mahajanapadas; emergence of Magadha as a paramount power.	Madam Jessica A Sangma

(Contact Hours: 60, Credits: 4)



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Paper III

	Cov Objective: This
course offers an overview of the main trends and developments in India during	e man keriod
Units	Kachers
Unit I: Eighteenth century- period of transition. Rise of regional powers, advent	GARO HILLS
of European trade and the struggle for supremacy. Policies colonial expansion-	
Robert Clive, Lord Wellesley, Lord Hastings and Lord Dalhousie.	Madam Jessica A Sangma
Unit II:	
Economy and Society: British commercial policy and De-industrialization.	Madam Jyotsna D Sangma
Land Revenue Policy Commercialization of Agriculture, rise of modern	
industries, transport and communication. Western education under the	
Company and its impact.	
Renaissance in Modern India	
Brahmo Samaj and Arya Samaj and Aligarh Movement, Participation of	Sir Armstrong K Marak
Women in Reform Movements.	SII AIIIIStiolig K Marak
Unit III:	
Resistance to colonial rule: Revolt of 1857- causes, nature and effects, peasant	Sir Armstrong K Marak
and tribal resistance - Indigo and Santhal. National movement- emergence of	
nationalism, origins and growth of the Indian National Congress (1885-1905).	
Rise of Economic Nationalism.	Madam Jyotsna D Sangma
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Partition of Bengal (1905) and Swadeshi Movement. in Indian politics. Birth of	f
the Muslim League.	Madam Jessica A Sangma
Unit IV	
Swaraj to Complete Independence: Role of Gandhi in the national movement;	Sir Armstrong K Marak
Khilafat and Non Cooperation Movements; Left Wing in the Indian National	Sh Thinstong K Watak
Congress ,Revolutionary Activism. (Bhagat Singh and Surya Sen) Government	
of India Act, 1935 Quit India Movement, Indian National Army, Independence	
and Partition.	



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Paper V His-UG-505: Modern World (Mid-15th Century to World War II)

Objective: This course aims at introducing students to some of the major development the modern world from the mid-15th century to World War II.

Units	Teachers no HTLS*
Unit I : Definition and features of Feudalism; Decline of Feudalism. Era of Mercantilism and beginnings of Colonialism; Rise of new monarchies- Portugal, Spain, England and France. Socio-economic revolutions - Agricultural and Industrial.	Madam Eglentina R Jana
Unit II : Rise of the modem era- Renaissance and Reformation. Political Revolutions- American and French : causes and consequences.	Madam Eglentina R Jana
Unit III : Napoleon- rise and reform; Congress of Vienna.	Sir Armstrong K Marak
Making of Nation States Unification of Italy and Germany. The ferment in the Balkans. The Russian Revolution- causes and consequences.	Madam Jessica A Sangma
Unit IV : Rise of New Imperialism: World War I- beginnings and peace settlements	Sir Armstrong K Marak
beginnings and peace settlements League of Nations-origins and failure.	Madam Jessica A Sangma
Emergence of new ideologies- Fascism and Nazism. Spanish Civil War,	Madam J D Sangma
Origins and consequences of World War II.	Sir Armstrong K Marak



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Paper VI

His-UG-506: Contemporary World (1945-1991)

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Objective: This course is designed to introduce the students to the major political, social, economic and scientific developments in the contemporary world and

Units	Teachers GAROHILS
Unit 1 : Formation, objectives and organization of the United Nations Organization (UNO). Concept and process of Decolonization- case studies of Indonesia, Algeria and Kenya.	Madam Judith G Momin
Unit II : Cold War and Nuclear Politics; Berlin Blockade and Berlin Wall; North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) and Warsaw Pact; Cuban Missile Crisis,	Madam Judith G Momin
Vietnam War and Soviet invasion of Afghanistan.	Dr. Benora Batemon Masharing
Unit III : Arab-Israeli Conflict; Politics leading to the formation of the Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC), Gulf War;Organization of African Unity (OAU).	Dr. Benora Batemon Masharing
Unit IV : Liberation movements: Non-Aligned Movement (NAM); Apartheid Movement in South Africa; Feminist Movement.	Madam Eglentina R Jana



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HIS-150: HISTORY OF INDIA: MAURYA TO POST GUPTA PERIOD (Contact Hou its :4 e Indian

Objective To introduce the broad socio-economic, political and cultural deve

subcontinent from 320 BCE - 650 CE.

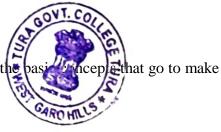
Learning Outcome - Students will be informed about the historical develop ts in the

Unit I Mauryan Empire	
Sources of historical reconstruction;	
Background of the rise of the Mauryan Empire:	
the Nanda Dynasty; Invasion of Alexander and its impact;	Madam Jessica A Sangma
Political history of the Mauryas, society, economy, administration	
and art; Ashoka's Dhamma; the decline of the Mauryas	
Unit II Post-Mauryan Period	Madam Eglentina Jana
Sources; political history of the Indo-Greeks,	
Sakas, Kushanas and Satvahanas; art and architecture	
(Gandhara, Mathura and Amaravati School; Stupa, Chaitya and Vihara);	
religious developments (Hinyana and Mahayana);	
society and economy (trade and commerce, guilds); the Sangam Age.	
Unit III Gupta-Vakataka Age	Madam Judith G Momin
Sources; political history of the period with reference to Samudragupta	
and Chandragupta II; society and economy; rise of feudalism;	
cultural developments (architecture, sculpture, paintings	
with reference to Ajanta; literature and science).	
Unit IV Post-Gupta Developments	
Political History (Harshavardhana of Kannauj,	Madam Benora B
Pulkesin II Chalukya of Vatapi and	Masharing
Kumara Bhaskaravarman of Kamarupa);	and
political organization and growing importance of Samanta system;	Sir Armstrong K Marak
religious developments (Vaisnavism, Shaivism and Shaktism);	
Pallava art and architecture.	

Paper IV

His-UG- 404: Historiography

Objective: The course content of this paper is to introduce the students to the pass subject matter of history.



Course content:

Units	Teachers Names
Unit I : Definitions and Nature of History- from the Classical Age to the twentieth century. Objectivity in History Generalization and Causation in History.	Madam Jyotsna D Sangma
Unit II : History and the other social sciences: Archaeology, Anthropology, Sociology, Political Science, Geography, Economics.	Dr. Benora Batemon Masharing
Unit III : Major trends in Historiography: Brief survey of Greek and Roman History, Herodotus. Empiricism, L.V.Ranke. Historical Materialism. A.J.Toynbee and Marc Bloch.	Madam Judith G Momin
Unit IV : Trends in modern Indian Historiography: Imperialist historiography, Nationalist historiography, Subaltern historiography. Periodization in Indian history.	Dr. Benora Batemon Masharing



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Paper VII

His-UG-607 (1): China and Japan (1839-1949)

Objective: The objective of this course is to introduce the students with the beginning and growth of modernisation in China and Japan during the period 1839-1949.

Course content:	Staovr. course
Units	Teac
Unit I : Traditional China: Social, economic and political conditions in the mid-19 century. European expansion: the opening of China; Opium Wars- causes and consequences. China's response to the European challenge; Taiping Rebellion; Reform movements: Boxer Rebellion.	Shri Armstrong K Marak
Unit II : Birth of the Republic of China: Career of Sun Yat Sen; Revolution of 1911; The Kuomintang (KMT), The period of Warlords, The May Fourth Movement; The origin and growth of the Chinese Communist Party (CCP); Civil War and the communist seizure of power in 1949.	Dr. Benora Batemon Masharing
Unit III : Traditional Japan: Social, economic and political conditions in the mid-19 century. Meiji Restoration and the process of modernization. Sino-Japanese relations, Anglo-Japanese alliance; Russo Japanese War, Japan and the First World War.	Madam Jyotsna D Sangma
UnitIV :	
Rise of Japanese militarism; Washington Conference.	Madam Jyotsna D Sangma
Manchurian Crisis	Shri Armstrong K Marak
Japan and the Second World War	Madam Jyotsna D Sangma



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Paper VIII

His-UG-608 (2): North East India (1824-1972)

Objective: The objectives of this course are to familiarize the students with the major the political, social and economic developments in developments in North East India from 1874 of 1884

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Course content:

Units	Teachers ARD HTLLS
Unit I: British Expansion and Consolidation Northeast First	Sir Armstrong K Marak
Anglo-Burmese War and of Yandaboo; Annexations of Assam, Cachar and Jaintia, British relations with Manipur, Tripura, Khasi, Jaintia, Garo, Naga and Mizo.	And Madam Eglentina R Jana
Unit II: Economics and social changes under British Rule – Land Revenue, Tea Plantation, railways and Western Education.	Madam Jessica A Sangma
Unit III : Impact of the Nationalist Movement Assam- Partition Bengal; Assam Association; Non- Cooperation, Civil Disobedience and Quit Movements; Mission Independence.	Madam Jessica A Sangma
Unit IV : Political developments since Independence- Integration of Manipur, Tripura, Khasi States Indian Bordaloi Committee Report, the Sixth Schedule, Separatism Naga Mizo Naga National emergence Meghalaya Nagaland, Mizo National (MNF);Hill State Movement and the emergence of Meghalaya.	Madam Eglentina R Jana

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