

2023

(5th Semester)

HISTORY

Paper No. : HIS-501

(History of Europe)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

(PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 45)

The questions are of equal value

1. (a) Enumerate the main features of feudalism.

Or

(b) Discuss the factors that led to the rise of new monarchies in Europe.

2. (a) What do you understand by the term reformation? What are the causes of the beginning of the movement?

Or

(b) Describe the various achievements or renaissance in the fields of art, literature and science.

3. (a) Examine the salient features of the absolutist state.

Or

(b) What is Colonialism? Bring out the main features of colonialism.

4. (a) What facilitated England to become the industrial workshop of the world?

Or

(b) Give an account of the American War of Independence.

5. (a) Explain the causes of the French Revolution of 1789.

Or

(b) Discuss the main events of the Concert of Europe.

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(PART : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 25)

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION—I

(Marks : 10)

Put a Tick (✓) mark against the correct answer in the brackets provided : 1×10=10

1. The Thirty Years War was brought to an end in 1648 by the

(a) Treaty of Westphalia ()

(b) Treaty of Utrecht ()

(c) Treaty of Pyrenees ()

(2)

2. The House of Bourbon is a European Royal House of

(a) Spanish origin ()

(b) French origin ()

(c) English origin ()

3. The father of Italian poetry was

(a) Dante ()

(b) Petrarch ()

(c) Boccaccio ()

4. John Calvin started reformation in

(a) England ()

(b) France ()

(c) Switzerland ()

5. Who discovered the Cape of Good Hope?

(a) Vasco da Gama ()

(b) Columbus ()

(c) Bartholomew Diaz ()

6. Absolutists state ()

(a) decentralised political power ()

(b) centralised political power ()

(c) neutralised political power ()

7. Glorious Revolution restored monarchy in

(a) France ()

(b) Spain ()

(c) England ()

8. Originally, there were _____ American colonies.

(a) 12 ()

(b) 13 ()

(c) 14 ()

9. Which of the following is not a representative of the Congress of Vienna?

(a) Austria ()

(b) Russia ()

(c) USA ()

10. Who wrote *The Social Contract*?

(a) Locke ()

(b) Rousseau ()

(c) Thomas Moore ()

(4)

SECTION—II

(Marks : 5)

State whether the following statements are *True (T)* or *False (F)* by putting a Tick (✓) mark : 1×5=5

1. Spanish Armada was built by Philip II of Spain.

(T / F)

2. The famous *Ninety-five Theses* was written by Martin Luther.

(T / F)

3. Mercantilism was meant to serve the interests of the empire, not the colony.

(T / F)

4. England was the centre of Industrial Revolution.

(T / F)

5. Napoleon was finally defeated at the battle of Trafalgar.

(T / F)

(5)

SECTION—III

(Marks : 10)

Write short notes on the following : $2 \times 5 = 10$

1. Feudalism

Or

Rise of New Monarchies

2. Christopher Columbus

Or

Vasco da Gama

(7)

3. Mercantilism

Or

Two features of absolutists states

4. Results of Industrial Revolution

Or

Stamp Act

5. The Tennis Court Oath

Or

Reign of Terror
