

B.A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, MAY 2014**Second Semester**

Complementary Course – History

TRANSITION TO THE CONTEMPORARY WORLD

[2013 Admissions only]

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Part A*Answer all questions.**Each question carries 1 mark.*

1. The French Revolution led to the end of _____.
 - (a) Feudalism.
 - (b) Capitalism.
 - (c) Socialism.
 - (d) Imperialism.
2. France joined the Congress of Vienna as the _____ member.
 - (a) Second.
 - (b) Third.
 - (c) Fourth.
 - (d) Fifth.
3. Resorgiment was founded by _____.
 - (a) Cavour.
 - (b) Garibaldi.
 - (c) Mazzini.
 - (d) Bismarck.
4. Italian Fascism promoted _____.
 - (a) Colonialism.
 - (b) Imperialism.
 - (c) Feudalism.
 - (d) Capitalism.
5. National Socialism became the basis of _____.
 - (a) Fascism.
 - (b) Nazism.
 - (c) Communism.
 - (d) Socialism.
6. New Economic Policy of Vladimir Lenin stood for _____.
 - (a) Liberalism.
 - (b) Free Market.
 - (c) Public Sector.
 - (d) Private Sector.

7. The Great Depression originated from _____.
- (a) United States of America. (b) France.
(c) United Kingdom of Britain. (d) Germany.
8. Sustainable Development tried to ensure human progress through the use of _____.
- (a) Internet. (b) Technology.
(c) National Resources. (d) Science.
9. Anti-colonial movements in Asia had its genesis from _____.
- (a) Calicut. (b) Cochin.
(c) China. (d) Japan.
10. Point out the organisation that was there both in the League of Nations and the UNO :
- (a) World Health Organisation.
(b) UNESCO.
(c) International Labour Organisation.
(d) Food and Agricultural Organisation.

(10 × 1 = 10)

Part B

Answer any **eight** questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

11. The Estates General and the National Assembly.
12. National Fascist Party.
13. German Nazi Party.
14. Carborari.
15. Bolsheviks Party.
16. Peoples Liberation Army.
17. Socialist Market Economy.
18. Global warming.
19. Global Terrorism.
20. Environmental Sustainability.
21. League of Nations.
22. The South East Asia Treaty Organisation.

(8 × 2 = 16)

Part C (Short Essays)

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries 4 marks.

23. What were the social implications of French Revolution?
24. Bring out the role of Metternich in the Congress of Vienna.
25. How did the blood and iron policy of Bismarck promote the unification of Germany?
26. "Imperialism is a policy of extending ones rule over foreign countries." Discuss.
27. Why did Stalin adopt Five Year Plans instead of the New Economic Policy?
28. What were the major causes of the Great Depression?
29. How did Globalisation promote the mobility of labour?
30. Mention the aims and objectives of the United Nations Organisation.
31. Did the growth of Information Technology promote mobility of labour?

(6 × 4 = 24)

Part D (Essays)

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

32. Analyse the continental impact of the French Revolution.
33. Estimate the legacy of the Russian Revolution.
34. Describe the salient features of the post-depression economic and political order.
35. Trace the genesis of anti-colonial movements in India.

(2 × 15 = 30)