

# WESTERN HISTORY

The syllabus of the Courses in the Four (04) semesters is as follows:

M. A. Western History

Semester I

Core 01 WHC01

Western World

(1450-1648)

*Course Objective:*

*After the completion of this course, the students will acquire in-depth knowledge about:*

1. *Coming of the modern times in the Western World.*
2. *Religious reform movements in Europe.*
3. *Counter-reformation movement in Europe.*
4. *Rulers of Spain, England and France- Domestic and Foreign policy.*

## Unit I

1. Decline of Middle Ages in Europe
2. Geographical Discovery
3. Commercial Revolution
4. Renaissance

## Unit II

1. Religious Reform Movement - causes
2. Reformation in Germany
3. Reformation in England and Switzerland
4. Radical Protestantism

## Unit III

1. Counter Reformation
2. Effect of Religious Reform Movement
3. Hapsburg Emperor Charles V
4. Philip II of Spain

## Unit IV

1. Tudor Kings of England: Henry VII, Henry VIII, Edward VI and Mary Tudor
2. Elizabeth I of England
3. Henry IV of France

## Unit V

1. Richelieu
2. Louis XIV
3. Thirty Years War
4. Treaty of Westphalia 1648

### **Suggested Readings:**

1. World Civilizations by Burns, Ralph, Lerner, Meacham, W.R. Goyal Publishers & Distributors, Volume II & III, 1991
2. C. J. H. Hayes, Europe to 1870, Surjeet Publications, 2004
3. Weber, Modern Europe.
4. Edward MacNall Burns, Philip Lee Ralph, Robert E. Lerner and Standish Meacham, World Civilizations, Vol. A & B, W.W. Norton & Company, New York, 1991.
5. Warner, Martin and Muir, British History
6. James Joll, History of Europe
7. History of Europe since 1500 by C.J.H. Hayes, Macmillan Publication, 1949.
8. A Text Book of Modern European History (1453-1661) by George W. Southgate, J.M. Dent and Sons Ltd.
9. The New Cambridge Modern History by G.R. Elton, Vol. II, The Reformation, 1990.
10. The New Cambridge Modern History by G.R. Potter, Vol. I, The Renaissance, 1990.
11. Renaissance and Reformation: A Survey of European History Between 1450 & 1660 by V.H. Green, Published by Edward Arnold, 1977
12. The French Revolution: From Enlightenment to Tyranny by Ian Davidson, Pegasus Books, 2016.
13. **ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ ਦਾ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ (1450-1789) - ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ, ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ, 2016.**
14. **ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ ਦਾ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ - ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ ਸਾਹਿਤ, ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ ਸਾਹਿਤ, 17ਵੀਂ ਸੰਸਕਰਣ, 2016.**
15. **ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ (1789-1918) – ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ, ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ, 2018**
16. **ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ ਦਾ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ - ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ ਸਾਹਿਤ, ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ ਸਾਹਿਤ, 2014**
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21. **ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ ਦਾ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ (1789-1950) - ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ, ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ**
22. **ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ ਦਾ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ - ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ ਸਾਹਿਤ, ਭਾਰਤੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ ਸਾਹਿਤ, 2016**

M.A. Semester I  
Western History  
Core02 WHC02  
Western World (1648-1789)

*Course Objective:*

*After the completion of this course, Students will have in-depth knowledge and strong foundation in the following areas:*

1. *The Political events in various countries of Europe.*
2. *The foreign policy of European nations.*
3. *The American War of Independence.*
4. *The causes of the French Revolution of 1789.*

Unit I

1. Struggle between Stuart Kings, Charles I and James I, and Parliament of England
2. Civil War and Commonwealth in England

Unit II

1. Charles II, James II and Glorious Revolution of 1688
2. Grand Monarch Louis XIV of France.

Unit III

1. Age of Enlightenment.
2. Enlightened Despots

UNIT IV

1. Rise of Russia.
2. Rise of Prussia.
3. Austrian War of Succession and Seven Years War

Unit V

1. American War of Independence
2. Constitutional Development
3. Causes of French Revolution.

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1. World Civilizations by Burns, Ralph, Lerner, Meacham, W.R. Goyal Publishers & Distributors, Volume II & III, 1991
2. C. J. H. Hayes, Europe to 1870, Surjeet Publications, 2004
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M.A. Semester I  
Western History  
Core03 WHC03

(U.S.A. 1763-1869)

*Course Objective:*

*The course helps to provide an insight into the circumstances that led to the birth of the United States of America, the building to the new Nation and its expansion from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean. The course also helps the students to understand the old historical ties between United States and the European Nations especially England. The course will build a robust foundation for the students to understand the historical roots of the various problems that the U.S.A. faces today.*

Unit I

1. Road to independence(American Revolution)
2. Confederation and the Constitution

Unit II

- 1.Internal Administration : Washington to Jackson
2. Aspects of Foreign Policy : Washington to Jackson

Unit III

1. The Westward Movement.
2. Industrial Revolution

Unit IV

1. The War with Mexico.
- 2.Sectional Conflict

Unit V

1. Civil War
2. The Post-war South.

**Suggested Readings:**

**History of U.S.A.**

- E.Channing, History of the United States.  
J.B.McMaster, History of the People's of the United States from the Revolution to the Civil War  
H.L.Osgood, The American Colonies in the Eighteenth century  
L.H.Gipson, British Empire before the American Revolution  
John G. Miller, Origins of the American Revolution  
H.Nickerson, The turning point of Revolution  
T.Roosevelt, The winning of the West  
C.Warren, The making of the Constitution  
N.Schachner, The Founding fathers  
J.W.Pratt, The expansionists of 1812  
D.Perkin, The Monroe doctrine 1823-1826  
J.S.Bassett, The life of Andrew Jackson  
T.A.Bailey, A diplomatic history of the American People  
J.F.Rhodes, History of the United States from the compromise of 1850  
J.G.Randall, The Civil War and the Reconstruction  
A.Nevins, Emergence of Lincoln  
A.J.Beveridge, Abraham Lincoln 1809-1858  
Carl Sandburg, Abraham Lincoln: The War Years, Four Vol.  
E.D.Adams, Great Britain and the American Civil War  
J.M.Callahan, A diplomatic history of the Southern Confederacy  
D.Jordan and E.J.Pratt, Europe and the American Civil War  
C.G.Bowers, The tragic era  
D.M.Dewitt, The impeachment of trial of Andrew Johnson  
W.A.Dunning, Reconstruction, Political and Economic  
E.D.Oberholtzer, History of the United States since the Civil War  
G.Myers, History of the Great American Fortunes  
F.R.Dulles, Labor in America

M.A. Semester I  
Western History  
Core04 WHC04  
South Asia in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century (1800-1857)

*Course Objective:*

*After the completion of this course, Students will have the in-depth knowledge about:*

1. *Western Imperialism in India, Sri Lanka, Nepal and Bhutan and its impact.*
2. *Political events in Afghanistan.*

UNIT I

1. South Asia on the eve of 19<sup>th</sup> century (India, Sri Lanka, Nepal and Bhutan)
2. Economic impact of western colonialism (India, Sri Lanka, Nepal and Bhutan)

UNIT II

1. Social & political impact of Western Colonialism in India.
2. Social & political impact of Western Colonialism in Sri Lanka,
3. Social & political impact of Western Colonialism in Nepal and Bhutan)

UNIT III

1. Western impact on Indian subcontinent
2. Social and Religious reforms
3. Causes and Nature of rebellion of 1857 in the Indian subcontinent

UNIT IV

1. The Fall of the Kandyan Kingdom & East India Company
2. Colonial Government, 1802-32
3. Reform & Reconstruction, 1833-50

UNIT V

1. Bhutan –Relation with Britain
2. Nepal –Internal politics and relation with Britain
3. Anglo-Afghan Wars, 1839-42, 1845-46 and 1848-49.

## **Suggested Readings:**

### **History of South Asia**

- British Paramountcy and Indian Renaissance ( Bhartiya Vidya Bhawan), Vol. IX and X  
Rajat Kant Ray, The felt community, Oxford University Press, 2003\*  
Mushirul Hasan & Narayani Gupta (edt.), India's colonial encounter, Manohar, 2004\*  
Surendra Nath Sen, 1857, Publications Division, Govt. Of India, 1957\*  
The Indian Mutiny, Julian Spilsbury, Phoenix, 2007\*  
Christopher Hibbert, The Great Mutiny- India 1857, Penguin Books, 1978\*  
Saul David, The Indian Mutiny, Penguin Books, 2003\*  
Shireen Moosvi (edt.), Facets of the Great Revolt, Tulika Books, 2008\*  
1857 Essays from Economic and Political Weekly, Orient Longman, 2008\*  
Ramchandra Guha, Makers of Modern India, Penguin Books, 2010\*  
Pramod Kumar, Hunger strike in Andamans, New Royal Book Co., Lucknow, 2004\*  
Bipan Chandra, Amal Tripathi & Baran De, Freedom Struggle National Book Trust, 1972\*  
K.M. de Silva, A history of Sri Lanka, Penguin Books, 2005\*  
Fazal-ur-Rahim Marwat, The evolution and growth of communism in Afghanistan, Pakistan, 1997\*  
Angelo Rasanayagam, Afghanistan-A modern history, I.B.Tauris, London, 2003\*  
Mohammad Yousaf and Mark Adkin, Afghanistan-The bear trap, Bookwise (India) Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi. 2007\*  
Shekhar Bandopadhyaya, From Plassey to partition  
Bipan Chandra, India after independence, Penguin Books, 1999  
Ramchandra Guha, India after Gandhi  
Pramod Kumar, Mahatma Betrayed, National Publishing House, New Delhi, 2005.  
Mascre Hence, Birth of Bangladesh  
Benazir Bhutto  
Bureaucracy in Pakistan  
Sugata Bose & Ayesha Jalal, routledge, Modern South Asia: History, Culture, Political Economy, 4<sup>th</sup> edition, 2018.  
Karma Phuntsho, The History of Bhutan, Random House India, 2013.  
Nagendra Singh, Bhutan: A Kingdom in the Himalayas, S. Chand & Company Pvt. Ltd., 1985.  
Madhu Rajput, Indo-Bhutan Relations through Prism of History, Manak Publication, 2011.  
Madhu Rajput, State, People and Law of Bhutan: Study in Historical Perspective, Gyan Publication Pvt. Ltd., 2015.  
John Whelpton, A History of Nepal, Cambridge University Press, 2005/  
B.D. Sanwal, Social and Political History of Nepal, Manohar Publishers, 1993.  
Dwarika Nath Dhungel & Madan Kumar Dahal, Nepal: A Country in Transition, Rupa Publication, 2018.  
T. Luise Brown, The Challenge to Democracy in Nepal, Routledge, 1996.  
Ram Rahul, Royal Nepal: A Political History, 1996  
K.M. De Silva, A History of Sri Lanka, Penguin Books, 2005.  
Sumanasiri Liyanage, P. Sahadevan, Anisha Kinra, Intra-State Conflict and Inter-State Relations: Perspective on India-Sri Lanka Relations, South Asia Peace Institute with Manak Publications, 2011.  
E.F.C. Ludowyk, The Story of Ceylon, 1962.  
K.M. De Silva, History of Ceylon, Ceylon University Press, 1959.  
Thomas Barfield, Afghanistan: A Cultural and Political History, Princeton University Press, 2012.  
M. Hassan Kakar, A Political and Diplomatic History of Afghanistan (1863-1901)



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M.A. Semester I  
Western History  
DSE01 WHDSE01  
West Asia in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century (1800-1856)

*Course Objective:*

*The Course help the students to gain in-sight and in-depth knowledge of West Asia from the beginning of nineteenth century up to the Crimean War. It equips the students of the better understanding of the politics of the region along with the International Politics. The students can pursue their career of History Researcher, History Instructor and Teacher of History.*

UNIT I

1. West Asia on the eve of 19<sup>th</sup> century
2. Mahmud II (Reforms)
3. Tanzimat Reforms

UNIT II

1. Greek War of Independence
2. Western Imperialism
3. Eastern Question I (1800-1856)

UNIT III

1. Crimean War
2. Egypt-Rise of Mehmat Ali
3. Reforms of Mehmat Ali

UNIT IV

1. Conquests of Mehmat Ali
2. French Intervention
3. Cultural and Social Condition

UNIT V

1. Wahabi Movement
2. Babism
3. Awakening in West Asia

**Suggested Readings:**

**History of West Asia**

William Yale, The Near East, Surjeet Publications. \*

G.E. Kirk, A Short History of Middle East, Surjeet Publications \*

W.B. Fisher, The Middle East, a physical Social and Regional Geography, New York, Dutton, 1950.

Bernard Lewis, The Middle East, Scribner, New York \*

Alain Gresh and Dominique Vidal, The new A-Z of the Middle East, I.B.Tauris, London, 2004\*

J.A.R. Marriott, The Eastern Question, London, 1918.

Philip K. Hitti, History of the Arabs, Princeton University Press, 1943. \*

Bernard Lewis, The Arab in History, London, 1950.

J.A.R. Marriott, The Eastern Question, London, 1918.

Albert Hourani, A History of Arab Peoples, Faber & Faber, 1991. \*

Soloman, History of Modern Turkey

Lenchzovskei, West Asia

Banani, Persia

Percy Sikes, Persia

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M.A. Semester I  
Western History  
OE01 WHOE01

East Asia (1800-1914)

*Course Objective:*

*The course involves the study of two big Nations of East Asia- China and Japan. The course helps the students to understand through the various events how China, despite being weak politically in the 19<sup>th</sup> century was, able to maintain her independent status where the other nations of Asia were being colonized. On the other hand, the study of Japan underlines the emergence of Japan as a strong Nation and also helps the student to understand the aggressive foreign policy of Japan in the World War II by studying the root factors. The course will help build a robust foundation in the affairs of East Asia which will enhance the in-depth understanding of contemporary issues.*

Unit- I

1. China on the eve of 19<sup>th</sup> century
2. Canton Trade, Conflict with Britain
3. Resistance to Western Imperialism, Semi Colonisation

Unit- II

1. Japan on the eve of 19<sup>th</sup> Century
2. Opening of Japan
3. Civil War in Japan

Unit- III

1. Meiji Restoration in Japan
2. Modernisation of Japan

Unit-IV

1. Japan and Neighbouring Countries
2. Sino-Japanese Conflict

Unit V

1. Upheaval in China (1898-1914)
2. Anglo-Japanese Relations
3. Japanese Imperialism (1904-1914)

### **Suggested Readings:**

## **History of East Asia**

Emmanuel Hsu, The History of China in modern times

H.M.Vinacke, The History of Far East

H.M. Vinacke, The United States and the Far East

Prasun Chatterji, The History of China and Japan, Pearson, 2011

Archana Tewari, The history of China and Japan, Pearson, 2011

G. Sansom, A History of Japan

G. Sansom, A cultural History of Japan, New York, 1944

Malcolm Kennedy, A History of Japan, Weidenfeld and Nicolson, London, 1963\*

Paul H. Clyde and Burton F. Beers, The Far East: A History of Western Impacts and Eastern Responses, Prentice Hall, 2009.

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M. A. Semester II  
Western History  
Core05 WHC05  
Western World (1789-1919)

*Course Objective: After the completion of this course, students will have the in-depth knowledge about:*

- 1. The three French Revolutions- 1789, 1830 and 1848.*
- 2. The development of various Ideologies.*
- 3. Domestic affairs of few European nations.*
- 4. Events leading to World War I.*

Unit I

1. Europe in 1789
2. French Revolution 1789
3. Napoleonic Era
4. Achievements of the Revolution

Unit II

1. Vienna Congress 1815
2. Concert of Europe
3. Eastern Question: Greek War of Independence
4. Crimean War

Unit III

1. French Revolution 1830
2. Democratic Reforms in England: The Reform Bill of 1832
3. The Chartist Movement
4. French Revolution 1848

Unit IV

1. Industrial Revolution
2. Growth of Socialism
3. Nihilism, Anarchism, Syndicalism
4. Unification of Italy and Germany

Unit V

1. Bismarck and growth of German Empire



M.A. Semester II  
Western History  
Core06 WHC06  
Western World (1918-1945)

*Course Objective: After the completion of this course, students will have in-depth knowledge about:*

1. *World War I and its aftermath, Interwar period and the World War II.*
2. *Rise of Nazism and Fascism in Europe.*
3. *United Nations and the emergence of the Cold War.*

Unit I

1. World War I and Aftermath (Paris Peace Conference)
2. Treaties
3. League of Nations

Unit II

1. Bolshevik Russia during Lenin
2. Soviet Russia under Stalin upto 1945

Spanish Civil War

Unit III

1. Totalitarianism in Germany
2. Totalitarianism in Italy
3. America post World War I (Internal Policy)

Unit IV

1. Great Economic Depression and New Deal.
2. World War II
3. United Nation (Genesis)

UNIT V

1. Towards decolonization
2. Commonwealth.
3. Origin of Cold War

**Suggested Readings:**

1. The French Revolution: From Enlightenment to Tyranny by Ian Davidson, Pegasus Books, 2016.
2. C. J. H. Hayes, Contemporary Europe Since 1870, Surjeet Publications, 2005
3. Taylor, A.J.P. Grandeur of Europe
4. Lipson, Europe in nineteenth and twentieth century, Allied Publishers, Seventh Reprint, 2001
5. E. Hobsbawm, Imperialism
6. E. Hobsbawm, Age of Capitalism,
7. E. Hobsbawm, Nations and Nationalism
8. E. Hobsbawm, Industry and Empire, Penguin Books, 1968\*
9. C.D.M. Ketelbey, Contemporary Europe since 1870
10. The French Revolution and Napoleon by Charles Downer Hazen, New York: Henry Holt and Company, 1917.
11. A Text Book of Modern European History (1789-1960) by George W. Southgate.
12. A History of Modern Times from 1789 by C.D.M. Ketelby, Oxford University Press, 1997.
13. Revisiting Modern European History (1789-1945) edited by Vandana Joshi, Pearson Publication.
14. Europe Since Napoleon by David Thompson, Longman, Green and Co. Ltd., 1923.
15. Taylor, A.J.P., The Origins of the Second World War, Penguin Books, 1961
16. एडमंड डी कार्टर एच एडमंड डी कार्टर (1450-1789) - एडमंड डी कार्टर, एडमंड डी कार्टर, 2016.
17. एडमंड डी कार्टर एच एडमंड डी कार्टर - एडमंड डी कार्टर एडमंड डी कार्टर एडमंड डी कार्टर, 17एडमंड डी कार्टर, 2016.
18. एडमंड डी कार्टर एडमंड डी कार्टर (1789-1918) – एड. एड. एडमंड, एड. एड. एडमंड, 2018
19. एडमंड डी कार्टर एच एडमंड डी कार्टर - एडमंड डी कार्टर एडमंड डी कार्टर, एडमंड डी कार्टर एडमंड डी कार्टर, 2014
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**M.A. Semester II  
Western History  
Core07 WHC07  
(U.S.A. 1869 -1945)**

*Course Objective:*

*The course will provide the students with in-depth knowledge of the factors that led to the phenomenal growth and development of industries in the U.S.A. and also the factors and the circumstances that led to the emergence of the U.S.A. as a Big Power in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century and as a Superpower on the conclusion of World War II.*

**Unit I**

1. Growth of Big Business
2. U.S.A. becomes an Imperial Power

**Unit II**

1. Progressive period
2. Entry of USA in World War I.

**Unit III**

1. USA and World War I
2. Foreign Policy: Post World War I

**Unit IV**

1. Prosperity and Depression
2. New Deal

**UNIT V**

1. Entry of US in World War II
2. Contribution of US in World War II

## **Suggested Readings:**

W.A.Dunning, Reconstruction, Political and Economic  
E.D.Oberholtzer, History of the United States since the Civil War  
G.Myers, History of the Great American Fortunes  
F.R.Dulles, Labor in America  
M.J.Bau, The Open Door Doctrine in relation to China  
F.E.Chadwick, The relations of the United States and Spain  
A.L.P.Dennis, Adventures in American Diplomacy 1896-1906  
J.W.Pratt, Expansionists of 1898  
H.F.Pringle, Theodore Roosevelt  
J.F.Rippy, Latin America in World Politics  
F.C.Howe, Wisconsin, An Experiment in Democracy  
E.Jones, The Trust Problem in the United States  
J.Moody, The truth about the Trusts  
O.T.Barck and N.M.Blake, Since 1900  
W.Millis, The Road to War  
C.Seymour, American neutrality 1914-1917  
T.A.Bailey, Woodrow Wilson and the Great Betrayal  
P.F.Fleming, United States and the League of Nations  
R.L.Buell, The Washington Conference  
G.Stuart, Latin America and the United States  
G.J.Glover and W.B. Cornell, The development of American industries  
B.Rauch, The history of the New Deal  
E.E.Robinson, The Roosevelt Years 1933-1945  
S.S. Jones and D.P.Myers, Documents on American Foreign Relations  
C.A.Buss, War and diplomacy in Eastern Asia  
F.Davis and E.K.Lindley, How War came  
E.P.Chase, The United Nations in action  
R.W.Van Alstyne, The quest for Collective Security 1918-1952

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M.A. Semester II  
Western History  
Core08 WHC08  
South Asia in the 19<sup>th</sup> century (1858-1900)

*Course Objective: After the completion of this course, students will have in-depth knowledge about:*

1. *Western Imperialism in India, Sri Lanka, Nepal and Bhutan and its impact.*
2. *Political events in Afghanistan.*

UNIT I

1. Constitutional Democracy and Political Growth
2. Social, Economic and Cultural Transformation
3. Muslim Separatism

UNIT II

1. Indenture system in South Asia
2. Penal settlement at Andamans
3. Religious Nationalism in South Asia

UNIT III

1. Political growth in Sri Lanka
2. Social and Cultural Transformation in Sri Lanka
3. Plantation Economy in Sri Lanka

UNIT IV

1. Bhutan, 1858-1900
2. Bhutan, Political and Social study

Unit V

1. Nepal-The Rana regime
2. Afghanistan, 1850-1901.

### **Suggested Readings:**

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M.A. Semester II  
Western History  
DSE02 WHDSE02  
West Asia in the 19<sup>th</sup> century (1856-1900)

*Course Objective:*

*The Course provides the detailed information and in-depth knowledge of the condition of West Asia from mid-Nineteenth century up to the end of 19<sup>th</sup> century. It reflects on the changes and developments taking place in the region. The students can pursue their career of History Researcher, History Instructor and Teacher of History.*

UNIT I

1. Tanzimat Reforms
2. Eastern Question II
3. Abdul Hamid II

UNIT II

1. Young Turk Movement (Origin and Progress)
2. Suez canal
3. Egyptian nationalism

UNIT III

1. Lord Cromer (Egypt)
2. Arab Nationalism
3. Conflict between Western Imperialism and West Asian Nationalism

UNIT IV

1. Religious and Intellectual awakening in West Asia
2. Bahai Movement in Persia
3. Judaism and Zionism
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UNIT V

1. West Asian Society and Economy

2. Pan-Ottomanism
3. Pan Islamism

### **Suggested Readings:**

#### **History of West Asia**

William Yale, The Near East, Surjeet Publications. \*

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W.B. Fisher, The Middle East, a physical Social and Regional Geography, New York, Dutton, 1950.

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M.A. Semester II  
Western History  
OE02 WHOE02

East Asia (1914-1949)

*Course Objective:*

*The course helps the students to understand the chronology of events between 1914-1949 in China and Japan. The students have the in-depth knowledge about the events of World War I, its aftermath, the Inter-War period World War II and events following World War II in China and Japan. The course apprises the students about the emergence of Communism in China, a system which still holds China within its grip and the emergence of Japan post World War II.*

Unit- I

1. China in World War I
2. May Fourth Movement
3. Rise of Communism in China

Unit- II

1. Beginning of Taisho Era and Japanese Imperialism in World War I
2. Washington Conference and Far East Asia
3. 1931: Beginning of Sino-Japanese Conflict

Unit-III

1. Rise of Mao
2. Sino-Japanese Conflict ,China and World War II

Unit- IV

1. Totalitarianism in Japan
2. Japanese Imperialism: World War II
3. Post World War II Japan

## Unit- V

1. Civil War in China
2. Foundation of People's Republic of China

### **Suggested Readings:**

## **History of East Asia**

Emmanuel Hsu, The History of China in modern times

H.M.Vinacke, The History of Far East

H.M. Vinacke, The United States and the Far East

Prasun Chatterji, The History of China and Japan, Pearson, 2011

Archana Tewari, The history of China and Japan, Pearson, 2011

G. Sansom, A History of Japan

G. Sansom, A cultural History of Japan, New York, 1944

Malcolm Kennedy, A History of Japan, Weidenfeld and Nicolson, London, 1963\*

Paul H. Clyde and Burton F. Beers, The Far East: A History of Western Impacts and Eastern Responses, Prentice Hall, 2009.

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M.A. Semester III  
Western History  
CORE09 WHC09  
World Affairs (1945-89)

*Course Objective: After the completion of this course, students will have the in-depth knowledge about:*

1. *The aftermath of World War II and the emergence of Cold War.*
2. *Affairs of Western Europe, Communist Europe, U.N.O., Third World.*
3. *The end of Cold War, India's relations with the West Post-Cold War.*

UNIT I

1. World War II: Political Consequences
2. Cold War
3. New Cold War

UNIT II

1. Integration of West Europe and US Strategy
2. Communist East Europe
3. UN and its role in world affairs.

UNIT III

1. Third Worlds and Non-alignment (Emergence and relevance today)
2. South Asia and SE Asia and Western Powers:1945-89

UNIT IV

1. End of Cold War and India's relations with the West until 1991
2. End of Cold War-Impact on Asia

Unit V

1. India and its neighbours til 1989
2. Formation of Regional organizations-ASEAN and SAARC

**Suggested Readings:**

**Western World and World Affairs since 1945**

1. M.S. Rajan, Non-Alignment, Allied,
2. Jose Broonan, World in the Twentieth Century, Longman.
3. Sumit Ganguli (Ed), Indian Foreign Policy, OUP
4. Oxford companion to US History
5. Fareed Zakaria, US Foreign Policy
6. Short Introduction to EU, OUP
7. Pushpesh Pant, International Relations in 21<sup>st</sup> Century, Tata Mcgraw Hill
8. Paul Wilkinson, International Relations
9. Peu Ghosh, International Relations, 2013
10. Joshua, International Relations, Longman
11. Peter Thompson, American History: Facts and Figures
12. Peter Calvore, Worlds since 1945
13. John Roberts, Freeing Tibet, Pentagon Press.
14. Ahmad Rashid, Central Asia

M.A. Semester III  
Western History  
CORE10 WHC10  
US, Europe and Latin America (1945-2001)

*Course Objective:*

*The course will lay a strong foundation and give in-depth knowledge about the relations of the U.S.A. with Europe and Latin America. In the given time framework, the U.S.A. remains an undisputed Superpower. Her relations with Europe and Latin America bring out the policies of U.S.A. to maintain her status as a Superpower; her policies towards the Soviet Union till 1991 and European Nations. The course also brings out the policy of The U.S.A. towards Latin America, chiefly her ambition to dominate the affairs in Latin America.*

UNIT I

1. Post World War II Era
2. Cold War

UNIT II

1. Extension of Cold War
2. Russian Satellite States and the USA

UNIT III

1. Eisenhower Administration
2. Containment

UNIT IV

1. Domestic Affairs (1961-1981)
2. Domestic Affairs (1981-2001)

#### UNIT V

1. Latin America and U.S.A. Since 1962
2. U.S. and East Europe (1968-1991)
3. U.S.-Russian relations (1991-2001)

#### **Suggested Readings:**

#### **Western World and World Affairs since 1945**

M.S. Rajan, Non-Alignment, Allied,  
Jose Broonan, World in the Twentieth Century, Longman.  
Sumit Ganguli (Ed), Indian Foreign Policy, OUP  
Oxford companion to US History  
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M.A. Semester III

Western History

CORE11 WHC11

Western Historiography

*Course Objective:*

*The course in Western Historiography will enhance students' understanding about "History". This course brings out the problems/factors which impeded/encouraged in shaping the subject in Europe by studying it chronologically. The course helps in forming a robust foundation of History Writing: to understand the contributions of various Philosophers and Historians in shaping the subject matter and methods of History. The course helps the students interested in research in History as they will learn about the various methods and tools that would guide them in the study of historical events/phenomena/personalities in a neutral manner and add to the fund of knowledge in History.*

Unit I

Definition of History, Subject matter and Scope, Herodotus, Thucydides.

Unit II

Greco-Roman Historians, Christian Historians, Christian Historiography, Renaissance Historians.

Unit III

Descartes and Cartesian Historiography, Anti-Descartian Historiography, French Historians.

#### Unit IV

Herder Kant Hegel Karl Marx Toynbee Spengler

#### Unit V

Annales School, Structuralism, Post Modernism, Subaltern Studies, Oral Studies, Heuristics, Hermeneutics.

#### **Suggested Readings:**

##### **Western Historiography**

1. A Short history of the World by H.G.Wells, Penguin Books, 1922
2. A Study of History by A.J. Toynbee, Oxford University Press 1946
3. The Decline of the West by Oswald Spengler, Alfred A. Knopf, New York, 1928
4. The Idea of History by R.G. Collingwood, Oxford University Press, 2004
5. What is History by E.H. Carr, Vintage Books, New York, 1961
6. The hero in history by Sidney Hook, Allied Publishers Pvt. Ltd., 1943
7. Historical Thinking in South Asia by M. Gottlob (edt.), Oxford University Press, 2003
8. Themes and Perspectives in American History by D.Tripathi and S.C.Tiwari, American Studies Research Centre, Hydereabad, 1978
9. Purpose of History by Elton
10. A Text Book of Historiography by E.Sreedharan, Orient Longman, 2004
11. Historiography by Bikash Bhattacharya
12. Recent Trends in Historiography by S.K.Bajaj, Anmol Publications Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi, 1998
13. History: Its theory and method, MacMillan, 1978, by B. Sheik Ali

14. Decline and Fall of Roman Empire by Edward Gibbon
15. French Revolution by Thomas Carlyle

## M.A. Semester III

### WESTERN HISTORY

#### CORE12 WHC12

#### South Asia in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century (1900-1950) Colonialism and Nationalism

*Course Objective: After the completion of this course, students will have in-depth knowledge about:*

1. *Freedom struggle in India and Sri Lanka*
2. *Political events in Nepal, Bhutan and Afghanistan.*

#### UNIT I

1. Militant Nationalism – Punjab, Bengal, Maharashtra
2. Constitutional Development – 1909, 1919, 1935
3. Indians Abroad

#### UNIT II

1. Advent of Gandhi – 1915-1942
2. Subaltern Movement- Kisan Movement
3. Revolutionary Movement

#### UNIT III

1. Sri Lanka on the eve of 20<sup>th</sup> century and Ceylon National Congress (1921-28)
2. Politics of Transfer of Power, 1929-1942

#### UNIT IV

3. Sri Lanka-Dominion Status (1942-47)
4. Origin of Ethnic Conflict in Sri Lanka

#### UNIT V

1. Nepal under Rana rule upto Second World War
2. Bhutan- Wangchuk Dynasty- Establishment of Monarchy (from I to III King)
3. Afghanistan Monarchy, 1901-53.

#### **Suggested Readings:**

### **History of South Asia**

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## M.A. Semester III Western History DSE03 WHDSE03 West Asia in the 20<sup>th</sup> century (1900-1950)

### *Course Objective:*

*The Course provides the detailed information and in-depth knowledge of the region of West Asia from the commencement of the 20<sup>th</sup> century to the mid of the 20<sup>th</sup> century. The course focuses on the developments taking place in politics as well as the Economy, Society of this region. It also provides the understanding of the culture of the region and its confrontation with the Western Powers. The students imbibe deep knowledge on the role of the West Asia during both World Wars. . The students can pursue their career of History Researcher, History Instructor and Teacher of History.*

### UNIT-I

1. Young Turk Movement, 1908-1909
2. Turkey-Italy war (1911),
3. Balkan wars (1912-13)

### UNIT-II

1. Turkey in the First World War
2. Turkish war of independence
3. Kamal Pasha

### UNIT-III

1. Mandate System

2. Mandate System in Palestine
3. Mandate System in Syria

#### UNIT IV

1. Mandate System in Lebanon.
2. Mandate System in Iraq
3. Birth of Israel

#### UNIT V

1. Egyptian nationalism and Anglo-Egyptian Treaty (1936)
2. Egyptian theocratic nationalism, Egypt and World War II
3. Persian revolt (1906) and Western Imperialism in Persia

#### **Suggested Readings:**

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M.A. SEMESTER IV  
Western History  
CORE13 WHC13  
(International Relations since 1989)

*Course Objective: After the completion of this course, students will have in-depth knowledge about:*

1. *Developments Post World War II- N.A.T.O., E.U.*
2. *Disintegration of the Soviet Union and fall of Soviet Communism.*
3. *Emergence of Unipolarism and Globalisation.*

UNIT I

1. Post War Foundations: NATO
2. European Community
3. Consolidation and Expansion

UNIT II

1. European Union
2. Disarmament Issues
3. Nuclear Non-proliferation

### UNIT III

1. Soviet disintegration and Uni-Polar World
2. Factors in the collapse of Soviet Community and the Soviet Union, 1985-1991

### UNIT IV

1. Political changes in East Europe, 1989-1992.
2. US Ascendancy in the World with the end of cold war

### UNIT V

1. Globalization
2. Technological Development

### **Suggested Readings:**

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## M.A. SEMESTER IV

### WESTERN HISTORY CORE14 WHC14

#### South Asia in the 20<sup>th</sup> century-Post-Colonial era (1950-2000)

##### *Course Objective:*

*On the completion of this course the students will have in-depth knowledge about:*

1. *Freedom struggle across South Asia.*
2. *Emergence of new nations after Decolonization.*
3. *Domestic and foreign policy of the new independent nations.*
4. *Emergence of Communism in China.*
5. *Emergence of War Party in Japan following World War I and ushering of peace and development after World War II.*

#### UNIT I

1. Domestic policy in India until 1991
2. Since 1991 Domestic policy
3. India in World Affairs

## UNIT II

1. Dictatorship in Pakistan
2. Civilian Government
3. Pakistan in World Affairs

## UNIT III

1. Creation of Bangladesh
2. India- Bangladesh relations
3. Bangladesh in World Affairs

## UNIT IV

1. 1<sup>st</sup> Civilian Government in Sri Lanka
2. Racial Conflicts
3. Sri Lanka in World Affairs

## UNIT V

1. Nepal-Return of the Shah Rule, democracy and constitutional monarchy
2. Bhutan in World Affairs, ethnic conflict and the IVth King
3. Afghanistan-Modernization, Civil War and Disintegration (1953-2001)

### **Suggested Readings:**

## **History of South Asia**

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## M.A. Semester IV

### Western History

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### West Asia in the 20<sup>th</sup> century (1950-2000)

#### *Course Objective:*

*The Course provides the detailed information and in-depth knowledge of West Asia post World War II up to the end of 20<sup>th</sup> century. The struggle and the Political condition of the region of the West Asia is the focus of the Course. It equips Nationalist Ideas, Economy, growth and altered relations of West powers with West Asia. Students can pursue their career of History Researcher, History Instructor and Teacher of History.*

#### UNIT-I

1. Post-Kamal Turkey
2. Arab-Israel war 1948
3. .Arab-Israel war 1956

#### UNIT-II

1. Egypt-Nasser
2. Egypt- Anwar Saadat
3. Suez Canal

#### UNIT-III

1. Petroleum politics
2. Arab-Israel conflict (1973-2000)
3. Post war Lebanon

#### UNIT-IV

1. Post war Iraq
2. Post War Jordan
3. Post war Syria

#### UNIT-V

1. US, Soviet and European interest in West Asia
2. Radical resistance
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