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| Semester                                                          | <b>3</b>                                |
| Course                                                            | <b>BA General Major</b>                 |
| Paper Code                                                        | <b>C2BG230351T</b>                      |
| Paper Title                                                       | <b>INDIAN HISTORY From 1206 to 1757</b> |
| No. of Credits                                                    | <b>4</b>                                |
| Theory / Practical / Composite                                    | <b>Theory</b>                           |
| Minimum No. of preparatory hours per week a student has to devote |                                         |
| Number of Modules                                                 | 2                                       |

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| Syllabus                | <p><b>MODULE-1</b>(18 lectures)</p> <p>UNIT-1</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Political changes in medieval India with special focus on Delhi Sultanate, it's administration, theory of kingship, independent sultans of Bengal. (5 lectures)</li> <li>2. Society, religion, art, architecture and culture and economy of the Delhi Sultanate; Fall of the Delhi sultanate. (6 lectures)</li> </ol> <p>UNIT-2</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Rise of the Mughal empire, Mughal -Afghan conflicts, and the Sur interregnum. (3 lectures)</li> <li>2. Akbar and the Mughal empire-relations with Rajputs, religious policy and Mansabdari system. (4 lectures)</li> </ol> <p><b>MODULE- 2</b> (18 lectures)</p> <p>UNIT-1</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Mughal empire in post -Akbar period, Aurangzeb and Shivaji: Deccan policy and the Jagirdari crisis, Rise of the Maratha Empire'Swarajya' and Administrative policy. (5 lectures)</li> <li>2. Mughal economy: land revenue-commercial expansion, Mughal internal and external trade. (6 lectures)</li> </ol> <p>UNIT-2</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Debate on the downfall of the Mughal empire</li> <li>2. The successor states and the rise of the English East India Company. (3 lectures).</li> <li>3. Mughal-Rajput art and architecture (4 lectures).</li> </ol> |
| Learning Outcomes       | This course will help the general students to broaden their views on Medieval Indian History up to 1757.This course is easy and informative which will be helpful for the general students.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Reading/Reference Lists | <p>Essential Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Satish Chandra – A History of Medieval India (Vols.1 and 2).</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

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|                                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• J.F. Richards – The Mughal Empire.</li> <li>• S. Gordon – The Marathas</li> <li>• Seema Alavi (ed) – The Eighteenth Century in India</li> <li>• Sunil Kumar, The Emergence of the Delhi Sultanate</li> <li>• Peter Jackson, The Delhi Sultanate</li> </ul> <p>Suggested Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• M. Athar Ali – Mughal India: Studies in Polity, Ideas, Society and Culture</li> <li>• C.A. Bayley – Rulers, Townsmen and Bazaars, North India in the Age of British Expansion 1770-1870</li> </ul> |  |
| Evaluation                               | Theory<br>CIA:5(CIA)+20(Mid-Sem)+5 (Attendance)=30<br><br>Semester Exam: 70                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |  |
| Paper Structure for Theory Semester Exam | End Semester Exam: 70<br>Two modules of 35 marks each.<br>(5 questions of 2 marks from 7 options: 2X5=10<br>3 questions of 5 marks from 5 options: 5X3=15<br>1 question of 10 marks from 2 options: 10x1=10)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |  |