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M. A. History
HIS3E08 : ECONOMIC HISTORY OF MODERN INDIA
2024 Admission Onwards

Time:3 Hours **Maximum Weightage:30**

Answers can be written either in English or Malayalam

Part A

Short answer type questions. Answer ***any four****. Weightage* ***2*** *for each.*
(4x2 = 8 Weightage)

1. Observe the ways in which R. C. Dutt criticized the British economic policies in India.
2. Discover the impact of *Ryotwari* Settlement in India.
3. Describe the main features of Reserved Forests.
4. Examine the work *"From Plassey to Partition"*.
5. Illustrate the *Tinkathia* system prevailed in India.
6. Explain how the denial Policy of the colonial government worsened the famine situation in Bengal.
7. Analyze how the economic policies of India were transformed by the LPG reforms of 1991.

PART B

Short essay-type questions. Answer ***any four****. Weightage* ***3*** *for each.*
(4x3 = 12 Weightage)

8. Trace out the Impact of commercialization of agriculture in India.
9. Examine the debate over Eighteenth Century Colonialism in India
10. Describe the characteristics of the plantation economy in India and discuss its impact on rural society.
11. Analyze the role of Railway Colonies and the process of Urbanization in India.
12. Analyze the role of Nehru in the Economic Planning of India.

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13. Examine the influence of Peasant Movements on the socio-political structure of Indian society.

14. Analyze how major Dam Projects contributed to the Economic Development of Independent India.

PART C

*Essay-type questions. Answer **any two**. Weightage **5** for each.*
(2x5 = 10 Weightage)

15. Explain the impact of Industrial Revolution in the Indian Economy.

16. Examine the causes of Peasant and Tribal Movements in India.

17. Discuss the growth of Indian Markets during the Colonial Era. How did Colonial Policies shape the nature of these Markets?

18. Analyze the overall impact of the Five Year Plans on India's economic development from 1951 to 1990. What were the successes and limitations?

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