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FOURTH SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JUNE 2016

(CUCSS)

History

HIS CSS 4C 112—CONTEMPORARY INDIA : PROBLEMS AND PERSPECTIVES

(2010 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 36 Weightage

Section A

Answer **all** questions in **one** or **two** sentences each.

Weightage for each question, 1 and Total weightage 14.

1. Role of public sector.
2. Indo-Pak. relations.
3. Dalit issue.
4. Mandal Commission Report.
5. Neo-colonialism.
6. Local self government in India.
7. Language and nationalism.
8. Anti-Hindi agitation.
9. Kerala model.
10. Impact of Urbanisation.
11. Rise of regional political parties.
12. Coalition government in India.
13. Formation of Telungana state.
14. Jawaharlal Nehru.

(14 x 1 = 14 weightage)

Section B

Answer any **seven** questions in one or two paragraphs each.

Weightage for each question, 2 and Total weightage 14.

15. Examine the impact of Nehruvian policies in Indian society.
16. Exp. In the emergence of regionalism and regional separatism in India during the post independence period.
17. Analyse the circumstances leading to the partition of Andhra State.

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18. "Is identity politics led to the rise of communalism in India ?" Evaluate.
19. Describe about the major educational reforms in independent India.
20. Briefly discuss about the centre -state relations in contemporary India.
21. "Is reservation is essential for the democratisation of Indian society ? " Discuss.
22. Briefly explain the role of Ambedkar in addressing the Dalit issue.
23. Examine the status of women in present day Indian society .
24. Assess the social impact of urbanization in India.

(7 X 2 = 14 weightage)

Section C

*Answer any two questions in essay form.
Weightage for each question, 4 and total weightage 8.*

25. Critically examine the impact of policy of liberalisation on Indian economy after 1990's.
26. Write about the cultural development in independent India.
27. "Can the independence enhance the status of Dalits ?". Discuss.
28. Evaluate the role of language in promoting nationalism in India.

(2 x 4 = 8 weightage)