

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 300

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

- (i) Answers must be written in English.
- (ii) The number of marks carried by each question is indicated at the end of the question.
- (iii) The answer to each question or part thereof should begin on a fresh page.
- (iv) Your answer should be precise and coherent.
- (v) The part/parts of the same question must be answered together and should not be interposed between answers to other questions.
- (vi) Candidates should attempt question nos. 1 and 5 which are compulsory and any three out of the remaining questions selecting at least one question from each Section.
- (vii) If you encounter any typographical error, please read it as it appears in the text-book.
- (viii) Candidates are in their own interest advised to go through the General Instructions on the back side of the title page of the Answer Script for strict adherence.
- (ix) No continuation sheets shall be provided to any candidate under any circumstances.

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- (x) Candidates shall put a cross (x) on blank pages of Answer Script.
- (xi) No blank page be left in between answers to various questions.
- (xii) No programmable Calculator is allowed.
- (xiii) No stencil (with different markings) is allowed.

### SECTION-A

# (Modern India - 1757-1947)

- 1. Comment on any three of the following in about 200 words each :
  - (a) 'Drain of Wealth' during the British Period.
  - (b) Different stages of British paramountcy over Indian Princely States.
  - (c) Peasant revolts with special reference to Indigo revolt and Deccan riots.
  - (d) The programmes of Militant Nationalists.
  - (e) Royal Indian Navy Mutiny, 1946.  $3\times 25=75$
- 2. Critically evaluate the Socio-Religious movements during 19th century Indian renaissance. 50
- 3. Discuss the importance of civil rebellions during 1857 revolt. 50
- 4. Examine the relations between national movement and constitutional development from 1909 to 1935. 50

#### **SECTION-B**

## (World History 1500 - 1950)

- 5. Write a brief note on any **three** of the following in about 200 words each :--
  - (a) Commercial revolution with special reference to mercantilism.
  - (b) The impact of American Revolution.
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- (c) Socialist movement in Europe.
- (d) Modernization of Japan in late Nineteenth Century.
- (e) The causes and impact of World Depression of 1929-32.

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- Examine the causes and consequences of Renaissance and Reformation in Europe. 50
- Discuss the Economic and Social reconstruction in Soviet Utnion after 1917 revolution.
- 8. Examine the origins and impact of Second World War. 50

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