HISTORY
SAMPLE QUESTION PAPER

Class: XII
Time duration: 2hrs

Maximum Marks: 100
No of pages: 2

General Instructions:
Answer Sections A from Part I which are compulsory
Answer any Five questions of Section B from Part II
The intended marks for questions or parts of questions are given in brackets [ ].

PART -I
SECTION -A

Question 1: [2*10 = 20]
   a) What is Mahajanapadas
   b) Who are Gupta rulers
   c) Name the four varnas
   d) Who were the followers of Buddha
   e) Who is Al-Biruni
   f) What are Shastras
   g) What were the teachings of Baa Guru Nanak
   h) Who is Rentier
   i) What does the term white term signify
   j) Who is Zan

PART -II
SECTION -B

Question 2:
   a) What were the features of Mohenjodaro [8m]
   b) Who was Gahapati [4m]
   c) What were the rules of marriages followed [4m]

Question 3:
   a) Discuss whether the Mahabharata could have been the work of a single author [4m]
   b) What were the teachings of Buddha [4m]
   c) Write a note on Kitab-ul-Hind [8m]

Question 4:
   a) How was early tradition of Bhakti [8m]
   b) How was Virashiva tradition followed in karnataka [4m]
   c) List the similarities of be-shari'a and ba-shari'a sufi tradition [4m]
Question 5:
   a) Why Bhakti and sufi thinker adopted a variety of languages in which to express their opinion [4m]
   b) Why land revenue was important for mughal fiscal system [4m]
   c) Explain the role of women in agricultural production [8m]

Question 6:
   a) what were the distinctive features of the Mughal nobility [5m]
   b) Brief on Zamindars system [5m]
   c) explain How was the new revenue system [8m]

Question 7:
   a) What were the new kind of public places that emerged in the colonial city? What functions did they serve [5m]
   b) Examine how concerns of defense and health gave shape to Calcutta [5m]

Question 8:
   a) What was the vision of the constitution [2m]
   b) Why there was sudden development in Partition [5m]
   c) How was urban centers transformed during eighteenth century [5m]
   d) How was the religious beliefs shaped the events of 1857 [5m]