

M.A. PREVIOUS

PAPER - I HISTORIOGRAPHY, CONCEPT, METHODS AND TOOLS

(Question will be set from each unit) 80 Marks

- UNIT - 1** (a) Meaning, Nature and Scope of History.
(b) Collection and Selection of data, evidence and its Transmission, Causation and 'Historicism'.
- UNIT - 2** History and other Disciplines : Archaeology, Geography, Anthropology, Sociology, Economics, Philosophy, Politics and Literature.
- UNIT - 3** Traditions of Historical writing : Greco - Roman traditions, Ancient Indian tradition, Medieval Historiography-western, Arabic, Persian and Indian, Modern Historiography, Positivist, Whig, Classical Marxist and Annuals.
- UNIT - 4** Approaches to History - Theological, Orientalist, Imperialist, Nationalist, Marxist, Recent Marxist, Subaltern and Post - Modernist.
- UNIT - 5** Major Theories of History - Cyclical, Historical Materialism, Sociological, Comparative, Structural, World System, Ecological and Post - Modernist critiques of history.