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**SECOND SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2022**

(CBCSS—SDE/PRIVATE)

History

HIS 2C 02—HISTORY OF MODERN KERALA : PROBLEMS AND PERSPECTIVES

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

**Section A (Essays)***Answer any **two** questions from the following.**Each question carries 5 weightage.*

1. Examine the epistemological positions and strategies taken by social reformers in the reform process.
2. Critically evaluate the success of subaltern historiographical trends in bringing themes on Kerala history outside grand narratives.
3. Discuss the impact of Mysorean rule in administration and property relations of Malabar region.
4. Examine the role of radical and left politics in the making of modern Kerala society.

(2 × 5 = 10 weightage)

**Section B (Short Essays)***Answer any **four** questions from the following.**Each question carries 3 weightage.*

5. Examine the nature of native life representation in the writings of missionaries.
6. Examine the colonial policy towards land and land revenue in Kerala.
7. Examine the changes took place in the institution of marriage and property inheritance during colonial period.
8. Analyze the growth of political consciousness among the women in modern Kerala.
9. Examine the origin and growth of trade union movement in modern Kerala.
10. Critically evaluate the developmental experience of Kerala society in the light of Kerala Model.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

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**Section C (Very Short Essays)**

Answer any **four** questions from the following.

*Each question carries 2 weightage.*

11. Discuss the radical agenda of lower caste protest.
12. Examine the political activities of All Travancore Youth League.
13. Analyze the political mobilization of peasants in colonial Kerala.
14. Examine the infrastructural development under colonial administration in relation with agriculture and trade.
15. Examine the relationship between educated women and caste associations.
16. Discuss the land alienation issue among Adivasi community of Kerala.

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

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[Improvement Candidates need not appear for MCQ Part]

(Multiple Choice Questions for SDE Candidates)

**Time : 20 Minutes****Total No. of Questions : 20****Maximum : 5 Weightage****INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE**

1. This Question Paper carries Multiple Choice Questions from 1 to 20.
2. The candidate should check that the question paper supplied to him/her contains all the 20 questions in serial order.
3. Each question is provided with choices (A), (B), (C) and (D) having one correct answer. Choose the correct answer and enter it in the main answer-book.
4. The MCQ question paper will be supplied after the completion of the descriptive examination.

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(Multiple Choice Questions for SDE Candidates)

1. The book Perspectives on Kerala History was edited by \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) K. N. Ganesh. (B) K. N. Pannikar.  
(C) P. J. Cheriyan. (D) M. G. S. Narayanan.
2. On the basis of whose letters K P Padmanabha Menon wrote History of Kerala :  
(A) Duarte Barbosa. (B) Francis Buchanan.  
(C) Canter Vischer. (D) Ibn Bathutha.
3. Many district manuals were produced during the colonial period, Who was the author of one of the such outstanding work Malabar (1887) :  
(A) Francis Buchanan. (B) Ward and Conner.  
(C) H. V. Conolly. (D) William Logan.
4. Who prepared Travancore state Manual ?  
(A) P. Shangunny Menon. (B) V. Nagam Aiya.  
(C) T. K. Velupillai. (D) T.A. Gopinatha Rao.
5. Cochin Forests and the British Techno Ecological Imperialism in India was written by \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Sebastian Joseph. (B) M. G. S. Narayanan.  
(C) Rajan Gurukul. (D) Elamkulam P. N. Kunjanpillai.
6. Who is the author of the work En-gendering individuals: the language of Re-forming in Early twentieth century Keralam :  
(A) J. Devika. (B) G. Arunima.  
(C) T.K. Anandi. (D) Praveena Kodoth.
7. The Travancore ruler who built Nedumkotta to check Mysorian Invasion was :  
(A) Marthanda Varma. (B) Darmaraja.  
(C) Velu Tampi. (D) Swathi Tirunal.

8. Which tribal leader of Pazhassi Raja was captured and later beheaded at Panamaram fort ?
- (A) Edachena kungan. (B) Talakal Chandu.  
(C) Yogimoola Machan. (D) Paloor Emman.
9. Which native ruler of Malabar invited Haider Ali to invade Malabar ?
- (A) Zamorin of Calicut. (B) Chirakkal Raja.  
(C) Ali Raja of Kannur. (D) Kurumbranad Raja.
10. The Main reason for Pazhassi revolt was the mistaken revenue policy of the Joint Commissioners, To which ruler they had given the right to collect the revenue of Kottayam :
- (A) Kolathiri. (B) Samuthiri.  
(C) Kottayam. (D) Kurumbranad.
11. \_\_\_\_\_ was the Founder-Editor of the 'Al Ameen' (1924-1939).
- (A) E. Moidu Moulavi. (B) Vakkom Abdul Kadar Moulavi.  
(C) Muhammed Abdurrahman Sahib. (D) Hassankoya Mulla.
12. The first president of Kerala Pradesh Congress Committee was :
- (A) K. P. Kesava Menon. (B) Manjeri Rama Ayyar.  
(C) K. Madhavan Nair. (D) Ramunni Menon.
13. Which social reformer of Kerala was involved in Kallumala and Irumpuval agitation ?
- (A) Sree Narayana Guru. (B) Ayyankali.  
(C) Poikayil Appachan. (D) Pandit Karupan.
14. Mahatma Gandhi's second visit to Kerala took place in the year 1925, in connection with which event he visited Kerala :
- (A) Non co-operation movement. (B) Salt Satyagraha.  
(C) Vaikom Satyagraha. (D) Guruvayur Satyagraha.
15. The work Bandanathilninnu is a memoir deals with the prison life of Congress workers in connection with Vaikom Satyagraha. Who had written the work Bandanathilninnu ?
- (A) K. Kelappan. (B) K. Madhavan Nair.  
(C) K. P. Keshava Menon. (D) Moyarath Sanakaran.

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16. Under which article of Indian constitution the central government dissolved the E M S ministry on 31<sup>st</sup> July 1959 and introduced president rule in Kerala State :
- (A) Article 352. (B) Article 356.  
(C) Article 360. (D) Article 370.
17. Who was the only Malayali President of Indian National Congress (1887, Amaravati Session) ?
- (A) K. Kelappan. (B) C. Sankaran Nair.  
(C) K. Madhavan Nair. (D) Mohammed Abdur Rahman Sahib.
18. The First General Election in Thiru-Kochi was held in ?
- (A) 1952. (B) 1947.  
(C) 1950. (D) 1956.
19. The famous Malayali historian who was a member of State Reorganisation Commission of 1953 :
- (A) V. P. Menon. (B) K. N. Panikkar.  
(C) K. M. Panikkar. (D) M. G. S. Narayanan.
20. Which of the following was not associated with Malabar Rebellion of 1921–22 ?
- (A) Pookkottur war. (B) Wagon tragedy.  
(C) Andaman colonisation scheme. (D) Murder of Connolly.