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Prabodhini College of Commerce, Education, Computer and Management, Parvati
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Semester End Examination, Oct-Nov. 2019

Programme: B.A.B.Ed.

Subject: History

Course Title: History of Ancient India (From Earliest Times to 1526)

Semester: III

Paper No: I

Time: 2 hrs.

Max. Marks: 70

Instructions:

- The question paper contains six questions spread across two pages*
- All questions are compulsory*
- Answer Q.1 & Q.2 in not more than 100 words*
- Answer Q.3 to Q.6 in not more than 400 words*
- Figures to the right in brackets indicate maximum marks*

Answer **ANY THREE** of the following questions.

(3x5=15)

- A. Write a short note on the epigraphic sources.
- B. Highlight the role of Himalaya in the making of Indian history.
- C. What is Proto history?
- D. Write a short note on the Harappan religion.
- E. Briefly explain the theory of Aryan origin.

2. Write a short note on **ANY THREE** of the following.

(3x5=15)

- A. Greek invasion in India
- B. Causes for the rise of second urbanisation.
- C. *Ashtangika Marg* of Buddhism
- D. Chandragupta Maurya
- E. Magdha

3. Answer **ANY ONE** of the following questions.

(1x10 = 10)

A. Review the secular sources for the study of ancient Indian history.

OR

B. Critically examine the economic life of Harappan people.

4. Answer **ANY ONE** of the following question.

(1x10 = 10)

A. Discuss the Mesolithic age in India.

OR

3. Analyse the political life during Vedic period.

5. Answer ANY ONE of the following question.

(1x10 = 10)

A. Examine the Persian invasion of India and its impact on Indian society.

OR

B. Comment on the Mauryan Art.

6. Answer ANY ONE of the following question.

(1x10 = 10)

A. Explain the teachings of Jainism.

OR

B. Write a note on Kanishka's contribution to Buddhism.