

**S.Y.B.A.B.Ed. SEMESTER END EXAMINATION**

**OCT-NOV/APRIL/MAY-JUNE 2018-19 (REGULAR / REPEAT / SPECIAL REPEAT)**

**SUB: History of India from earliest time to 1206 CE**

**SEMESTER: III**

**DURATION: 2hrs**

**MAX. MARKS: 70**

- Instructions:** i. All questions are compulsory and are having internal choice.  
ii. Figures to the right indicate marks allotted.

**I. Write short notes on any THREE of the following:**

**(3 x 5 = 15 Marks)**

1. Proto-history,
2. Smritis as source of history.
3. Mesolithic period.
4. Pastoralism.
5. Theories of decline.

**II. Answer any THREE of the following briefly.**

**(3 x 5 = 15 Marks)**

1. Briefly explain the polity of Early Vedic age.
2. Comment on the life of Buddha.
3. Write a short note on the conquest and life of the Ajatasatru.
4. Illuminate the impact of Persian invasion on the Indian society.
5. What were the features of Mauryan provincial administration?

Q.3 A. Appraise the influence of India's geography on its history.

**(10 Marks)**

**OR**

B. Comment on the influence of Harappan culture on Indian economy and town planning.

**(10 Marks)**

Q.4 A. Elaborate: Buddhism is an important religion of ancient India.

**(10 Marks)**

**OR**

B. Highlight the lifestyle of early Vedic people.

**(10 Marks)**

Q.5 A. state the causes of the rise of territorial states and comment on their locations.

**OR**

**(10 Marks)**

B. Scrutinize the Administration of Mauryan Empire.

**(10 Marks)**

Q.6 A. Explain in detail: Ashoka was one of the greatest Kings in ancient India.

**(10 Marks)**

**OR**

B. The Gupta age was tagged as the Golden age in Indian history. Justify.

**(10 Marks)**

