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B.A.L.L.B. (Semester – V) Examination, April 2016

Minor Paper B1 : HISTORY

Duration : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

Instructions : 1) Answer **any 8** questions from Question No. 1 to Question No. 12.

2) Question No. 13 and 14 are **compulsory**.

3) Figures to the **right** indicate marks per question.

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1. Examine the archaeological sources for the study of Ancient Indian Culture.
2. Review the socio-economic life of the Harappan civilization.
3. Explain the Vedic political system.
4. Discuss the theories regarding the origin of the Aryans.
5. Discuss the main features of Jainism.
6. Evaluate the factors responsible for the rise of the Mahajanapadas.
7. Review the administration system under the Mauryas.
8. Assess the impact of Alexanders invasion on India.
9. Examine the socio-religious life during the Gupta period.
10. Discuss the administrative system of the Cholas.
11. Explain the status of the women with reference to marriage, property rights, sati and the purdah system.
12. Discuss the impact of the Ghaznavid and the Ghorid invasion on India.



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13. Write short notes on (any two) :

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- a) Teachings of Buddha.
- b) Causes for the decline of the Indus civilization.
- c) Literary sources.

14. Write short notes on (any two) :

(2.5×2=5)

- a) Administration during Harshavardhana.
- b) Battles of Tarrain.
- c) Neolithic period.