

**SADAKATHULLAH APPA COLLEGE
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PG & RESEARCH DEPT. OF HISTORY



M.PHIL. (HISTORY)

UNITIZED SYLLABUS (CBCS)

FOR

(2011 - 2014)

(Applicable for students admitted in June 2011 and onwards)

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COURSE STRUCTURE - M. PHIL. HISTORY (2011 - 2014)
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I SEMESTER			II SEMESTER		
COURSE	H/W	C	COURSE	H/W	C
Core 1	6	5	Elective (Area paper)	6	5
Core 2	6	5	Dissertation and Viva - voce	--	15
TOTAL	12	10	TOTAL	6	20

DISTRIBUTION OF HOURS, CREDITS, NO. OF PAPERS, & MARKS				
SUBJECT	HOURS	CREDITS	NO. OF PAPERS	MARKS
Core	12	10	2	200
Elective (Area paper)	6	5	1	100
Dissertation and Viva-voce	--	15	1	100
TOTAL	18	30	4	400

TITLE OF THE PAPERS - M. PHIL. HISTORY (2011 - 2014)

SEM	P	TITLE OF THE PAPER	SUB. CODE	H/W	C	MARKS		
						I	E	T
I	C 1	Historiography and Research Methodology	11MCHS11	6	5	25	75	100
	C 2	Social Revolutionaries of India	11MCHS12	6	5	25	75	100
II	E	Socio - Cultural History of Tamil Nadu (A.D.1336 - A.D.1956)	11MEHS2A	6	5	25	75	100
		Archives Keeping	11MEHS2B					
	D	Dissertation and Viva-voce	11MDHS22	--	15	--	100	100
TOTAL				18	30	75	325	400

SYLLABUS - M. PHIL. HISTORY (2011 - 2014)
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I SEMESTER (2011 - 2014)			
C1	HISTORIOGRAPHY AND RESEARCH METHODOLOGY		11MCHS11
Hrs/Week:6	Hrs/ Sem: 90	Hrs/Unit:18	Credits: 5

UNIT I

Meaning of History and Historiography and Definitions of History – Scope and Purpose of History – Uses and abuses of History
 Is History an Art or Science?
 Kinds of History and Subjects related to History
 Lessons of History
 Causation in History – Role of Individuals and Role of Ideas

UNIT II

Ancient Historiography – Greco - Roman Tradition
 Medieval Historiography – Church and Arabic historiography
 Modern Historiography – Ranke and A.J. Toynbee

UNIT III

Post-Modernist Historiography
 Subaltern Studies

UNIT IV

Ancient Indian Historiography
 Medieval Indo-Muslim Historiography
 British Imperialist Historiography of India
 Nationalist Historiography
 Some Modern Historians – D.D. Kosambi – Romilathopar – Irfan Habib – K.A. Nilakanda – Sastri K.K. Pillai

UNIT V

Scope of Historical Research – Requisite of a Researcher
 Selection of Topic
 Historical Sources
 Sources for History of India
 Objectivity in Historical Writing
 Analysis of Data
 Synthesis
 Exposition
 Documentation – Bibliography
 Format of Thesis

TEXT BOOKS:

1. Sheik Ali, History: Its Theory and Method, Madras, 1991
2. R.C. Majumdar, Historiography in Modern India, Bombay, 1970
3. K. Rajayyan, History in Theory and Method, Madurai 1993
4. N. Subramanian, Historiography, Madurai, 1973
5. G. Venkatesan, Historiography, Madurai 1994
6. E. Sreedharan, A Text Book of Historiography (500 B.C. to A.D. 2000), Orient Longman, 2004

REFERENCE BOOKS:

1. E.H. Carr, What is History? London, 1961
2. R.G. Collingwood, The idea of History, Oxford, 1994
3. Will Durant, The Lessons of History, New York, 1968
4. P. Geyle, From Ranke to Toynbee, 1952
5. G.P. Gooch, History and the Historians in the 19th Century, London, 1961
6. W. Halperin, Some 20th Century Historians, Chicago, 1961
7. P. Hardy, Historians of Medieval India, 1960
8. B.N. Lunia, Some Historians of Medieval India, Bombay, 1969
9. R.C. Murthy, Handbook of Research Methodology in History, New Delhi
10. K.A. Nilakanta Sastri, Historical Method, Mysore. 1956
11. V.S. Pathak, Ancient Historians of India, Bombay, 1966
12. C.H. Philips, Historians of India, Pakistan and Ceylon, London, 1993
13. A.L. Rowse, The Use of History, London 1963
14. S.P. Sen (ed.), Historians and Historiography in Modern India, Madurai 1973
15. B.S. Chandrababu, Subaltern Revolts in Tamil Nadu, Madurai, 2001

I SEMESTER (2011 - 2014)			
C2	SOCIAL REVOLUTIONARIES OF INDIA		11MCHS12
Hrs/Week:6	Hrs/ Sem: 90	Hrs/Unit:18	Credits: 5

UNIT I

Historical Background of Caste-based Social Structure in India – Indian Society on the Eve of British Conquest – The impact of British Rule on India – Emergence of Social Revolutionaries. viz Rajaram Mohan Rai - Dayananda Saraswathy-Ranade

UNIT II

Sir Syed Ahamed Khan – Early Life – Attitude towards Western Education – Aligarh Movement – All India Mohammedan Educational Conference – His philosophy and social reforms.

UNIT III

Dr. Ambedkar's Early life, His Option of Religion and his embracing Buddhism, His Contribution to women's Welfare and weaker sections

UNIT IV

Shri Narayana Guru's Early Life and Socio-Cultural condition of Kerala, His writings, Philosophy and Social Reforms - SNDP Yogam and Guru's Last Days.

UNIT V

Periyar E.V.R.'s early life, his work in the Indian National Congress – Events leading to the founding of the self respect movement - its ideals and works - Periyar E.V.R.'s Mission for General Justice and his life and mission

TEXT BOOKS:

1. B. Kuppusamy, Social Change in India, New Delhi, 1969
2. K. Rajayyan, History of Tamil Nadu, 1565 – 1982, Madurai, 1982

REFERENCE BOOKS:

1. Banerjee, A.C. Two Nations Concept, New Delhi, 1981
2. David Leyueld. Aligarh's First Generation, Oxford University Press, New Delhi 1978
3. Dutt. R.P. India Today, Manisha, (Reprint), 1986
4. Ganguli, B.N., Concept of Equality: The Nineteenth Century Indian Debate, Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Simla, 1975
5. Gail Omvedt. Cultural Revolution in Colonial Society: The Non-Brahmin Movement in Western India, 1873-1930. Scientific Socialist Education Trust, Bombay, 1976
6. Dhananjay Keer, Dr. Ambedkar, Life and Mission: Popular Prakasaham, Bombay 1971
7. Verner Bickely and Puthenparamphil John Philip (Ed.), Cultural Relations in the Global Community: Problems and Prospects, Abhimar Publications, New Delhi 1981
8. K. Damodaran, Indian Thought Bombay 1967
9. B.S. Chandrababu, Social Protest in Tamil Nadu, Emerald Publishers Chennai
10. Dhananjay Keer, Jyotirao Phule: A father of Indian Social Revolution, Popular Prakasham, Bombay, 1964
11. All volumes of Dr. Ambedkar's writings and speeches published by the Government of Maharashtra, Mumbai
12. All books published by the Periyar Rationalist Propaganda Institution and Dravidian Federation, Chennai on Periyar E.V. Ramaswamy
13. Shah Muhammad, The Aligarh Movement, Meenakshi Prakashan, New Delhi 1978
14. Rajmohan Gandhi, Eight Lives, Roli Books House, New Delhi, 1988

II SEMESTER (2011 - 2014)			
E A	SOCIO-CULTURAL HISTORY OF TAMIL NADU (1336 A.D. - 1956 A.D.)		11MEHS2A
Hrs/Week:6	Hrs/ Sem: 90	Hrs/Unit:18	Credits: 5

**The candidate has to select elective paper A or elective paper B
ie, 11MHE21A or 11MHE21B**

UNIT I

Kingdom of Vijayanagar – Administration – Society and culture – development of art, architecture and literature

UNIT II

Nayaks in Madurai, Thanjavur, Senji – Society – Caste division – status of women – Temples and festivals – architecture, sculpture, literature – Administration – Poligari system

UNIT III

British Rule in Tamil Nadu – Social Life of Tamils under British rule – Progress of Education – Role of missionaries – Social legislation – Abolition of sati, child marriage, widowhood, devadasi system

UNIT IV

Social transformation – Social and cultural issues – The early associations – South Indian Liberal Federation - Justice Party – Non Brahmin Manifesto – Non-Brahmin movement – Self Respect movement of Periyar – Temple entry movements – Status of women – social legislations – Growth of Tamil Literature – Tamil Music - Anti Hindi agitation

UNIT V

Launch of DK movement Birth of DMK – Congress Ministry and its work on social and cultural matters

REFERENCE BOOKS:

1. K. Rajayan, History of Madurai (1736 – 1801 A.D), Madurai, 1974
2. K. Rajayan, South Indian Rebellion, Mysore, 1971
3. K. Rajayan, Administration and Society in the Carnatic 1701-1801 A.D., Triupathi, 1966
4. K. Rajayan, History of Tamil Nadu 1565 – 1982, Raj Publication, Madurai, 1982
5. N. Subramanian, Social and Cultural History of Tamil Nadu, Sarvodaya Ilakiya Pannai, Madurai, 1982
6. K. Rajayan, British Diplomacy in Tanjore, Rao and Ragavan Company, 1969
7. K. Rajayan, Rise and Fall of the Poligars of Tamil Nadu, University of Madras 1974
8. A. Krisnasamy Pillai, Tamil Nadu under Vijayanager, Annamalai Nagar, 1964
9. R. Sathianathier, History of Nayaks of Madurai, Oxford, 1924
10. R. Sathianathier, Tamilaham in the 17th Century, Madras 1956
11. B.S. Baliga, Studies in Madras Adminstration, Vol.1, Madras, 1960
12. Bishop Robert Cald well, A History of Tinnavelley, Asian Educational Society, 1982, Delhi

II SEMESTER (2011 - 2014)			
E B	ARCHIVES KEEPING		11MEHS2B
Hrs/Week:6	Hrs/ Sem: 90	Hrs/Unit:18	Credits: 5

UNIT I

Definition of Archives - Characteristics of Archives – Archives and Allied Institutions: Museum, Library, Art Gallery

UNIT II

History of Archives: France, Great Britain – Origin and Development of Archives in India – Physical Forms of Archives including Clay Tablets, Stone Inscriptions, Metal Plates, Palm Leaf to Paper Records – Seals, Photographs, Cartographic Records, Film., Video Tapes, Sound Records, Machine Readable Records and other Electronic Records

UNIT III

Creation of Archives: Organization of Archives – Administration of Archives – Accession of Archives – Rule and Regulations for Access in India and other Countries

UNIT IV

National Archives: Tamil Nadu state Archives – Private Archives

UNIT V

Preservation of Archives: Preventive Measures – Protective Measures – Up keeping of Old Records – Uses of Archives

REFERENCE BOOKS:

1. Jenkinson, Administration of Archives
2. Seilen Sose, Indian Archives
3. Hari Narayanan, Preservation of Archives
4. Sundararajan, World Archives
5. P. Sarveswaran, Manual of Archives Keeping
6. Basu, what are Records?
7. Toilboys Wheeler, Early Records of British India
8. B.S. Baliga, Guide to Madras Records
9. Proceedings and Publications of National Archives, New Delhi

II SEMESTER (2011 - 2014)	
DISSERTATION	11MDHS22
	Credits: 15

The following guidelines have to be followed by every candidate while preparing his/her M.Phil. Dissertation

- The Dissertation should be in English
- The candidate has to follow the instructions of the Sadakathullah Appa College History Research Centre with regard to the format and content, the first page, Declaration and certificate to be contained in the dissertation.
- Dissertation text should be typed in usual font with size 12 / 13 on A4 size Executive bond quality paper with double line spacing. Each page should contain at least 20 lines.
- The Dissertation should be submitted in duplicate
- The number of pages in M.Phil. Dissertation should be not less 100 pages inclusive of bibliography and Annexure
- Two bound copies of the M.Phil. Dissertation duly signed by the Guide and Head of the Department should be submitted to the Research Centre
- Candidates shall submit the dissertation to the Research Centre through the Supervisor and Head of the Department within 6 months but not earlier than 5 months from the date of start of the second semester.
- Marks for the Dissertation report will be 100 with **80 for presentation of Dissertation and 20 for viva-voce.**