

**SEMESTER- II**  
**(Even Semester)**

**CC- 5 : HISTORY OF IDEAS**

Unit- I : **History of Ideas, ancient and Medieval**

- (a) Plato: Ideal State
- (b) Kautilya: Saptanga Theory of State
- (c) St. Augustine: State

Unit- II : **Modern Ideas**

- (a) Machiavelli- State
- (b) Hobbes- Locke
- (c) Rousseau- General Will
- (d) M.K. Gandhi- State
- (e) B.R. Ambedkar- Social Justice

Unit- III : **Utilitarian**

- (a) Jeremy Bentham
- (b) J.S. Mill

Unit- IV : **Dialecticals**

- (a) Hegel
- (b) Karl Marx

Unit- V : **Liberals**

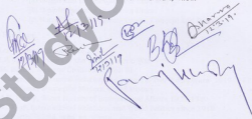
- (a) M.K. Gandhi- State
- (b) B.R. Ambedkar- Social Justice

**Suggested Readings:**

1. C.L. Wayerper, Political Thought
2. G.H. Sabine, A History of Political Theory
3. Bertrand Russell, A History of Western Philosophy
4. B.K. Jha, *पुरातन भारतीय राजतन्त्र, 2 खण्ड में*
5. Gangadutt Tiwary, *महात्मा गांधी का राजतन्त्र, 2 खण्ड में*
6. C.E.M. Joad, Guide to the Philosophy of the Morals and Politics
7. M. Lancaster, Masters of Political Thought
8. V.R.Mehta, Foundations of Indian Political Thought
9. V.P. Verma, Studies in Hindu Political Thought and its Metaphysical Foundations.
10. V.P. Verma, Modern Indian Political Thought

11. R. Vaughan, A History of Political Thought
12. N.K. Bose, Studies of Gandhianism
13. K.P. Kanunakaran, New perspectives on Gandhi
14. B.P. Sinha, Studies in Kautilya's Arthashastra
15. Robert L. Heilbroner, The Worldly Philosophers
16. R.K. Choudhary, Political Ideas and Institutions in Kautilya Arthashastra
17. E. Barker, Plato and his Predecessors
18. E. Barker, Aristotle's Politics
19. E. Barker, Greek Political Theory
20. Antonio Gramsci, Selections from Prison Notebooks
21. Chou-Hsiang-kang, Political Thought of China
22. Louis Althusser, For Marx
23. Anthony Giddens, Modern Political Ideas, 2 Vols.
24. D. Mc Lella, The Thought of Karl Marx
25. Dhananjay Keer, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar: Life and Mission
26. R.S. Sharma, Aspects of Political Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India
27. Will Durant, Story & Philosophy
28. Karl R. Popper, The Poverty of Historicism
29. Karl R. Popper, The Open Society and its Enemies
30. J. S. Mill, Utilitarianism
31. Edward Said, Orientalism
32. Leela Gandhi, Post Colonial Theory
33. Andre Gunder Frank, Orient
34. भारतीय राजनीति का इतिहास - 4 भागों में प्रकटीकरण, अखिल

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## CC- 6 : HISTORY OF EUROPE AND MODERN WORLD (1919-2000)

- Unit- I : **Post World War - I Developments**
- (a) Paris Peace Conference and the Peace Treaties
  - (b) League of Nations
  - (c) French Quest for Security and Locarno Pact 1925
  - (d) Impact of Economic Depression in 1930
- Unit- II : **Rise of Totalitarianism in Europe**
- (a) Rise of Mussolini and the Fascist Policy
  - (b) Rise of Hitler and Nazism
  - (c) Causes and Significance of the Spanish Civil War
- Unit- III : **History of Russia till 1945**
- (a) USSR under Lenin, & Stalin
- Unit- IV : **World War II and its Aftermath**
- (a) Causes
  - (b) Impact
  - (c) U.N.O.
- Unit- V : **Cold War and NAM**
- (a) Origin and manifestation of Cold War
  - (b) Disintegration of the Soviet Union
  - (c) Non-Aligned Movement- Origin, Concept and Relevance

### Suggested Readings:

1. F. Lee Benna, Europe since 1914
2. A.J.P. Taylor, Origins of the Second World War
3. E. M. Burns, Western Civilization, Vol- III
4. E.H. Carr, International Relations between the Two World Wars- 1919- 1939
5. Norman Lowe, Mastering Modern World History
6. G.M.S. Hardy, Short History of International Affairs 1920-1939
7. S. N. Dhar, International Relations and World Politics since 1919
8. Parth Barthi Gupta, दुष्टेय का इतिहास, भाग-2
9. Lal Bahadur Verma, दुष्टेय का इतिहास, भाग-2
10. Devendra Singh Chouhan, समकालीन दुष्टेय, भाग-2
11. C. Woodroff, Modern World
12. M. Marriot, International Relations between the Two World Wars

## CC- 7 : HISTORY OF BIHAR

- Unit - I : **History of Bihar- 600 BC to 600 AD**
- (a) State formation in Bihar
  - (b) Growth of the kingdom of Magadh from 6<sup>th</sup> Century BC- 200 BC
  - (c) Archaeology & History of Palliputra
  - (d) Nalanda, Vikramshila
- Unit- II : **History of Bihar under the Sultunate and Mughals**
- (a) Educational Centres of Early Medieval Bihar
  - (b) Contributions of Afghans & Mughals
  - (c) Karnatas of Mithila
  - (d) Sufism and its impact on Bihar
  - (e) Vidyapati
  - (f) Patna- Azimabad as Socio- Cultural Centre
- Unit- III : **Beginning of Modern Bihar**
- (a) Early European Trading Companies in Bihar
  - (b) Impact of Permanent Settlement of 1793
  - (c) Revolt of 1857- Role of Veer Kuriwar Singh
- Unit- IV : **Creation of Modern Bihar (1912)**
- (a) Role of Bihar Press
  - (b) Makers of Modern Bihar with special reference to Sachchidanand Sinha, Mahesh Narayan and Ali Imam
- Unit- V : **National Movement in Bihar**
- (a) Champaran Movement
  - (b) Non-Cooperation Movement
  - (c) Civil Disobedience Movement
  - (d) Quit India Movement
  - (e) Kisan Sabha Movement

### Suggested Readings:

1. B. P. Sinha (ed.), Comprehensive History of Bihar, Vol. - I, Part- I & II
2. D.R. Patil, Antiquarian Remains in Bihar
3. R.R. Diwakar, Bihar Through the Ages
4. Q. Ahmad, Bihar Through the Ages
5. R.K. Choudhary, History of Bihar
6. R. K. Choudhary, University of Vikramshila
7. Yogendra Mishra, An Early History of Vaishali
8. R.S. Sharma, The State of Jarna Formation in the Mid-Ganga Plains (also in Hindi).

9. S.H. Askari & Q. Ahmad (ed.), Comprehensive History of Bihar, Vol. II, Part- I & II
10. K.K. Dutta and V.A. Narain (ed.), Comprehensive History of Bihar, Vol. III, Part- I & II
11. V. K. Thakur, Urbanization in Ancient India
12. Pramodanand Das & Kumar Amrendra, शहर इतिहास एवं संस्कृति
13. Amarnath Singh, History of Gaya
14. Upendra Thakur, History of Mithila
15. K.K. Dutta, Biography of Kunwar Singh and Amar Singh
16. J.N. Sarkar, Glimpses of Medieval Bihar Economy
17. S. Gopal, Patna in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century
18. K.K. Dutta, History of Freedom Movement in Bihar (also in Hindi)
19. S. N. Arya, Some Aspects of Socio-Economic significance of the Pilgrimage of Gaya in the Early
20. S. N. Arya, Medieval Period- An inscriptional survey
21. Ranjan Sinha, Aspects of Society and Economy of Bihar (1765- 1856)
22. Kumar Ranvijay, Role of the Middle Class in Nationalist Movement (1912- 1947)
23. R.S. Sharma, महा शेर के राज्य की संस्कृति

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## CC- 8 : SOCIETY AND ECONOMY IN INDIAN HISTORY

### Unit-I : **Society**

- (a) Varna System in Ancient India
- (b) Artisan classes in Ancient & Medieval India
- (c) Sudras in Ancient India
- (d) Women through the Ages

### Unit- II : **Art & Architecture**

- (a) Mauryan Art
- (b) Temple Structure
- (c) Mughal Art & Architecture
- (d) Modern Art & Architecture

### Unit- III : **Trade and Commerce**

- (a) Trade and Trading Centres in Ancient & Medieval Period
- (b) History of Currency in India
- (c) Banking in Modern India

### Unit- IV : **Agrarian Changes**

- (a) Agriculture in Ancient Period
- (b) Agrarian Relations in the Medieval Period
- (c) Peasants Movements in Modern Period

### Unit- V : **Industrial Development**

- (a) Growth & Decline of Industries
- (b) Ancient India
- (c) Medieval India
- (d) Modern & Contemporary

### Suggested Readings:

1. R. C. Majumdar, Corporate Life in Ancient India
2. R. Champakalakshmi, Trade, Ideology and Urbanization
3. V. Ramaswamy, Textiles and Weavers in Medieval South India
4. R.S. Sharma, Indian Feudalism
5. Dev Pd Chatopadhyaya, शसत्र
6. J.N. Sarkar, Mughal Economy
7. D. Kumar, The Cambridge Economic History of India
8. Rajni Pam Dutta, शसत्र
9. Om Prakash Prasad & Prashant Gaurav, शसत्र
10. R.S.Sharma, Sudras in Ancient India
11. D.D. Kosambi, Indian Numismatics
12. N. R. Ray, Maurya and Shunga Art

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13. Motichandra, Trade and Trade Routes in Ancient India
14. B.D. Chattopadhyaya, Coins and Currency System in South India
15. Q. Ahmad, Alberuni's India (अबुल फ़азल अल खवाज़ि)
16. Dayaram, The Status of Women in India
17. Balkrishna, Commercial Relations between India and England
18. D.R.Gadgil, Origin of the Modern Indian Business Class
19. J. Sarkar, Economics of British India
20. Gyan Prakash Sharma, Peasants and the Indian Congress
21. A. R. Desai, Peasant Strength in India
22. V.K. Thakur, Peasants in Indian History

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## CC-9 : CONTEMPORARY INDIA

**Unit- I : The Aftermath of the Partition and its Legacy**

- (a) Interpretations of Partition
- (b) Making of Indian Constitution
- (c) Integration of Princely States into Indian Union
- (d) Indian Foreign Policy- Evolution & Development

**Unit- II : State and Nation in the Context of Social Change**

- (a) Linguistic State re-organization
- (b) Linguistic Debates
- (c) Tribal Politics
- (d) Ethnic and Regional Movements

**Unit- III : Social and Political Dynamics of Democracy**

- (a) Education and Social Change
- (b) Challenges to Indian Democracy
- (c) Caste and politics in Contemporary India
- (d) Dalit Politics in Contemporary India

**Unit- IV : Gender and Politics in Contemporary India**

- (a) Feminist Movements
- (b) Women's Search for Political Power

**Unit- V : Agricultural and Industrial Development**

- (a) Land Reforms
- (b) Agrarian Struggles
- (c) Economic Reforms

**Suggested Readings:**

1. D.A. Lal & Howard, Brasted, Freedom, Trauma, Continuities: North India and Independence
2. Bipon Chandra etc., India After Independence (also in Hindi)
3. Ramchandra Guha, India After Gandhi
4. Mushirul Hasan, Legacy of a Divided Nation: India's Muslims since Independence
5. Ranbir Samadar, A Biography of the Indian Nation
6. Romila Thapar, Another Millennium
7. Paul Brass, The Language and Politics of Indian Since Independence
8. A.R. Desai, Agrarian Struggles in India After Independence
9. Kumkum Sangari & Suresh Vaid (eds.), Recasting Women
10. Nirja Gopal Jayal (ed.), Democracy in India
11. Sugata Bose & Ayesha Jalal (eds.), Nationalism, Democracy and Development: State and Politics in India



12. Sunil Khilnani, *The Idea of India*
13. D.D. Basu, *The Constitution of India*
14. Mushirul Hasan & Nariki Nakazato (eds.), *The Unfinished Agenda: Nation Building in South Asia*
15. Ram Chandra Guha, *India After Nehru*
16. Radha Kumar, *The History of Doing*
17. Manoj Sinha (ed.), *समाजशास्त्र और समाज परिवर्तन*
18. N.N. Vohra & Satyasachi Bhattacharya (eds.), *Looking Back- India in 20<sup>th</sup> Century* (also in Hindi)
19. Shreedhar Narain Pandey, *Social Education and Social Changes in Bihar*
20. Dr. Vijay Kumar, *समाजशास्त्र और समाज परिवर्तन*

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## Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) – 1

### AEC- 1 : ARCHIVES AND MUSEUMS

1. Defining Museums and Archives
2. History of the Setting up of Museums: Case Study of Indian Museum, Kolkata
3. History of the Setting up of Archives: Case Study of National Archives of India, New Delhi
4. New Kinds of Museums and Archives: Virtual; Digital; Crafts; Media

#### Suggested Readings:

1. A Guide to the National Museum, New Delhi: National Museum, 1997
2. O.P. Agrawal, Essentials of Conservation and Museology
3. O. P. Agrawal, ग्रन्थालय संरक्षण और उसे संग्रहित व प्रदर्शन
4. G. Edson & D. David, Handbook for Museum
5. Tapati Thakurta Guha, Mounments, Objects, Histories: Institutions of Art in Colonial India
6. Y.P. Kathpalia, Conservation and Restoration of Archive Materials
7. J. Ridener, From Folders to Post Modernism: A Concise History of Archival Theory
8. Journal of the State Archives, (Abhilekh Bihar) (Also in Hindi)