

PROGRAMME:

MA History

ANCIENT WORLD**COURSE ID:**

MHS-101

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UNIT-I**TRANSITION FROM FORAGING TO FOOD PRODUCTION**

1. The Origins of Homo Sapiens Sapiens and Colonization of the World: Models and Evidence
2. Strategies of Survival: Locating Scavengers, Foragers and Farmers through Anthropology
3. The Cultural Evolution: Early Forms of Social Organization, Technology and Exchange
4. Beginning of the Domestication, Agriculture and Proliferation of Sedentary Communities in Old and New World

UNIT-II**THE DEVELOPMENT OF EARLY CIVILIZATIONS**

5. Understanding Complex Societies: Urbanization, Civilization and State
6. Classical and Contemporary Theories of the Emergence of Cultural Complexity
7. Archaeology of the Complex Societies: Emergence of Wealth and Status Differentials
8. Emergence of Civilization in South West Asia: A Case Study

UNIT-III**EMERGENCE OF EMPIRES**

9. Elements of Imperial State Formation: Expansion, Integration and Exploitation in Early Empires
10. Emergence of Early Empires in South West Asia
11. Delian League and the Making of Athenian Empire
12. Rome: Making and Unmaking of an Empire

READING LIST**Essential Readings:**

1. Barbara Bender, *Farming in Prehistory: From Hunter-Gather to Food-Producer*, John Bake, London, 1975.
2. Brian M. Fagan and Nadia Durrani, *Peoples of the Earth: An Introduction to World Prehistory*, 15th Edition, Rutledge, 2019. (Text Book)
3. Bruce Trigger, et al, *Ancient Egypt: A Social History*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1983.
4. D.T. Potts, *Mesopotamian Civilization: The Material Foundation*, The Athlone Press, London, 1997.
5. David Rindos, *The Origins of Agriculture: An Evolutionary Perspective*, Academic Press, New York, 1984.
6. E. Leacock and R. Lee (eds.), *Politics and History in Band Societies*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1982.
7. George, Roux, *Ancient Iraq*, third edition, Penguin Books, London, 1992.
8. H.J.M. Claessen and P. Skalnik (eds.), *The Early State*, Mouton Publishers, The Hague, 1978.
9. Ian Morris and Walter Scheidel (eds), *The Dynamics of Ancient Empires: State Power from Assyria to Byzantium*, OUP, 2009.
10. J. P. V. D. Balsdon, *Rome: The Story of an Empire*, Weidenfeld and Nicholson, London, 1970.
11. J.N. Postgate, *Early Mesopotamia: Society and Economy at the Dawn of History*, Routledge, London, 1992
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13. M.D. Sahlins, *Tribesmen*, Prentice-Hall Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey, 1968.
1. Polanyi et. al, *Trade and Market in Early Empires*, The Free Press, Glencoe, 1957.
14. R.B. Lee and Irven D Vore (eds.), *Man The Hunter*, Aldine Publishing Company, Chicago, 1968.
15. Robert F. Wenke and Deborah J. Olszewski, *Patterns in Prehistory: Humankind's First Three Million Years*, fifth edition, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 2007. (Text Book)
16. S. N. Eisenstadt, *The Decline of Empires*, Prentice-Hall, New Jersey, 1967.

Suggested Readings:

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3. A.H. M. Jones, *The Decline of the Ancient World*, Longman, New York, 1966.

4. A.H. M. Jones, *The Roman Economy: Studies in Ancient Economic and Administrative History*, ed. P. A. Brunt, Blackwell, Oxford, 1974.
5. Antony Andrews, *Greek Society*, Pelican, Harmondsworth, 1991.
6. Antony Andrews, *The Greeks*, Hutchinson, London, 1968.
7. Archer, S. Fischler and M. Wyke (eds.) *Women in Ancient Societies, An Illusion of the Night*, Palgrave Macmillan, Basingstoke, 1994.
8. Brendan O'Leary, *The Asiatic Mode of Production: Oriental Despotism, Historical Materialism and Indian History*, Blackwell, Oxford, 1989.
9. C.A. Gregory, *Gifts and Commodities*, Academic Press, London, 1982.
10. C.G. Starr, *The Economic and Social Growth of Early Greece, 800-500 B.C.*, Oxford University Press, New York, 1977.
11. C. W. Gailey, *Kinship to Kingship*, University of Texas Press, Austin, 1987.
12. Charles A. Reed, ed., *The Origins of Agriculture*, Mouton, The Hague, 1977.
13. D. R. Harris (ed.), *The Origin and spread of agriculture and pastoralism in Eurasia*, University College London Press, London, 1966.
14. D. R. Harris and G. Hillman (eds.), *Foraging and Farming: The Evolution of Plant Exploitation*, Unwin Hyman, London, 1989.
15. Dahlberg, *Women: The Gatherer*, Cambridge University Press, London, 1981.
16. Daryll Forde, *Habitat, Economy and Society: A Geographical Introduction to Ethnology*, Methuen, London, 1962.
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18. F. Engels, *The Origin of Family, Private Property and the State*, ed. E. Leacock, Routledge, London, 1972.
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20. G. E. M. de Ste Croix, *The Class Struggle in the Ancient Greek World*, Cornell University Press, Ithaca, 1987.
21. Gerda Learner, *The Creation of Patriarchy*, Oxford University Press, New York, 1986.
22. Gero and M. Conkey (eds) *Engendering Archaeology: Women and Prehistory*, Blackwell, Oxford, 1990.
23. Geza Alföldy, *The Social History of Rome*, Groom Helm, London, 1985.
24. Gledhill, B. Bender, and M. T. Larsen (eds.), *State and Society: The Emergence and Development of Social Hierarchy and Political Centralization*, Unwin Hyman, London, 1988.
25. J. Mellart, *Neolithic of the Near East*, Thames and Hudson, London, 1977.
26. J. Middleton and D. Tait (eds.), *Tribes without Rulers*, Routledge, London, 1958.
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28. J.S. Kahn and C. Llobera (eds.), *The Anthropology of pre-capitalist Societies*, Macmillan, London, 1981.
29. Karl A. Wittfogel, *Oriental Despotism: A Comparative Study of Total Power*, Yale University Press, Harvard, 1970.
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31. M. Godelier, *Perspective in Marxist Anthropology*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1977.
32. M.I. Finley, *Ancient Economy*, University of California Press, Berkeley, 1973.
33. M.I. Finley, *Politics in Ancient World*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1983.
34. McGuire Gibson, Robert D. Biggs (eds.), *The Organization of Power, Aspects of Bureaucracy in Ancient Near East*, Oriental Institute of Chicago, Chicago, 1991.
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PROGRAMME:

MA History

HISTORY OF EIGHTEENTH CENTURY INDIA**COURSE ID:**

MHS-103

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UNIT-I**HISTORIOGRAPHY**

1. The 'Dark Age' and 'Twilight' perspectives- contemporary perceptions, colonial and nationalist interpretations.
2. Marxist perspective- Eighteenth century as a period of crisis and decline, the Jagirdari and agrarian crises, colonial transformation, colonization of Indian economy.
3. The 'Revisionist' challenge- Interrogating the centralized nature of Mughal state, Mughal decline as a factor in economic and societal progress, continuity and property thesis, emergence of new social groups and 'portfolio capitalists', the thesis of indigenous origins of early colonial state and 'transition' to colonialism.

UNIT-II**DISINTEGRATION OF THE MUGHAL EMPIRE 'SUCCESSOR' STATES, AND WARFARE**

4. Mughal Empire in the post- Aurangzeb period, parties and politics at the Mughal court, 1707- 1761- the struggle for Wizaarat, the role of Saiyyid Brothers, Nizam- ul Mulk, Najibuddaulah and Safdarjung.
5. 'Successors' states and other categories; Maratha state in the eighteenth century, Warfare and society.
6. Foreign invasions and their impact

UNIT-III**BRITISH CONQUEST AND BEGINNING OF COLONIZATION**

7. Rise and growth of British power in India during the eighteenth century – colonial conquest of Bengal and South India.
8. Economic impact of colonial conquest and colonization, origins of the Permanent Settlement. 3. Ideology of the early colonial state in India.

READING LIST

1. Andre Wink, *Land and Sovereignty in India: Agrarian Society and Politics under the Eighteenth Century Maratha Swarajya*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1986.
2. Bernard Cohn, 'Political system in Eighteenth Century India: The Banaras Region', in *An Anthropologist among Historians and other Extracts*, ed. Bernard Cohn, Oxford University Press, Delhi, 1988, pp. 483- 99.
3. C. A. Bayly, *Indian Society and the Making of British Empire*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1988.
4. C. A. Bayly, *Rulers, Townsmen and Bazaars: North Indian Society in the Age of British Expansion, 1770- 1870*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1983.
5. Irfan Habib, 'Colonization of Indian Economy', *Social Scientist*, Vol. 3, No.8, March 1975, pp. 23-53.
6. J. S. Grewal, *Sikhs of the Punjab*, Cambridge University Press, New York, 1990.
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8. M. Athar Ali, 'Recent Theories of Eighteenth Century India', *Indian Historical Review*, Vol. XIII, No. 1-2, 1986- 87, pp. 102- 110.
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13. Percival Spear, *Twilight of the Mughals*, Oxford University Press, Delhi, 2002.
14. Richard Barnett (ed.), *Rethinking Early Modern India*, Manohar, Delhi, 2002.
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16. Satish Chandra, *The Eighteenth Century in India: It's Economy and the Role of Marathas, the Jats, the Sikhs and the Afghans*, K. P. Bagchi & Co., Calcutta, 1986.
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18. Seema Alavi (ed.), *The Eighteenth Century in India*, Oxford University Press, Delhi, 2002.
19. Stewart Gordon, *Marathas, Maraudes and State Formation in 18th century India*, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 1994.
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PROGRAMME:

MA History

**AN ECONOMIC HISTORY OF THE EMERGENCE OF CAPITALISM IN
EUROPE**

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UNIT-I

1. What is Capitalism?
2. Economic Structures and Change in Medieval Europe, circa 750-1450: Resources, technology, productivity, population, agriculture, manufactures, trade and towns.
3. The Decline of Feudalism

UNIT-II

4. The origins of the Great Divergence: The Seventeenth Century Crisis and the Decline of the Mediterranean
5. Overseas Empires and its impact on the transition to Capitalism: the rise of the Atlantic economies;
6. Economic, Social and Demographic Change in the Eighteenth Century: Population, Agriculture, Industrialization

UNIT-III

7. The Emergence of Industrial Societies: Britain, France, Germany
8. Thematic Debates: Institutional Change, Technology, Market, Class configurations, Demographic Change, Sources of capital mobilization, the Industrial Revolution, Spatial economic variations and divergence
9. Contemporary Economic doctrines
10. Growth and crises in early capitalism

Reading List

1. T. H. Aston and C. H. E. Philpin, *The Brenner Debate: Agrarian Class Structure and Economic Development in Pre-industrial Europe*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1985.
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3. F. Braudel, *Civilization and Capitalism, 15th-18th Century*, University of California Press, Berkeley, 1992.
4. S. R. Epstein and Rodney Hilton, 'Marxism and the Transition from Feudalism to Capitalism', *Working Papers*, No. 94/06.
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6. M. M. Postan, *The Medieval Economy and Society: An Economic History of Britain in the Middle Ages*, Penguin Books, London, 1993.
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8. Robert Brenner and Christopher Isett, 'England's Divergence from China's Yangzi Delta: Property Relations, Microeconomics, and Patterns of Development', *The Journal of Asian Studies*, Vol. 61 (2), pp. 609-662.
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11. Ann Arbor and K. N. Chaudhuri, *Asia Before Europe: Economy and Civilization of the Indian Ocean from the Rise of Islam to 1750*, Cambridge University Press, New York, 1991.
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16. Geoffrey Parker, *Europe in Crisis 1598-1648*, second edition, Wiley-Blackwell, Belize, 2001.
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20. N. F. R. Crafts, 'British Industrialization in an International Context', *Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, Vol. 19, 1989, pp. 415-428.
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23. D. C. North, *Institutions, Institutional Change, and Economic Performance*, Cambridge University Press, New York, 1990.
24. D. C. North and R. P. Thomas, *The Rise of the Western World: A New Economic History*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1976.
25. M. Anderson, *Approaches to the History of the Western Family 1500-1914*, Macmillan Press, London, 1980.
26. J. Goody, 'From Collective to Individual? The Historiography of the Family in the West', *idem. The East and the West*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1996, pp. 162-204.
27. Immanuel Wallerstein, 'The Rise and Future Demise of the World Capitalist System: Concepts for Comparative Analysis', *Comparative Studies in Society and History*, Vol. 16, 1974, pp 387- 415.

PROGRAMME:

MA History

POLITICAL HISTORY OF DELHI SULTANATE (1200-1526)**COURSE ID:**

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UNIT-I**1. SOURCES**

- The narratives of Indo-Persian chroniclers; Ziauddin Barani's theory of history in *Tarikh-i Firozshahi* and political philosophy in *Fatawa-i Jahandari*
- Sufi Texts- *malfūzāt*
- Travelogues-Ibn Battuta
- Inscriptions

2. HISTORIGRAPHICAL DEBATES

- Representation of Turkish conquests in the Indo-Persian Sources—Mahmud of Ghazni as a *ghazi* Sultan at the frontiers of Islam
- The problems of Colonial and Nationalist historiography of the Delhi Sultanate
- Continuity and change from pre-Sultanate to the Sultanate period, impact of the establishment of Sultanate of Delhi

UNIT-II**3. PROCESS OF CONQUEST AND EXPANSION:** Ghorid conquests and the role of Turkish bureaucracy; consolidation of the Sultanate under Aibak, Iltutmish and Balban.**4. KHALJIS AND TUGHLAQ:** Consolidation and the expansion of the Sultanate; conquests of the Deccan states; disintegration of the Sultanate and rise of the regional kingdoms; Syeds and Lodis- north India in the 15th and early 16th century.**UNIT-II****5. KINGSHIP, GOVERNANCE AND POLITICAL CULTURE:** Perso-Islamic traditions of kingship; sovereignty and nature of polity in the Delhi Sultanate- Khaljis, Tughlaqs and the Afghans; court culture and etiquettes; transitions in political culture and service from 13th to early 16th centuries.**6. POLITICAL STRUCTURE, NOBILITY AND RELATIONS WITH NON-MUSLIM ELITES:** central and provincial administrative structures; composition and organization of ruling elites; *iqta* and revenue *grants*, *ulema* and *sufis*; relations between the non-Muslim elites and the Sultanate.**Reading List**

- A. B. M. Habibullah, *The Foundation of Muslim Rule in India*, The Central Book Depot, Allahabad, 1961.
- Abdul Halim, *Lodi Sultans of Delhi and Agra*, Idara-I Adabiyat-I Delli, Delhi, 2009.
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- Agha Mahdi Husain, *The Tughlaq Dynasty*, Thacker Spink, Calcutta, 1963.
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- I. H. Siddiqui, *Composite Culture in the Sultanate of Delhi*, Primus Book, Delhi, 2012.
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17. I. H. Siddiqui, *Some Aspects of Afghan Despotism*, Three Men Publication, Aligarh, 1969.
18. Irfan Habib (ed.), *Medieval India - I: Researches in the History of India 1200-1750*, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 1998.
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26. Peter Hardy, *Historians of Medieval India*, Greenwood Press, Westport, 1982.
27. Peter Jackson, *The Delhi Sultanate: A Political and Military History*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1999.
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30. Richard M. Eaton, Munis D. Faruqi, David Gilmartin and Sunil Kumar, eds., *Expanding Frontiers in South Asian and World History; Essays in Honours of John F. Richards*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 2013.
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37. Simon Digby, *War-Horse and Elephant in the Delhi Sultanate: A Study of Military Supplies*, Orient Monograph, Oxford, 1971.
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Articles

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2. Devraj Chanana, 'The Image of the Hero in 14th Century India', *Proceedings of the Indian History Congress*, 1967.
3. Irfan Habib, 'Barani's Theory of the History of Delhi Sultanate', *Indian Historical Review*, Vol 7, Nos. 1-2, pp. 99-115.
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HISTORY OF ISLAMIC CIVILIZATION (610-1258)**COURSE ID:**

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UNIT-I

1. Geographical background of Arabia; basic teachings of Islam and its social relevance; development of state and administration under the Prophet; nature of Islamic state; relations with the non-Muslims (*zimmis*); Prophet's Last Sermon.
2. The Pious Caliphate- Origin and development; expansion of state; central, provincial, military and revenue administration; relations with the non-Muslims.

UNIT-II

3. The Umayyads- Caliphate to monarchy; revival of sectarian and tribal jealousies among the Arabs; *Kharjites*; *Mawali* movement; non-Muslims (*zimmis*) and slaves; administration.
4. Rise of Abbasids- Abbasid Revolution and its consequences; nature of state and nobility; central, provincial, military and revenue administration; *Shu'ubiyya* movement.

UNIT-III

5. Intellectual life: science and philosophy- role of *Bait-ul Hikmah* in the growth of philosophy and sciences; development of art and architecture in the Islamic world.
6. Development of literature: secular and religious; *Hadis* and *fiqh* literature; some eminent historians- Ibn-al Hisham, Masudi, Balazuri.

Reading List

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2. Abul Ala Maududi, *Siyasat-o Mulukiyat*, (Urdu).
3. Adam Mez, *The Renaissance of Islam*, trs. Salahuddin Khuda Bakhsh and D. S. Margoliouth, Jubilee Printing and Publishing House, Patna, 1937.
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6. Barkat Ahmad, *Muhammad and the Jews: A Re-examination*, Vikas Publishing House, Delhi, 1979.
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12. Ishtiaq Ahmad, *The Concept of an Islamic State: An Analysis of the Ideological Controversy in Pakistan*, St. Martin's Press, New York, 1987.
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22. P. M. Holt, Ann K. S. Lambton and Bernard Lewis (eds.), *The Cambridge History of Islam*, Vol. 2B, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1977.
23. Patricia Crone, *God's Caliph: Religious Authority in the First Centuries of Islam*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1986.

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26. R. Levy, *Social Structure of Islam*, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1957.
27. Robert Simon, *Meccan Trade and Islam, Problems of Origin and Structure*, tr. Feodora Sos, Akademiai Kiado, Budapest, 1932.
28. S. A. Q. Husaini, *Arab Administration*, Idarah-I Adabiyat-I Delli, Delhi, 1949.
29. S. M. Imaduddin, *Political History of the Muslims*, (vol. I, Prophet and Pious Caliphs, 570-661), Dacca, 1970.
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UNIT-I

EARLY TRENDS AND INDO-PERSIAN WRITINGS DURING THE SULTANATE PERIOD

1. Traditions of history writing in early medieval India: Kalhan's *Rajtarangini*.
2. Arab and Persian traditions of history writing and their impact on medieval Indo-Persian histories; Farkhr-I Mudabbir's *Adab ul Harbwa'sh Shu'at*; Hasan Nizami's *Tajul Ma'asir*.
3. Treatment of history and historical causation in the works of Minhaj us Siraj, Amir Khusroe, Isami, Sham Siraj Afif and Yahya bin Ahmad Sirhindi, Ziauddin Barani's theory of History.

UNIT-II

INDO PERSIAN HISTORICAL WRITINGS DURING THE MUGHAL PERIOD

4. Historians and historiography during the reign of Akbar with special reference to the works of Abul Fazl, Abdul Qadir Badauni and Nizamuddin Ahmad.
5. Indo-Persian historiography during the reigns of Jahangir and Shah Jahan; Abdul Hamid Lahori's *Padshahnama*.
6. An overview of Indo-Persian historical writings on Aurangzeb's reign.

UNIT-III

MEMOIRS, BIOGRAPHICAL AND BARDIC NARRATIVES, AND REGIONAL TRADITIONS

7. Memoirs as a source of History: *Baburnama*, *Tuzuk-I Jahangiri* and *Ardh-Kathanak*.
8. Bardic sources and biographical narratives (*Charit Kavyas*)
9. Regional histories: Persian and other traditions.

Readings List:

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**POLITICAL STRUCTURES AND REGIONAL POLITIES IN EARLY
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UNIT-I

UNDERSTANDING EARLY MEDIEVAL INDIA

1. Transition from early historical to early medieval: historiography with reference to the perceptions of continuity and change, problems of periodisation into 'ancient', 'medieval' and 'modern', the position of early medieval India in history and fixing of the chronology.
2. Historiographical Approaches to early medieval India: theories and perspectives, early medieval India in the pre1940s works, Marx and Oriental Despotism, Nationalist view of a centralised state, segmentary state concept, integrative and lineage polities, patrimonial bureaucracy, new frame works for the study on the nature of state

UNIT-II

STRUCTURE OF REGIONAL POLITIES, EVOLUTION AND CHANGING POWER CONFIGURATIONS

3. Formation of regional polities, with special reference to the Rajputs, Pallava-Cholas, Orissa, new royalty, landholding and clan structures and relationships, landed bureaucracy and power hierarchy, shifting centres of power, emergence of lineage polities and inter-lineage networks, consolidation of lineage families as ruling elites, landholding rights and integration through hierarchy.
4. Islam and Early Medieval India: conquest of Sindh, aspects of interaction with West Asia and the regional states, coming of the Turks and establishment of the Delhi Sultanate, issues of representations, ideas of 'invasions', 'iconoclasm', 'Hindu-Muslim interface'.

UNIT-III

FORMS OF ROYAL LEGITIMATION AND CONTROL:

5. Brhamana-kshatriya network, acculturation of local population, caste and varna hierarchies, brhamanical ideologies, origin myths and legends, genealogies and rituals of kingship, forms of local and supra local control.
6. Networks of royal control through religious, agrarian and other types of institutions like the temples, brahmadeyas, land grants.
7. Symbols and modes of royal legitimation, development of cult centres, temple complexes and consolidation of pilgrimage network as institutions of power and control, wars and conquests and development of political iconography with special reference to some case studies of temples and early mosques.

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POLITICAL HISTORY OF INDIA (1757-1857)**COURSE ID:**

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UNIT-I**SUCCESSOR STATES AND THEIR POLITY**

1. Debate on the 18th Century
2. Emerging political rivalry between states
3. Political patronage and European trade
4. European rivalry and the bid for political power

UNIT-II**POLITICS OF TERRITORIAL AGGRANDIZEMENT**

5. Foundation of East India Company's rule
6. British relations with Mysore
7. Anglo-Maratha rivalry
8. Anglo-Sikh relations

UNIT-III**COLONIAL RULE AND EARLY POLICIES**

9. Institutional changes (Revenue, Law, Administration, Education and Social legislation)
10. Impact of colonial rule in India
11. Anti-colonial protests before 1857
12. Making of the Revolt
13. Revolt and its regional dimensions

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AGRARIAN PROTEST AND MOVEMENTS (1830-1951)**COURSE ID:**

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UNIT-I

1. 19th Century Uprisings (Wahhabi and Faraizi, Santhal, Indigo, Pabna and Deccan uprisings) Land revenue administration and the agrarian structure
2. Tenancy issues
3. Commercialization and its concomitants
4. Local consciousness and political mobilization

UNIT-II

5. Peasant Ideologies (Champaran, Kheda, Bardoli, Moplah, and Kisan Sabha) Politics of mass mobilization and the peasants
6. Gandhi and peasant nationalism Left and the new political agenda
7. Interplay of caste, class, community and nation

UNIT-III

8. Search for New Political Base (Tebhaga, Telangana, Wodi and Punnapevayalar) Consolidation of non-secular identities
9. Challenges before the Left
10. Search for stable agrarian base
11. Land reforms and emerging trends in peasant politics

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