

**4/H-17 (iv) (Syllabus-2018)**

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( May/June )

HISTORY

( Honours )

( **Historiography** )

( His-UG-404 )

*Marks : 75*

*Time : 3 hours*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

Answer *any five* questions

1. Write a note on the evolution of the understanding of history over time. 15
2. Write a brief note on the nature of history. 15
3. Discuss the relationship of history with archaeology and sociology. 8+7=15
4. What do you understand by the term 'generalization'? Explain its role in history. 3+12=15

5. Write an essay on Herodotus as a historian. 15
6. Critically examine the Rankean approach to history. 15
7. Highlight the main characteristics of imperialist historiography on India. 15
8. Make an assessment of Marxist approach to Indian history. 15
9. Write an essay on Subaltern historiography. 15
10. Write short notes on any *two* of the following :  
 $7\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 15$ 
  - (a) Causation in history
  - (b) Objectivity in history
  - (c) A. J. Toynbee
  - (d) Periodization in history

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