Department of History M A
Semester Second
Paper: History of Modern India (1757-1947)
Core Course-HIST 223

Important Instruction: *All the students are required to prepare all three assignments separately. These assignments are compulsory and submit them in a time bound manner, otherwise admit card for the exams will not be generated. A sample of the title page is also attached.*

Assignment – I

Maximum Marks = 6

Note: Attempt any two questions of the following:
Q.1   What are the major historiographical trends in the study of eighteenth-century India?
Q.2   How did foreign trade impact Bengal's economy in the eighteenth century?
Q.3   What were the key battles that led to the British establishment in Bengal?
Q.4   Explain the main factors behind the rise of British power in India between 1757 and 1857.

$3 \times 2 = 6$

Assignment – 2

Maximum Marks = 6

Note: Attempt any two questions of the following:
Q.1   What were the major forms of resistance against British rule before 1857?
Q.2   Discuss the key causes of the 1857 uprising.
Q.3   What were the major consequences of the Revolt of 1857?
Q.4   How did the rise of middle-class consciousness contribute to early nationalism in India (1885-1905)?

$3 \times 2 = 6$

Assignment – 3

Maximum Marks = 8

Note: Attempt any two questions of the following:
Q.1   What were the main objectives and impact of the Swadeshi movement (1905-1917)?
Q.2   How did the Jallianwala Bagh massacre influence the Indian freedom struggle?
Q.3   What was the significance of the Quit India Movement in India's struggle for independence?
Q.4   Explain the role of communalism in the negotiations for independence and Partition.

$4 \times 2 = 8$

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