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# BACHELOR'S DEGREE (C.B.C.S) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024 2023 ADMISSIONS REGULAR

### **SEMESTER III - CORE COURSE (HISTORY)**

HY3C03B23 - Polity, Society and Economy in Pre- Colonial India

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 80

#### Part A

### I. Answer any Ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks

(10x2=20)

- 1. What is Mugaddam?
- 2. Write a note on Red Fort.
- 3. Name any of the Medieval court chronicles in Indian history.
- 4. Who were the Ulemas?
- 5. Who were the Turks?
- 6. What was the invasion of Mathura in 1018?
- 7. Write a note on any one ruler of the Maratha Empire.
- 8. Who is kotwal?
- 9. What is a Jagir?
- 10. Who is the author of 'Babarnama'?
- 11. Write a note on Rajulu.
- 12. Who was the founder of Saluva Dynasty (1486-1505)?

#### Part B

# II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 5 marks

(6x5=30)

- 13. Write a note on the importance of coins in medieval Indian History.
- 14. Form an estimate of Ghiyas-ud-din Balban as a ruler.
- 15. Narrate the reign of Raziya Sultana.
- 16. Explain the consequences of the Arab invasion of Sind.
- 17. Sketch the importance of Sulhi-i-Kul.
- 18. Describe the guild system during the Mughal period.
- 19. Describe the importance of Karkhanas.
- 20. Explain about the people called 'Nalavajativaru or Sudras'.
- 21. Sketch the importance of Ashtapradhan.

## Part C

## iii. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 15 marks

(2x15=30)

- 22. Describe the invasions of Mohammed bin Qasim and throw light on the causes of defeat of King Dahir by the Arabs.
- 23. Give an estimate of the attacks by Mohammed Ghori in India and its consequences in Indian history.
- 24. Expand on the socio-economic conditions of Mughal India.
- 25. Describe the features of the administration of Shivaji.