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Second Semester B.A. Degree Examination, July 2017
First Degree Programme Under CBCSS
HISTORY – Core Course II
HY 1241 : Cultural Formation of the Pre-Modern World
(2014 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

PART – A

Answer **all** questions in **one** word to maximum **two** sentences :

1. String Theory.
2. Charles Darwin.
3. Altamira.
4. Mount Sandal.
5. Jarmo.
6. Timna Valley.
7. Great Ziggurat of Ur.
8. Indus Seals.
9. Colosseum.
10. Pope Urban II.

(1×10=10 Marks)

PART – B

Answer **any eight** from the following **not** to exceed **one** paragraph :

11. Herbert Spencer.
12. Mesolithic culture.
13. Chalcolithic culture.
14. Hieroglyphics.



15. Epic of Gilgamesh.
16. Shang dynasty.
17. Indus script.
18. Greek Theatre.
19. Gladiators.
20. People's crusade.
21. Commendation ceremony.
22. Pope Gregory VII.

(8×2=16 Marks)

PART - C

Answer **any six** from the following **not** to exceed **120** words :

23. Write a note on Tutankhamun.
24. Account on the causes for the fall of Akkadian Empire.
25. Write a note on Western Zhou Dynasty.
26. Write a note on Great Bath at Mohenjo Daro.
27. Write a note on Spartan society.
28. Write a note on Second Triumvirate.
29. Write a note on Hijrah.
30. Write a note on the impact of crusades.
31. Write a note on the significance of Benedictine order in European history.

(6×4=24 Marks)

PART - D

Long essays. Answer **any two** of the following :

32. Elucidate the legacy of Mesopotamian Civilization.
33. Discuss the cultural contributions of Islam to the world.
34. Briefly analyze the nature of European Feudalism.
35. Account on the growth of trade and commerce in Medieval Europe.

(2×15=30 Marks)