

Department of History
Kurukshetra University Kurukshetra

The Syllabus for Ph.D. Entrance Test
Subject: History

The main streams of History may include:-

- (i) Medieval Indian History (1200 to 1750)
- (ii) Modern Indian History (1750 to 1947)

The Scheme of the Paper Setting will be as Follows:-

Paper-I (Objective)

Max. Marks: 100
Duration: One Hour

Instruction for Examiner

50 Multiple Choice Objective type questions are to be set covering 25 questions from each two main streams i.e. Medieval and Modern Indian History.

Instruction for Candidate

1. Question Paper will be common for all the candidates of Medieval and Modern specialization. This paper will contain 50 multiple choice type questions covering 25 questions each from two streams mentioned above.
2. The candidates will have to attempt all the questions. Each question will carry 2 (two) marks.

Paper - II (Descriptive)

Max. Marks: 100
Duration: Two Hours

Instruction for Examiner:-

1. Question Paper should be divided into two sections representing each stream i.e. Medieval Indian History and Modern Indian History.
2. There will be two section for Medieval Indian History (Section 'A') and Modern Indian History (Section 'B'). Five questions are to be set from each Section covering the below mentioned chapters:-
 - (i) Historiography,
 - (ii) Concepts and Methods,
 - (iii) Different Approaches,

- (iv) Major Issues and Problems, and
- (v) Different Trends in History

Instruction for Candidate:-

1. Candidate has to attempt four questions in all from any of the Two Sections of Specialization according to his/her choice. All Questions carry equal marks.
2. Candidate has to attempt all questions from one area of specialization out of above mentioned streams.