

# Maulana Azad College

Department Of History

Model Questions

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## Semester -2 CC-3

Objective Type 1 mark question

1. What are the sources of information about Chandragupta Maurya?
2. Who is a Rastriya?
3. When did Bindusara rule?
4. When did Ashoke conquer Kalinga?
5. Name two later Mauryan rulers?

Short Note Type (5-Marks)

6. How does Magasthenes describe Pataliputra?
7. What is the veracity of Magasthenes?

Essay Type ( 10 Marks)

8. What do we know of Maurya administration from Arthashastra?
9. What is Asokha's Dharma? What measures were taken by him to propagate his Dhamma?
10. Why did the Maurya Dynasty decline?

## Semester-2 GE-2

Objective Type 1 mark question

1. Name two sources about Gupta administration.
2. What is Bhag?
3. Name one architecture of the Gupta period.
4. Who were the Sankarabarnas?
5. Name two crafts of the Gupta age
6. What is a Nigam?

Short Note Type (5-Marks)

7. Write about Art and Architecture of the Guptas
8. Write about religion in the Gupta Age.

Essay Type ( 10 Marks)

9. Write a note on Gupta Administration

10. Can the Gupta age be called the Golden Age?

## **Semester -4 CC-9**

### Objective Type 1 mark question

1. What is the importance of Fargana?
2. When did Babar fight the battle with Rana Sangha?
3. When did Humayun rule?
4. How long did Sher Shah rule?
5. When did Akbar ascend the throne?

### Short Note Type (5-Marks)

6. Discuss the significance of the 1<sup>st</sup> battle of Panipat
7. What were the conquests made by Akbar upto 1601?

### Essay Type ( 10 Marks)

8. What was the condition of India on the eve of Babur's invasion?
9. What were the problems faced by Humayun in consolidating his empire? How far was he successful in solving these problems?
10. Describe briefly Sher Shah's administrative system

## **Semester-4 GE-4**

### Objective Type 1 mark question

1. What is the meaning of military fiscalism?
2. Name one state which was rich in the 18<sup>th</sup> Century
3. Where is Awadh situated ?
4. How many forts were under the zamindars of Awadh?

### Short Note Type (5-Marks)

1. Which group of Historians called 18<sup>th</sup> Century a period of decline?
2. Which group of Historians do not agree with the argument that 18<sup>th</sup> Century was a period of decline

### Essay Type ( 10 Marks)

1. What is the debate concerning 18<sup>th</sup> Century India
2. Write a note on the establishment of Independent states before the growth of colonial power in India.

