

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – HISTORY

FIRST SEMESTER – APRIL 2018

17/16UHT1MC01– ANCIENT INDIAN HISTORY PAPER I

Date: 25-04-2018

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 01:00-04:00

PART – A

Answer any TEN of the following in FIVE lines each

(10 x 2 = 20 marks)

1. Eastern Ghats and Western Ghats
2. Indus Script
3. Jambu-dvipa
4. Indica
5. Grihastha
6. TwentythirdTirthankara
7. Adha-Magadhi
8. Srenis
9. Bindusara
10. Gandhara Art
11. Kundagrama
12. Vasudeva

PART – B

Answer any FOUR of the following questions in about ONE page each:

(4 x 10 = 40 marks)

13. Define the term 'Pre-history and Proto-history'.
14. Give an account of the decline of the Indus Valley civilization.
15. 'Alexander's campaign opened up new line of communication and trade routes' – Explain.
16. Write a note on Mahajanapadas.
17. Explain the principles of Jainism.
18. Give a brief note on Sungas and Kanvas.

PART – C

Answer any TWO of the following questions in about FOUR pages each:

(2 x 20 = 40 marks)

19. Give an account of the salient features of the Indus Valley Civilization.
20. Critically examine the settlements and Religious life of the Rig Vedic Aryans.
21. Discuss the features of Mauryan Administration.
22. Trace the factors leading to the emergence of Buddhism and highlight the teachings of Buddha.
