



**LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034**

**B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – HISTORY**

**FIRST SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2016**

**HT 1504/HT 1502/HT 1500 – CULTURAL HERITAGE OF ANCIENT INDIA**

Date: 05-11-2016

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)**

1. Literary Evidences
2. Rock Edicts
3. Ganges
4. Chanakya
5. Mahabharatha
6. Child Marriage
7. Hathigumpa Inscriptions
8. Sabha and Samiti
9. Varnashrama
10. Chaityas
11. Eight fold path
12. Trirathnas

**PART B**

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

**(4 x 10 =40)**

13. Give an account of the Himalayas.
14. Give a brief account of Jainism.
15. Write an account on the village administration in the Vedic period.
16. Brief the achievements of Asoka.
17. What is the significance of agriculture in ancient India?
18. List down the four Vedas and explain them briefly.

**PART C**

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

**(2 x 20 =40)**

19. Give a detailed account of the various sources available to trace the history of India.
20. Explain the Vedic Polity.
21. Trace the growth and development of the Indian society.
22. Elaborate on the origin and growth of Buddhism.

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