

Barasat Govt. College

Department of History

Lesson Plan 2015-16

Academic Quarter	Class	Paper	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures	Name of Teachers	Tests
July 2015 to September 15	I H	I	Introductory lectures - Prehistory-Harappan Civilization-Aryan Society-Political Situation during the 6th Century B.C.- Rise of Buddhism, Jainism and 2nd Urbanization	42	Prabal Bagchi	Class Test will be held on Last week of Setember
		II	Introductory Lectures ( 3 ) -Early Medieval India, Historiography and Debates (10)-Agrarian Economy and Feudalism Debates (15) - Regional Political Formations: Pal Pratihara Rashtrakutas (14)	42	Rajkumar Chakrabarti	
	IG	I	Sources of History(1)-Prehistoric societies(1)- Harappan Civilization(2)-Vedic & Later Vedic Age(2)[ <b>by PB</b> ]. Background to the establishment of the Delhi Sultanate(1)-Iltutmish(1)-Balban(2)-Khaljis(2)-[ <b>by RC</b> ]	6 + 6 = 12	P. B. & R. C	
	II H	III	Introductory Lecture(2)-Sources of Mughal History(4)- Akbar's Political victories(2)-Rajput Policy(4)-Deccan Policy(4)-Mansabdari System(5)-Land	29	Rajkumar Chakrabarti	
		IV	Introduction- Fall of Constantinople; Decline of feudalism.14th century European crisis	29	Prabal Bagchi	
	IIG	II	introductory Lectures(1)-Establishment of the Mughal Empire(1)-Sher Shah(1)- Akbar: Religious Policy(2)-Rajput Policy(1)- Mansab System(1)- Aurangzeb(3)	10	Rajkumar Chakrabarti	
		III	Foundation of Modern Europe(1789-1814); Political developments in Europe from 1815 to 1870	10	Prabal Bagchi	

III H	V	Revolt of 1857 (3)-Drain of Wealth & De-Industrialisation (3)-Ideologies of British Raj(2)- Indian Nationalism, Early Congress(4)-Rise of Extremism(3)-Partition of Bengal and the Swadeshi Movement(4)-Aligarh Movement(2)	21	Rajkumar Chakrabarti
	VI	Introduction- idea of Europe; 18th century Europe- Enlightened despotism; French Revolution of 1789; Napoleon Bonaparte and Vienna Congress	21	Prabal Bagchi
	VII	Peace settlements of 1919(2)-Reparation Problem(2)- French Search for Security(1)-League of Nations(1)- Germany: Weimer to the Rise of Nazism(5)- Mussolini(2)-Great Depression(2)-Hitler's Foreign Policy(3)-Origins of the II World War(3)	21	Rajkumar Chakrabarti
	VIII	The nature of Chinese traditional society ; Colonial penetration and Chinese response; Restoration, Reform, Revolution ;	21	Prabal Bagchi
I H	I	Rise of the Magadha empire. The Mauryan Empire. Foreign Invasions and their impact: Bactrian Greeks, Scythians, Kushanas and Satavahanas – Tamil chieftains: Chera, Chola, Pandyas.	36	Prabal Bagchi
	II	Chola Empire (8) Arab Invasion to Ghaznavid Invasion (8)- Iltutmish( 4)- Balban( 6)- Khaljis(5) - Nature of the Sultanate(3)-Iqta System(2))	36	Rajkumar Chakrabarti
I G	I	Political situation in sixth century B. C(1)- Rise of religious protestant movements(2)- Mauryan Empire(3) [by PB]. Tughlaq Dynasty(3)-Iqta system(1)- nature of the State(2) [by RC]	6 + 6 = 12	P. B. & R. C

October 15 to  
December 15 (   
13.10.15 --  
28.11.15 Puja  
Holidays) 25.12.15  
- 31.12.15 Winter  
Recess)

II H	III	Religious Policy of Akbar(4)- Reign of Jahangir(4)- Shajahan(2)- Aurangjeb's religious Policy(3)-Rajput Policy(2)-Decan Policy(2)-Development of Mansabdari System(2)-Zaminders-Peasant and Rural Economy(5)--Trade and Commerce(4)-Market & Monetary system(4)-Sufi & Bhakti(4)-Marathas-Sikhs(6)	42	Rajkumar Chakrabarti	Class Test will be held in firstweek of December, Parent-Teacher Meetings to be Organized during the 2nd Week ofDecember
	IV	Printing and military revolution; origins of modern science; European exploration and voyages; new economy in the 16th century	42	Prabal Bagchi	
II G	II	Decline of the Mughal Empire(2)-Emergence of the Company Rule(3)-Bengal: Colonial Economy: Drain of Wealth(1)-Deindustrialization(1)-Colonial Land Revenue System(3)-Popular uprisings before 1857(2)-	12	Rajkumar Chakrabarti	
	III	Society and economy in Nineteenth century Europe; Modern Imperialism	12	Prabal Bagchi	
	V	Revolt of 1857 (2)-Drain of Wealth & De-Industrialisation (3)-Ideologies of British Raj(2)- Indian Nationalism, Early Congrees(4)-Rise of Extremism(3)-Gandhian Politics-Non-Co-Operation, Civil Disobedience, Quit India Movement(5)	20	Rajkumar Chakrabarti	
	VI	Emergance of national States in Central Europe; Industrialisation of Eurpoe; Paris commune and new German Reich;	20	Prabal Bagchi	

		VII	Origins of the Cold War(3)-Stalin's East European Policies & Sovietization(2)- Americanization of Europe(2)-Vietnam(3)-Korean War(2) - China(3)-Decolonization & III World(2)-NAM(1))-Middle East & Latin America(2)	20	Rajkumar Chakrabarti	
	III H	VIII	The rise of the Kuomintang ; Economic development and industrialization in modern china; Pre-Restoration period – The Shogunate in Japan	20	Prabal Bagchi	
		I	Post Mauryan Empires and the Age of Guptas.Cultural and religious development,Socio-economic changes with special referace to urban growth.land and agrarian stuctures. Trade. Harshabardhan and Sasanka	60	Prabal Bagchi	Student Election, Part II & Part III Test Examinations, College Sports & Educational Tour of the Department
	I H	II	Tughlaq Dynasty (8) -Disintegration of the Sultanate(4)- Society economy and Culture during the Sultanate (20) and Economy and Society under Company( 20) - Sufi & Bhakti Movements (8)	60	Rajkumar Chakrabarti	
	I G	I	Kushan & Satavahanas[2]- Gupta empire[3]- Post Gupta period-Cholas-Pal rulers of Bengal[3]- Development of Art, Architecture & Science in Ancient & Early Medieval Period (2) <b>[by PB]</b> .Vijaynagara and Husensahi & Illiassahi Dynasties (4)-Sufi & Bhakti Movement(3)- Art, Architecture & Science in the Sultanate Period(3) <b>[by RC]</b>	10 + 10 = 20	P. B. & R. C	
		III	Decline of the Mughals(6)--Bengal, Awadh & Hyderabad(8)-Plassey to Buxer(4)-Framework of Colonial Govt(6)-Economy & Society under Colonial Rule(12)-Orientalism & Utilitarianism(4)-Bengal Renaissance(Origins & Debate)(5) -Revolt of 1857(4)- <b>Revision (10)</b>	55	Rajkumar Chakrabarti	

January 16 to April 16	II H	IV	Renaissance and Reformation; the formation of early modern state; Scientific revolution;17 th century European economy and society-the agricultural revolution;11. Peace of Westphalia and the emergence of modern European state system. 12. The Crisis of Absolutism	55	Prabal Bagchi	
	II G	III	Revolt of 1857(2)-Social & Religious Reform Movements(4)-Nationalist Politics: Before 1885(2)-Congress Politics, Moderate Phase(2)- Emergence of Extremism(2)-Swadeshi Movements in Bengal(2)- Aligarh Movement-(2)-Muslim Politics(3)- Revolutionary Nationalism, before 1914(1)	20	Rajkumar Chakrabarti	
		IV	Triple alliance, Triple entente and emergence of two armed camps; Europe in the inter-war period(1919-1939)	20	Prabal Bagchi	
	III H	V	Peasants & Labour Movements(3)-Revolutionaries and the Lefts(2) - Muslim Politics(2)-Post-II World War Upsurge(2)- Partition(2)-The Post-Independent Period (4)	15	Rajkumar Chakrabarti	
		VI	European Imperialism and colonialism; Eastern question and Balkan nationalism; The First world war; October Revolution in Russia	15	Prabal Bagchi	
		VII	USSR-Post-Stalin Era(4)-Globalization(5)-India's Foreign Policy(6)	15	Rajkumar Chakrabarti	
		VIII	The Meiji Restoration ; contrasting response of China and Japan to the impact of the West.	15	Prabal Bagchi	
		I	Peninsular India: Chalukyas,Rashtrakuthas,Pallavas: polity, society and economy.cultural development	20	Prabal Bagchi	Part III University Exam

April 16 to June 16 ( 5 May to 18 June Summer Vacation)	I H	II	Regional Political Formation( 12)- Sher Shah ( 8)	20	Rajkumar Chakrabarti
	I G	I	Revision	4 + 4 = 08	P. B. & R. C
	II H	III	Revision	5	Rajkumar Chakrabarti
		IV	Revision	5	Prabal Bagchi
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