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D.K.M. COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS), VELLORE-1

SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

NOVEMBER – 2016

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HISTORY OF INDIA UPTO 1000 A.D.

Time : 3 Hrs

Max. Marks : 75

SECTION-A (10 x 2 = 20)

Answer ALL questions.

1. Arthasastra.
2. Neolithic Age.
3. Mohanjadaro.
4. Upaveda.
5. Four Noble Truth.
6. Temples of Dilwara.
7. Indica.
8. Seven Pillar edicts.
9. Ajanta caves.
10. Nalanda University.

SECTION-B (5 x 5 = 25)

Answer any FIVE of the following questions.

11. Write a note on Geographical factors of India.
12. Describe the position of women during the vedic age.
13. What are the similarities and dis-similarities between Buddhism and Jainism?
14. Explain briefly Alexander's invasion of India.
15. Kanishka's Contribution towards Buddhism.
16. Give an account on Mauriyan Administration.
17. Write a note on cultural development of Guptas.
18. Describe about the military campaigns of Harsha and his achievements.

SECTION-C (3 x 10 = 30)

Answer ALL questions.

19. (a) Write an essay on the sources for writing history of Ancient India.
(Or)
(b) Bring out the important characteristics of the Indus Valley civilization and mark the places of settlement on the outline map of India.
20. (a) Explain the socio – Economic and religious condition of Early Vedic Age.
(Or)
(b) Sketch the life career and teachings of Gowdhama Buddha.
21. (a) "Asoka is one of the greatest monarchs of the world" – Analyse.
(Or)
(b) "Samudra Gupta has been rightly regarded as the Napoleon of India" – Discuss.

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