

Sem IV Model Question

Paper CC: 10 Later Mughals (Gourishwar Choudhuri)

Short Notes (250 Words) - 5 Marks

1. Write a brief note on party politics politics in mughal court between 1707 and 1740.
2. Implications of Farrukhsiyar's Farman.
3. What do you mean by Chauth and sardeshmukhi
4. What is meant by Hindu Pad Padshahi?
5. How do you explain the rise of Awadh as a regional power?
6. Causes of English success against the French in the Carnatic war.
7. Implications of the Grant of Diwani (1765).
8. Define orientalism.
9. Define Anglicism.
10. Explicate the differences between the Orientalists and the Anglicists.
11. Write a short note on Maljamini system.
12. Constitutional Significance of the Regulating Act of 1773
13. Short note on Cornwallis Code.
14. What was the importance of the Woods Dispatch of 1854?
15. Impact of commercialization of agriculture in early colonial India.
16. Drain of wealth.
17. Tribal rebellion with special emphasis on Santhal rebellion.
18. Indigo revolt of the 19th century.
19. Discuss the role of religion in organizing the pre-1857 peasant and tribal movements in Bengal.
20. Discuss the consequences of Sepoy mutiny.

Long Question (500 Words) 10 Marks.

1. Analyse briefly the various interpretations on the decline of the Mughal Empire.
2. Was Shivaji guided by ideological considerations in his attempt to establish a regional state?
3. What were the basic features of the land revenue system of Murshid quli Khan? Comment on the role of Neo-elites in this context.
4. Discuss briefly Siraj-ud-daulah relation with the East India Company. Do you think that the Battle of Plassey was inevitable?
5. Trace the unfolding of the eighteenth century debate in the light of recent research and historiography.
6. Discuss the causes and consequences of the Third battle of Panipat.
7. Trace the growth of Sikh power in the 18th century.
8. Discuss the Anglo Mysore relation. Explain the success of Hyder Ali and the failure of Tipu Sultan.
9. Why did Cornwallis introduced the permanent settlement? How did it affect rural society?
10. How did utilitarian ideas influence reforms of William Bentinck?
11. Write a short note on the social reforms of Raja Ram Mohan Roy.
12. Do you think that deindustrialization was a myth?
13. Discuss the nature of Faraizi movement.
14. Explain the character of the revolt of 1857.
15. Do you agree with the view that the participation of peasants provided the link between the military aspects and the rural character of the revolt of 1857?

