

GROUP 'C'
MODERN INDIA

PAPER III (C) : HISTORY OF INDIA
(1757 - 1857) AD

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Unit-I

- a) Sources of Modern Indian History Archival Records, Newspapers, Periodicals and oral tradition
- b) India in the mid of 18th Century
- c) Bengal
 - (i) Expansion of British Power
 - (ii) Plassey to Buxar
 - (iii) Dual Government in Bengal
- d) Anglo-French rivalry in Carnatic; causes for french defeat.
- e) Contribution of Lord Clive.

Unit-II

- a) Policy of East India Company towards Princely states
- b) Anglo Maratha Relations
- c) Anglo Mysore Relations

- d) Anglo Awadh Relations
- e) Anglo Sikh Relations
- f) Haider Ali, Tipu Sultan and Ranjit Singh

Unit-III

- a) Colonial construction of India – Arms of the state – Police, Army and law.
- b) British understanding of Indian society Orientalist, Evangelical and Utilitarian.
- c) Social Polices and Social changes.
- d) Modern Education
- e) Emergence of Middle class

Unit-IV

- a) Commercialization of Agriculture
- b) Rural Indebtedness
- c) Destruction of handicraft Industries and Rise of New industries
- d) Drain of wealth
- e) Land Revenue Settlements and its impact.

Unit-V

Pre 1857 peasant, tribal, civil and sepoy Rebellion: The sanyasi Revolt, The Faraizi movement, The Wahabi Movement, Kol and Santhal Revolt The Revolt of 1857.