Second Year History (Honours) 2013-2014

Paper 1: History of India from 1707-1884 AD

Max. Marks 100

Unit 1

1. Advent of European power, Portuguese, French and English. Expansion and consolidation of British Empire.

Unit II

1. Tools of expansion: War and Diplomacy, Bengal, Mysore, Maratha, North east, Awadh, Central India, Sind and Punjab.

Unit III

1. Subsidiary Alliance and Treaties of 1818 with Rajputana States, Doctrine of Lapse, Growth of Colonial Administrative Apparatus, Ideological Influences, Central Provincial Districts and Judicial administration.

Unit IV

1. Land revenue settlements, Permanent settlement, Ryotwari and Mahalwari, Condition of peasants, Rural Indebtedness and recurrent Famine, Commercialization of Agriculture and De-industrialization, Nature of colonial economy, rise of modern Industry.

Unit V

Social changes:

1. Spread of western education. Rise of Professional classes and emerging intelligentsia, Growth of English & Vernacular Press, Indian Renaissance, Socio Cultural Movements, Status of Women, Peasant and Tribal Movements, Revolt of 1857: causes, nature and results.

Books Recommended:

1. Tara Chand : History of Freedom movements (Vols. I to IVI)

2. Majumdar R.C. : An advance History of India

3. Chandra Bipin : Modern Indian

4. Singh Ayodhya : Bharat Ka Mukti Sangram 5. Mathur L.P. : Adhunik Bharat Ka Itihas

6. Grover B.L. : Adhunik Bharat 7. Jain M.L. : Adhunik Bharat

8. Mahajan V.D. : Adhunik Bharat Ka Itihas

9. Rai Satya : Bharat Me Upniveshvad (Hindi Nideshalay, Delhi)

10. Pandey R.P. : Bhartiya Samajik Vicharak 11. Shukla R.L. : Adunik Bharat Ka Itihas

12. IGNOU Course Material (English & Hindi): (1757 to 1857)