

G.C.G., Basti, Kalmat

Session - 2020-21

(1st semester)

Weekly Lesson Plan (odd semester)

Class: B.A.(I)

Name of the Paper: - Ancient India (from Earliest Time to Gupta Age)

Name of the Teacher: - Dr. Neeraj Kumar

Week	Date	Topics
1	November (16-21)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Meaning of History- Historian view on history like E.H. Carr- Scope of History- Relations with other subjects
	<u>Sunday - 22.11.2020</u>	
2.	November (23-28)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- What do you understand by sources- Difficulties for the students of history- Religious literature- Early vedic literature- Later vedic literature
	<u>Sunday - 29.11.2020</u>	
	<u>Holiday - 30.11.2020 (Guru Nanak Dev Jayanti)</u>	
3.	December (1-5)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Secular literature- Archaeological sources
	<u>Sunday - 6.12.2020</u>	
4.	(December) (7-12)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Accounts of foreigners- What do you mean by pre-historic Age- Paleolithic Culture
	<u>Sunday - 13.12.2020</u>	
5.	(December) 14-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Features of Mesolithic culture- Concept of Neolithic- Features of Neolithic
	<u>Sunday - 20.12.2020</u>	

6. (December) - Discovery of Harappan Civilization
 (21-24) (26) - Different stages, age / The femaleless
 - Extent and main sites

Holiday - 25.12.2020 (Christmas)

Sunday - 27.12.2020

7. (December) - Town Planning
 (28-31)
 January (1-2) - Social Life
 - Religious Life
 - Economic Life
 - Political Life
 - Art, Script and Seals

Sunday - 2.01.2021

8. January (4-9) - Decline of Harappan Civilization
 - Legacy of Harappan Civilization
 - Who were the Aryans?
 - Original Home of the Aryans

Sunday - 10.01.2021

9. January (11-16) - The Vedic Literature
 - Early Vedic Literature
 - Late Vedic Literature
 - Rigvedic Civilization
 - Political and Social Life
 - Economic and Religious

Sunday - 17.01.2021

10. January (18-19) - Later Vedic Literature
 (21-23) - Political Life and Social Life
 - Economic and Religious Life
 - Legacy of the Aryans

Holiday - 20.1.2021 (Guru Gobind Singh Jayanti)

Sunday - 24.1.2021

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- January (25) - Social Institutions
 (27-30) - Varna System
 - Caste system
 - Features of Caste system
 - Marriage
 - Property Relations

Holiday - 26.1.2021 (Republic Day)

Sunday - 31.01.2021

12. February (1-06) - Rise and Growth of Magadha Empire
 - Reasons for the Expansion of Magadha Empire
 - Cause of origin of Jainism and Buddhism
 - Main Sources of the Mauryan Empire
 - Mauryan Empire Polity, Administration and Ashoka's Dhamma - nature and Propagation

Sunday - 7.02.2021

13. February (08-13) - Post-Mauryan Empire: Kushanas and Satvahanas
 - Gupta Empire: State, Administration, Society, Economy, ~~the~~ Urban Arts and Architecture

Sunday - 14.02.2021

14. February (15-20)
 - Maps
 - Important Sites of Harappan Civilization
 - Ports and Urban centres in Ancient India
 - Ashoka's Empire: Extent, Pillars and Edicts
 - Extent of Kanishka's Empire
 - Extent of Samudragupta's Empire

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