

## SEMESTER -II

### Core Paper – V - SOCIAL AND CULTURAL HISTORY OF TAMILNADU UPTO A.D. 1800

**Instructional Hrs : 90 Hrs**  
**Max. Marks : CIA -25; ESE-75**

**Sub. Code: 15HIPC205**  
**Credits: 4**

**Objectives:** On successful completion of the course the students should have understood the social and cultural aspects of Tamilnadu from early period to colonialism.

**Unit - I** **18 Hrs.**

Geographical features – Sources – Megalithic culture – Pre - historic remains –  
*Impact of Aryan culture*

**Unit - II** **18 Hrs.**

Sangam Age : Sangam Polity – Social and Economic condition – Cultural life –  
*Position of Women* – Impact of Kalabhras rule – Society under the early Pandyas – Contribution  
of Pandyas to Art and Architecture

**Unit - III** **18 Hrs.**

Pallavas : Origin – Development of Art & Architecture – Socio-economic condition  
– Literature and Religion - Cholas: Social and Cultural life – Economic condition –  
Development of Art & Architecture – *Bhakthi Movement*

**Unit - IV** **18 Hrs.**

Marco Polo's account on Socio Economic condition under the second Pandyas –  
Cultural contribution of Pandyas – *Muslim Invasion and its impact on society and culture*

**Unit - V** **18 Hrs.**

Social and cultural condition under the Vijayanagar rulers – Growth of Art and  
Architecture – Cultural contribution of the Nayaks - *Impact of Poligar System.*

**Note :** *Italics denotes Self Study Topics*

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1. **Chopra,P.N.,Ravindran,T.K Subrahmanian,N.** *History of South India*, Vol. I, S. Chand & Company Ltd, New Delhi, 1979.
2. **Krishnamurti,V.M.,** *History of Tamil Nadu (Political and Cultural)*, Vijayalakshmi Publications, Neyyoor, 1980.
3. **Majumdar R.C. & Srivastava A.N.,***History of South India*, Surjeet Book Depot , New Delhi 1978.
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## SEMESTER - II

### Core Paper -VI – Social and Cultural History of Tamilnadu from AD 1800- AD 2000

Instructional Hrs. : 90

Sub. Code: 15HIPC 206

Max. Marks : CIA -25; ESE -75

Credits: 4

**Objectives:** On successful completion of the course the students should have understood the social, economic and cultural condition of Tamilnadu during the period of Pre- Independence and Post-Independence.

#### Unit-I

18Hrs

Sources – Socio - Economic condition in the beginning of 19<sup>th</sup> Century - Impact of Colonialism on Land Revenue – Growth of Judiciary- Education and role of Christian Missionaries – *Tamil Literary development.*

#### Unit - II

18Hrs

The Dravidian Movement - Birth of Non Brahmin Movement – Justice Party- EVR and Self - Respect Movement – *Temple Entry Movement* – Impact of Swedeshi Movement of Tamilnadu.

#### Unit - III

18Hrs

Movement for Upliftment of Depressed Classes – Religious Movement: Ramakrishna Paramahansa –Vivekanandha- *Vallalar* - Services of Dr. Muthulakshmi Reddy.

#### Unit- IV

18Hrs

Industrial growth- Agricultural development- *Development of Art*- Role of Tamil Isai Movement from 1935 to 1944.

#### Unit-V

18Hrs

Post -Independent development: Social Legislations – *Five Year Plans* – Development of Modern System of Communication and Transport and its impact on society.

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1. **Baker. C. J.**, *The Politics of South India – 1920 -1937*, Macmillan Company, New Delhi, 1975.
2. **Subramaniam,N.**, *History of Tamilnadu*, Koodal Publishers, Madurai,1977.
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## SEMESTER - III

### Core Paper – IX - HISTORY OF ANCIENT CIVILIZATIONS UPTO A.D.476

(EXCLUDING INDIA)

**Instructional Hrs. : 90**

**Max. Marks : CIA -25; ESE -75**

**Sub. Code: 15HIP309**

**Credits: 4**

**Objectives :** This paper enable the students to acquire knowledge in social, economic and cultural conditions of the people and the development of civilizations in the ancient world.

<b>Unit - I</b>	<b>18 Hrs.</b>
Human Evolution - Pre-historic Cultures: Palaeolithic and Neolithic Age - <i>Egyptian Civilization</i>	
<b>Unit - II</b>	<b>18 Hrs.</b>
Sumerian Civilization – <i>Babylonian Civilization</i> - Assyrian Civilization	
<b>Unit - III</b>	<b>18 Hrs.</b>
Hebrew Civilization – Phoenician Civilization - <i>Persian Civilization</i>	
<b>Unit - IV</b>	<b>18 Hrs.</b>
Aegean Civilization – <i>Greek Civilization</i> – Roman Civilization	
<b>Unit - V</b>	<b>18 Hrs.</b>
Chinese Civilization - Mayas , <i>Aztechs</i> and Incas Civilization	

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1. **Joshi and Kholkar**, *Introduction to Asian Civilizations upto about 1000 A.D.*, S.Chand & Co. Private Ltd, Ramnagar, New Delhi 1973.
2. **Pramatha Nath Bose**, *Epochs of Civilization*, Asian Educational Services, NewDelhi, 1978.
3. **Perry. W.J**, *The Growth of Civilization*, Karan Publications, Delhi, 1987.
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5. **Swain James Edgar**, *A History of World Civilization*, Eurasia Publishing House Private Ltd, Ramnagar, New Delhi, 1947.

## SEMESTER -III

### Core Paper – X - HISTORY OF MEDIEVAL CIVILIZATIONS FROM A.D.476 - A.D.1453.

**Instructional Hrs : 90 Hrs**  
**Max. Marks : CIA -25; ESE-75**

**Sub. Code 15HIPC310**  
**Credits: 4**

**Objectives:** This paper enable the students to acquire knowledge on the rise of Christianity and Islam and its impact during the medieval period.

**Unit – I** **18 Hrs.**  
Barbarian Invasions – Decline and fall of the Roman Empire – Barbarian settlements in western Europe: Ostrogoths, Visigoths, Vandals , Franks and Anglo- Saxons– Byzantine Empire: *Justinian I.*

**Unit – II** **18 Hrs.**  
Rise of Christianity - Organisation of Christian Church – Spread of Christianity - *Monasticism* –St. Benedict.

**Unit – III** **18 Hrs.**  
Holy Roman Empire – Charlemagne - Carolingian Renaissance - *Feudalism* - Struggle between the Empire and the Papacy.

**Unit – IV** **18 Hrs.**  
Rise of Islam – Crusades - Contribution of Islam and Christianity to Medieval Civilization –*Restoration of the Papacy.*

**Unit - V** **18 Hrs.**  
Growth of towns and trade Guilds – Merchant Guilds– *Rise of Universities* – Art and Architecture - Development of Science and Technology in the Middle Ages.

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5. **Victoria Vkolova.**, *The last of the Romans and European culture* Victoria Vkolova Progress Publishers,Moscow, 1989.