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**FIRST SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY)
EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024**

(CBCSS)

History

HIS 1C 04—EARLY BRONZE AND IRON AGE CIVILISATIONS

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

*Answers can be written **either** in English **or** Malayalam.
Only one language should be used throughout the answer script.*

Section A (Short Answers)

*Attempt any **four** out of seven questions.
Each question carries 2 weightage.*

1. Hieroglyphs.
2. The Valley of Kings.
3. Oracle bones.
4. Sphinx.
5. Sparta.
6. Machu-Pichu.
7. Han dynasty.

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

Section B (Short Essays)

*Attempt any **four** out of seven questions.
Each question carries 3 weightage.*

8. Discuss the religious life of Egyptians.
9. Bring out the nature of Aztec militaristic society.
10. Trace the rise and growth of Sparta as a military state.

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11. Describe the achievements of Chou Dynasty in the field of literature and material culture.
12. Describe the fundamental aspects of Chinese life expressed during the Shang period.
13. Comprehend the intellectual achievements of the ancient Egyptians.
14. Critically evaluate the achievements of Han rulers.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

Section C (Essays)

*Attempt any **two** out of four questions.*

Each question carries 5 weightage.

15. Discuss the Legacy of the Ancient Greek culture.
16. Analyse the achievements of the ancient American civilizations.
17. ‘Egypt gave birth to what later would become known as Western Civilization’. Explain how far you agree with the statement.
18. Examine the salient features of Athenian Democracy.

(2 × 5 = 10 weightage)