

PG 1st Semester Examination, 2023

HISTORY

PAPER – HIST-101

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 hours

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

GROUP – A

Answer any **four** questions : 5 × 4

1. What is Jules Michelet best known for ?
2. Make a review of Beneditto Croce's ideas on history writing.
3. How has E.H. Carr evaluated the importance of facts in historical thought and writing ?

(Turn Over)

4. How would you explain the development of social history as a distinct part of history writing ?
5. Analyse the factors for the growth of Indian nationalism as reflected in modern historical writings.
6. What are the salient features of Ranajit Guha's approach on writing history ?

GROUP – B

Answer any **two** questions : 10 × 2

7. Bring out the conflicting approaches of historians regarding the relative importance of fact and interpretation in the writing of history.
8. How did Eric Hobsbawm's views open up new dimensions in history writing ?
9. Discuss the views of R.H. Tawney on writing history. How did the doctrine of the rise of

Gentry propounded by him influence the nature of analysis of English socio-economic history ?

10. How do historians analyse the features of peasant movements in colonial Bengal ?

[Internal Assessment – 10 Marks]
