# VTM NSS COLLEGE, DHANUVACHAPURAM

#### PG DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

#### HY 1131.2: HISTORY OF MODERN WORLD PART I

### FIRST SEMESTER BA (Complementary for Politics)

# **QUESTION BANK**

### TWO MARKS QUESTIONS

- 1. Bourbon family
- 2. Rousseau
- 3. Montesquieu
- 4. Louis XVI
- 5. Karl Marx
- 6. Tithe
- 7. Robespierre
- 8. Continental System
- 9. Count Cavour
- 10. Zollverein
- 11. Congress of Vienna
- 12. Voltaire
- 13. Oath of Tennis Court
- 14. The Reign of terror
- 15. The Directory
- 16. Battle of waterloo
- 17. Concordat of 1801
- 18. Jacobins
- 19. John Locke
- 20. Adam Smith
- 21. Das Capital
- 22. Estate General
- 23. Chartism
- 24. Laissez- faire
- 25. Socialism
- 26. Communism
- 27. Fall of Bastille
- 28. The Communist Manifesto
- 29. Capitalism
- 30. Steam Engine
- 31. The social contract
- 32. Spinning Jenny

- 33. Red Shirts
- 34. Physiocrats
- 35. Girondins
- 36. Carbonari
- 37. Mirabeau
- 38. Victor Emmanuel II
- 39. Assignats
- 40. Marie Antoinette

# II FOUR MARKS QUESTIONS

- 1. Examine the growth of factory system.
- 2. Analyse the role of Printing press in spreading modern ideas.
- 3. Laissez faire and the growth of liberal thought.
- 4. To what extend economic factors were responsible for the French Revolution.
- 5. Trace out the military policy followed by Napoleon Bonaparte.
- 6. Assess the impacts of French Revolution on world.
- 7. Explain the Declaration of the Rights of Man and Citizen.
- 8. What are the specialties of the Code of Napoleon?
- 9. What are the causes lead to the fall of Napoleon?
- 10. Analyze the reforms of National Assembly in France.
- 11. Comment on the role of intellectuals in bringing about the French Revolution.
- 12. Discuss the various stages of colonialism.
- 13. What is agrarian revolution?
- 14. Discuss Vienna settlement.
- 15. Bring out the features of Mercantilism.
- 16. Describe Socialism.
- 17. Discuss the reforms of Napoleon Bonaparte.
- 18. Explain the role of Garibaldi in the Italian Unification.
- 19. What is the impact of French Revolution in Europe?
- 20. What is the importance of Reign of Terror?
- 21. Describe the salient features of Industrial revolution.
- 22. Sketch the results of Industrial Revolution.
- 23. Describe the Divine Right Theory of Kingship.
- 24. Analyze the causes for the Agrarian Revolution.
- 25. Analyze the features of the agrarian revolution.
- 26. Trace the results of the agrarian revolution.
- 27. Discuss the Continental system of Napoleon.
- 28. Difference between Socialism and Communism.
- 29. Describe the main features of Capitalism.
- 30. Fabien Socialism.
- 31. Analyse the evils of Capitalism.
- 32. Analyse the estimate of Napoleon.

- 33. Describe the Napoleonic wars.
- 34. Discuss the Austro- Prussian war.
- 35. Describe the Franco-Prussian war.
- 36. Role of Joseph Mazzini in Italian Unification.
- 37. Describe the Aristocratic revolt.
- 38. Discuss the works of Constituent Assembly in France.
- 39. Describe about the September Massacres.
- 40. Write a note on Vienna Settlement.

### III ESSAY TYPE QUESTIONS

- 1. Explain the causes and consequences of the French Revolution.
- 2. Evaluate the work and activities of the Congress of Vienna.
- 3. Sketch out the course of French Revolution from summoning the Estate General to the formation of National Convention in 1792.
- 4. Trace the role of Philosophers in the French Revolution.
- 5. Analyze the impact of Reign of Terror on the French Revolution. How did this period of extreme political violence shape the revolutions outcome and its legacy?
- 6. Analyse the reforms of Napoleon Bonaparte.
- 7. Trace the main events of the French Revolution.
- 8. Analyse the works of National Assembly in France.
- 9. What were the key factors that led to the Unification of Germany in the 19<sup>th</sup> century, and how did they contribute to the historical process?
- 10. Discuss the role of Otto van Bismarck in the Unification of Germany. How did his policies and strategies impact the course of German History?
- 11. Explore the challenges and obstacles faced by the German people and leaders in their quest for national unification. What were the main internal and external hindrances?
- 12. What were the main factors that led to the Unification of Italy in the 19<sup>th</sup> century and how did they shape the course of Italian history?
- 13. Discuss the role of Garibaldi, Mazzini and Victor Emmanuel II in the process of Italian Unification. How did their strategies and actions contribute to the unification movements?
- 14. Asses the consequences of Italian Unification, both for Italy itself and for broader European context during the 19<sup>th</sup> century.
- 15. What were the key factors that contributed to Napoleon Bonaparte's rise to power?
- 16. Discuss the domestic reforms and policies implemented by napoleon in France.
- 17. Evaluate the contributions made by Robert Owen in the field of Socialism.
- 18. Describe the various stages and effects of Industrial revolution.
- 19. Trace the important features of Agrarian Revolution.
- 20. Examine the role of new ideas and ideologies in the evolution of 20<sup>th</sup> century world.