# LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI - 600 034



## B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION - HISTORY

FIRSTSEMESTER - APRIL 2017

### HT 1502- OUR ANCIENT CULTURAL HERITAGE

Date: 18-04-2017 TIME 01:00-04:00 Dept. No.

Max.: 100 Marks

### PART - A

### Answer any TEN of the following in FIVE lines each:

(10x2=20 Marks)

- 1. Epigraphy
- 2. Purananura
- Deccan plateau
- 4. Sabha
- 5. Mahamatras
- 6. Varnas
- 7. Stridhana
- 8. Lothal
- 9. Silk Route
- 10. Tri Ratna
- 11. Stupas
- 12. Aryabhatta

### PART - B

# Answer any FOUR of the following in ONE page each:

(4x10=40 Marks)

- 13. Expalin the impact of the geographical features
- 14. Give an account of the town planning in the Harappan period
- 15. Write a note on Mahajanapadas
- 16. Point out the changes in the status of women in the ancient period
- 17. Write a short note on the doctrines of Buddha
- 18. Highlight the Mauryan contribution to Indian art and architecture.

### PART - C

# Answer any TWO of the following in FOUR pages each:

(2x20=40 Marks)

- 19. Discuss the important sources for the study of Ancient India
- 20. Account for the Mauryan administration
- 21. Trace the evolution and relevance of Jainism
- 22. Evaluate the cultural contribution of Guptas

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