

ANSWER KEY				
SECOND YEAR HIGHER SECONDARY EXAMINATION-MARCH 2021 PART III				
SY-234 HISTORY				
Qn. No	Sub Qns	Answer Key/Value Points	Score	Total Score
1	i ii iii iv v	Zarathustra -Iran Kongsi -China Plato -Greece Buddha -Lumbini Mahavira -Thirthankara	1 1 1 1 1	5
2	i ii iii iv v	Dholavira Rajasthan Copper Baharain Mohenjodaro	1 1 1 1 1	5
3	i ii iii iv v	Rajagriha Greece The Kushans Harisena Indo-Greeks	1 1 1 1 1	5
4		Pazhassi Revolt-1793-1805 Kundara Proclamation-1809 Kurichiya Revolt-1812 Vaikom Satyagraha-1924-25 Paliyam Satyagraha-1947-48 (Ascending or Descending)	1 1 1 1 1	5



5	i	Delhi	1	5
	ii	Meerut	1	
	iii	Kanpur	1	
	iv	Jhansi	1	
	v	Lucknow	1	

Qn.No.6-19-Answer-Score-2

6		Pictographic, Short inscriptions, Undeciphered, Not alphabetical-Signs and symbols, Written from right to left	Any Two	2
7		By studying burials, Artefacts, Luxuries	Any Two	2
8		Lumbini, Bodh Gaya, Saranath, Kusinagara	Any Two	2
9		Idea of Saviour, Concept of Bodhisatta, Worship of the images of Buddha, Great vehicle	Any Two	2
10		Khud Kashta-Residents of the village in which they held their land Pahi Kashta-Non- resident cultivators who belonged to some other villages, but cultivated lands on contractual basis	2x1	2
11		Perfect crops-Cotton and sugar cane	2x1	2
12		Lahori Akbar Nama-Abul Fazl, Badshah Nama-Abdul Hamid	2x1	2
13		Rich peasants in Bengal, They controlled local trade and money lending, Lived in villages	2 X 1	2
14		Initial demands were very high, Introduced in a time when prices of agricultural produce were depressed, Invariable revenue, The Permanent Settlement- The powers of the zamindars decreased	2 X 1	2

15		Bahadur Shah, General Bakth Khan, Nana Sahib, Rani Lakshmi Bai/Jhansi Rani, Kunwar Singh, Birjis Qadr (Consider other leaders too)	Any Two	2
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16		Ahammedabad Mill Strike-demanding better working conditions for the textile mill workers Kheda Strike-demanding the state for revision of taxes following a failure of harvest	2 X 1	2
17		Manimekhalai, Chilappathikaram	2x1	2
18		Code of conduct followed by the temples, Urs and Gramas Mulikkalam, Katankattu, Tavarannur, Sankaramangalattu Kaccams	Any Two	2
19		Vaikunda Swamikal, Sree Narayana Guru, Chattambi Swamikal, Ayyankali, Vakkom Abdul Khader Maulavi, Vagbhatananda, Mar Kuriakose Elias Chavara, V.T. Bhattathiripad (Consider other Social Reformers too)	Any Two	2

Qn No.20-25-Score-3

20		Raw materials, Tools, Unfinished objects, Rejects, Waste materials	Any Three	3
21		Letters faintly engraved-Damaged or letter missing Difficult to understand the exact meaning of the word used Everything that we consider significant was necessarily not recorded	Any Three	3
22		Anda, Harmika, Yashti, Chhatri, Railing		3
23		Pilgrimages to the tomb shrine of a Shaikh, Death anniversary or Urs, Shaikh-more closer to God after death for getting blessings The practice of singing mystical songs during Ziyarat	3X1	3
24		Relief of Lucknow-Thomas Jones Barker(1859), In Memorium-Joseph Noyal Petain, Miss Wheeler, Justice The British lion's vengeance on the Bengal Tiger Execution of mutineers in Peshawar, Illustrated London News, The clemency of Canning, Rani Lakshmi Bai	Any Three	3

25		Sree Chitra Tirunal Balarama Varma,1936 November12,Opening all temples in Travancore for all Hindus,Miracle of modern times-Gandhiji	3x1	3
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Qn No.26-33-Score-4

26		Deforestation,Climatic change,Excessive flood,Shifting or drying up of rivers, Overuse of landscape	Any Four	4
27		Entire world is animated, Ahimsa (Non-injury to living beings),Cycle of birth and rebirth shaped by karma, Through monastic life one can escape from this cycle, five vows	4 x 1	4
28		Full of opportunities, Densely populated and prosperous, Crowded streets and colourful markets, Delhi and Dulathabad,The Bazars, Hub of social and cultural activities	4x1	4
29		Questions of land ownership, West superior than East, Lack of private property, Crown ownership of land, no long term investments, Agriculture ruined, Living standard declined, Two class-poor and rich-no middle class	4x1	4
30		King Palace-two platforms, Audience hall, Mahanavami dibba, A highest massive platform, Rituals associated with Mahanavami dibba	4x1	4
31		Mughal empire-Provinces called Subas under Subedars Subas-Sarkars under Faujdars Sarkars-Parganas Qanungo,Chaudhuri,Quazi Villages-bureaucracy	4x1	4
32		Rowlatt Act-Sir Sidney Rowlatt,Permitted detention without trial Protests against Rowlatt Bill Amritsar-Jallianwalla Bagh massacre	4x1	4

33		Loose Three Tier Confederation, India will remain united, Weak central government controlling only foreign affairs, defence and communication Provincial assemblies grouped into three sections A- Hindu majority B and C- Muslim majority provinces of North West and North East	4x1	4
Qn No.34-38-Score-5				
34		Language of the texts, Kinds of texts, Author or authors, Intended audience, possible date and place of composition	5x1	5
35		Brahmanas, Kshatriyas, Vaishyas and Shudras Brahmanas -to study and teach Vedas, perform sacrifices, give and receive gifts Kshatriyas-engage in warfare, protect people, administer justice, study Vedas, get sacrifices performed, make gifts Vaishyas-Make gifts, get sacrifices performed, study the Vedas, agriculture, trade and pastoralism Shudras- Serving the three higher varnas	2 3	5
36		Basavanna-Lingayats, their beliefs-Shiva-funerals, Attitude towards castes, Pollution, Questioned rebirth, Vachanas, Encouraged post puberty marriage and widows' remarriage	5x1	5
37		Abdur Razaq, Seven lines of forts, Encircled city, agricultural land and forest, Each line, Wedge shaped stones-no mortar, Gateways	5x1	5
38		Very long tradition in temple building, Gopurams and Mandapams Virupaksha-9 th -10 th century Hall built by Krishnadevaraya, Carved pillars, Several halls Vithala-form of Vishnu-several halls -charriot shrine charriot streets paved with stone slabs	5x1	5
Qn No.39-42-Score-8				

39	Citadel-Features	1	8
	The lower town-features	1	
	Great Bath	2	
	Drainage System	2	
	Domestic Architecture	2	

40	Sources-Megasthenese,Kautilya,Buddha-Jaina-Puranic traditions, inscription of Ashoka Five major political centre-Pataliputra-Ujjaini-Toshali-taxilaSuvarnagiri Military administration Megasthenese-Committee with 6 sub committees-duties Ashoka's Dharma-Moral code-some examples-propagationEmpire and Dharma	4x2	8
41	Early life-Kwarizm-Several languages-Sultan Mahmud of Ghazni Kitab-ul-Hind-Subject and chapters-distinctive style The barriers he faced Description of the caste system-ancient Persia-pollution	4x2	8
42	Non-Co-operation Movement-Jallian Walla Bagh,Khilafat,Chauri-Chaura Salt Satyagraha-Dandi March,Wide participation of women Quit India-Cripps Mission,1942,Mass Movement	3 3 2	8
2021 MARCH- SCHEME FINALISATION-HISTORY-PARTICIPANTS			

