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FYUG Odd Semester Exam., 2023  
( Held in 2024 )

VALUE ADDED COURSE

( Group—A )

( 1st Semester )

Course No. : VAC-101T(A)

( Understanding India )

Full Marks : 50

Pass Marks : 20

Time : 2 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

SECTION—A

Answer *fifteen* questions, selecting any *three* from  
each Unit :  $1 \times 15 = 15$

UNIT—I

1. Name the highest mountain peak in India.



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2. Where are the Lakshadweep Islands situated?
3. What are the basic human values?
4. Define Bhakti.

UNIT—II

5. What does the word 'Mohenjo-daro' mean?
6. Which metal was unknown to the people of the Indus Valley Civilization?
7. Where was the great bath of the Indus Valley Civilization located?
8. What was the basic unit of Aryan society?

UNIT—III

9. What is *Tripitaka*?
10. What do you mean by Dharmachakra Pravartana?



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11. Who was Aryabhata?
12. Mention the name of the first Jaina Tirthankara.

UNIT—IV

13. Who was the spiritual mentor of Swami Vivekananda?
14. Name the author of *India Wins Freedom*.
15. Who gave the slogan 'Jai Hind'?
16. When did Gandhiji launched Salt Satyagraha?

UNIT—V

17. What do you mean by Preamble of the Indian Constitution?
18. How many Fundamental Rights are enshrined in the Constitution of India?



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19. In which year, Fundamental Duties of Citizen were incorporated in the Constitution of India?
20. Name the book written by Kautilya.

SECTION—B

Answer *five* questions, selecting *one* from each Unit :  $2 \times 5 = 10$

UNIT—I

21. Name two rivers of India flowing into the Arabian Sea.
22. Mention two objectives of values.

UNIT—II

23. Name two archaeologists who discovered the Indus Valley Civilization.
24. Mention the names of two popular assemblies of the Vedic people.



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UNIT—III

25. Name two higher learning institutions of ancient India.
26. Mention the names of two books on Ayurveda.

UNIT—IV

27. Who were 'Lal-Bal-Pal Triumvirate'?
28. When and where for the first time Gandhiji launched Satyagraha in India?

UNIT—V

29. Write two federal features of the Indian Constitution.
30. Mention two impacts of globalization on Indian economy.

SECTION—C

Answer *five* questions, selecting *one* from each Unit :  $5 \times 5 = 25$

UNIT—I

31. Describe briefly the principal geographical regions of India.



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32. Write a note on Indian concept of values.

UNIT—II

33. Write a note on salient features of the Indus Valley Civilization.

34. Discuss the socio-religious condition of the early Vedic period.

UNIT—III

35. Describe the life and teachings of Gautam Buddha.

36. Make a brief note on *Sushruta Samhita*.

UNIT—IV

37. Trace the contribution of Ramkrishna Mission to the regeneration of India.

38. Write a short essay on Non-Cooperation Movement.



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UNIT—V

39. Discuss the salient features of the Constitution of India.
40. Discuss the main economic ideas of Kautilya.

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