IAS HISTORY MAINS TEST SERIES 2010

Expert Guidance, Feedback & Telephonic Discussion

FOCUS: Answer writing skill development, Structure & presentation of answer, How to present facts, information & knowledge in the answer, Mapping ,Understanding actual requirement (key words , Context & Content) of the UPSC in the different marks types questions (60 Marks , 30 Marks , 20 marks , 15 marks , 10 marks) and which questions should be attempted for good score (strategy & approach) , Understanding your current state preparedness & required action plans and Framing your mind towards actual pattern, toughness and timing of the actual UPSC Examination.

REGISTRATION OPEN!

Module I (10 Tests): 13 June Module II (10 Tests): 27 June Module III (8 Tests): 11 July Module IV (8 Tests): 25 July Module V (6 Tests): 15 August

NOTE:

- **1.** Question Papers of the Mock Test & Answer Booklet will be dispatched through air mail; it will take 2-3 days to reach its destination.
- 2. Evaluated Answer Booklet with proper Comments, Feedback & Guidelines and synopsis / Answer format of Mock Test & next Question paper of the Mock Test will be sent on scheduled dates of dispatch respectively.
- **3.** After Registration, We will also send previous Mock test paper & answer booklet and next Mock Test Paper will be sent on scheduled dates of dispatch respectively.
- **4**. You are advised to return the answer booklet at the earliest, so that our expert can evaluate in time. The evaluated answer booklet will be returned with the successive test.
- **5.** Date of dispatch can be rescheduled on the demand of the candidate.

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HISTORY (M) - 2010 TEST (1)

Time Allowed: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 300

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer must be written in the medium specified in the Admission Certificate issued you, which must be state clearly on the cover of the answer book in the space provided for the purpose. No Marks will be given for the answers written in a medium other than that specific in the Admission Certificate.

Candidates should attempt Question 1& 5 which are compulsory, and any three of the remaining questions, selecting at least one from the each section.

All questions carry equal marks.

Parts of the same question must be answered together and must not be interposed between answers to other questions.

SECTION A

1. Mark any fifteen of the following places on the map supplied to you and write short descriptive notes on the places marked:

 $15 \times 4 = 60$

- i. Bairat
- ii. Naushahro
- iii. Palligund
- iv. Junar
- v. Sukkur
- vi. Sanghol
- vii. Gauri Gardan
- viii. Savalda
- ix. Kuchai
- x. Golbai Sasan
- xi. Kot Diji
- xii. Giak
- xiii. Noh
- xiv. Gilund
- xv. Tekkalakota
- xvi. Hallux
- xvii. Anachi
- xviii. Kausambi
- xix. Alamgirpur
- xx. Nageshwar
- **2**. Discuss the geographical distribution, chronology and social cultural pattern of early agriculturist and pastoral communities.

3. a). Evaluate the role of coins to the understanding of various aspects of Ancient History.

- b). Identify the Socio economic background which led to the 2^{nd} urbanization.
- **4.** Critically examine the position of women from 1000 B.C. 600 B.C.

SECTION B

- 5. Write short notes on any tyree of the following (Each note should not exceed 200 words): 20×3=60
 - a) Yedic Text
 - b). Mauryan Cave Architecture
 - c) Decline of IVC in the light of recent archeological studies.
 - d). Mauryan administrative system
- **6. a).** Do you think that failure of Dharma was alone responsible for the disintegration of the Maurayan Empire? Comment. 30
 - **b).** Bring out the factors responsible for rise of Magadha. 30

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- 7. Determine the veracity of Megasthenes descriptions of Indian Society & Economy with the help of other contemporary evidence.
- **8. a).** Analyse the nature and extent of Harappan trade and commerce.
- **b**). Throw light on the role played by Vedic Assemblies on socio political life during 1500- 600 B.C.

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~ GENERAL STUDIES ~
Sociology, Public Administration , Philosophy , Geography
History, Psychology , Political Science , Physics , Hindi