

**B. Minor Courses to be offered by the Department for students of other Departments of Social Science**

Sl. No.	Sem	Type of Course	Name of Course	Credits	Marks
1.	I	MIC-1	Political History of India (From Indus Valley Civilization to 319A.D.)	3	100
2.	II	MIC-2	Political History of India (From 319 A.D.-1206A.D.)	3	100
3.	III	MIC-3	Socio-Economic History of Ancient India (From Earliest time to 647A.D.)	3	100
4.	IV	MIC-4	Ancient Indian Art & Architecture	3	100
5.	V	MIC-5	Ancient Indian Epigraphy & Numismatics	3	100
6.	V	MIC-6	Ancient Indian Polity & Administration	3	100
7.	VI	MIC-7	Ancient Indian Religion & Philosophy	3	100
8.	VI	MIC-8	Concept and Technique of Archaeology & Excavated Sites	3	100

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<b>MIC-I Political History of India (from Indus Valley civilization to 319 A.D). Theory credit-(3)</b>		
<b>Unit</b>	<b>Topic to be covered</b>	<b>No. of Lecturers</b>
1	a) Sources of the study of Ancient India History b) Indus Valley civilization c) Vedic Age (socio-Economic and religious conditions)	6
2	<b>Political condition in the sixth century B.C</b> a) Mahajanapadas and Republics b) Rise of Magadha c) Alexander's invention of India.	8
3	<b>Mauryan Dynasty</b> a) Origin b) Chandragupta Maurya c) Ashoka Dhamma and its propagation	7
4	<b>Post Mauryan Dynasties</b> a) Shunga b) Satavahana c) Saka-Satavahana Relations	5
5	<b>Foreign Dynasties.</b> a) Indo Greeks b) Saka (Western Ksatrapas) c) Kushana.	4
<b>Total</b>		<b>30</b>

**Reading List:-**

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4. Puri, B.N., *India Under the Kusānas*, Bombay, 1965.
5. Shastri, K.A.N., *The Age of Nandas and Mauryas*, Varanasi, 1967.
6. Tripathi, R.S., *Ancient India*, Delhi, 1960.
7. Sinha B.P. *Decline of the kingdom of Magadh*, Delhi 1954
8. चौधरी, आर के., प्राचीन भारत का राजनीतिक एवं सांस्कृतिक इतिहास ए भारतीय भवन पटना, 1992
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10. उपाध्याय, भगवत शरण, प्राचीन भारत का इतिहास, इलाहाबाद, 1962

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