

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – HISTORY

FIRST SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2019

UHT 1502 – HISTORY OF TAMIL NADU PAPER I

Date: 01-11-2019

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00-12:00

PART A

Answer any TEN of the following in FIVE lines each:

(10 X 2 = 20 MARKS)

1. Sangam Age
2. Velvikudi Copper plates
3. Pandyas
4. Saint Appar
5. Kadaramkondan
6. Periyapuramam
7. Gopuram
8. Korkai
9. Harihara and Bhukka
10. Nayaks of Senji
11. Saraswathi Mahal Library
12. Kudumianmalai Musical Inscription

PART B

Answer any FOUR of the following in ONE page each:

(4 X 10 = 40 MARKS)

13. List out the literary sources available for the study of ancient Tamil Nadu.
14. Write a note on monolithic architecture of the Pallavas.
15. Illustrate the importance of Chola navy in the expansion of its empire.
16. Give a vivid description of Malik Kafur's invasion of Tamil Nadu.
17. State the significance of Battle of Talikotta and its consequences.
18. Highlight the importance of Kalabharas in the Tamil history.

PART C

Answer any TWO of the following in FOUR pages each:

(2 X 20 = 40 MARKS)

19. Give a detail description of the socio-political and economic condition of Tamil Nadu during the Sangam age.
20. Elucidate the Marco Polo's account of India.
21. Evaluate the contribution of Imperial Cholas towards art and architecture.
22. Describe the administrative system of the Vijayanagar Empire.
