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B. A. Honours & General Degree Course under 1+1+1, CBCS and FYUGP

Programme Outcomes:

The undergraduate programme of History all the Three Years Degree, CBCS and FYGUP system provides academic flexibility to meet various needs of the students through learner - centric approach.

The following are the Programme Outcomes of B. A. Honours/ Major and General Degree/Programme/Minor Course in History Subject: -

History Honours/Major:

- 1. **Critical Analysis:** Honours students are expected to engage in more critical analysis of historical events, interpretations, arguments and theories often at a level beyond what is expected in general courses.
- 2. Advanced Research Skills: Honours students often develop more advanced historical research skills, including the ability to conduct original research, analyze primary and secondary sources, synthesizing information and contribute new insights to the field.
- 3. **Specialization:** Honours course acquaints students with specialization in particular areas of history, enabling them to develop skill in their chosen areas of study.
- 4. **Communication:** The programme often emphasizes strong written and oral communication skills as students frequently write essays, reports and present findings.
- 5. **Historical Knowledge:** The students have a broad understanding of historical events, periods and themes as well as the ability to place them in context.
- 6. Cultural and Global Awareness: The Students often gain an appreciation for diverse cultures and perspective through the study of history.
- 7. **Ethical and Civic Engagement:** The course encourages students to reflect on ethical issues in the past and present, fostering civic responsibility and engagement.



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8. **Adaptability:** The students will develop skills in adapting to new information and changing circumstances which are valuable in variety of careers.

History General Course/Programme/Minor/(MDC)

- 1. **Foundational Knowledge:** General history course provides students with a broad overview of historical events and themes offering a foundational understanding of the discipline.
- 2. **Basic Research Skill:** The general course includes research assignments. They often focus on developing basic research skills such as finding and evaluating sources rather than pursuing advanced research methods.
- 3. Extensiveness of Study: The course offers a wide range of topics in history exposing students to diverse cultures, time periods and geographical regions.
- 4. **Interdisciplinary Connections:** General history course will explore connections between history and other discipline such as Literature, Political Science, Philosophy, Education, Geography and Economics to provide students with a more holistic understanding of the past.
- 5. Career Oriented: General history course basically prepares students for a variety of careers that value critical thinking, research skills and communication abilities including education, law, public services and more.

Overall, both the Honours, Major, Minor and General History Programmes aim to develop a critical thinking, research skill and historical knowledge among the students. Honours/Major programs firmly offer more specialized training and preparation for advanced study in the field.

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