

UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS
B.A. DEGREE COURSE IN HISTORICAL STUDIES
SYLLABUS WITH EFFECT FROM 2023-2024

SECOND YEAR – SEMESTER- III

CORE VI – HISTORY OF TAMIL NADU 1565 – 1858 C.E.

Subject Code	Subject Name	Category	L	T	P	S	Credits	Inst. Hours	Marks		
									CIA	External	Total
206C3B	HISTORY OF TAMIL NADU 1565 – 1858 CE	Core					5	5	25	75	100
Course Objectives											
C1	To understand the history and the contributions of Vijayanagar, Nayaka and Maratha rule in Tamilagam										
C2	To know the advent of the Europeans in Tamilaham and how trade and Commerce developed in Tamilagam										
C3	To familiarize the students about the early resistance to the British by the people of Tamilagam										
C4	To enhance the knowledge of the development of Art and Architecture,										
C5	To create awareness towards our rich cultural heritage.										
UNIT	DETAILS										No. of Hours
I	Nayaks of Madurai – Nayaks of Thanjavur – Nayaks of Senji – Socio – Economic and Cultural Conditions of Tamilagam under the Nayaks.										15
II	Rule of Marathas in Tamilagam – Marathas of Thanjavur – Development of Art and Literature under the Marathas – Civil War in Arcot – Battle of Tiruchirappalli – Rebellion of Khan Sahb – Sethupathis of Ramnad.										15
III	Advent of the Europeans – Portuguese, Dutch, French and the British – The Anglo-French Conflict – The Carnatic Wars - The Expansion of the British Rule – Development of Trade and Commerce in the 19 th century Tamil Nadu.										15
IV	The Revolt of Poligars – Pulithevan – Kattabomman – Velu Nachiar and Maruthu Brothers – South Indian Confederacy and Rebellion – Fall of Poligars.										15
V	Consolidation of the British rule- Formation of the Madras Presidency- Role of Christian Missionaries- Transfer of the Tanjore- Revenue and Judicial Organization.										15
Total										75	
Course Outcomes									Programme Outcomes		
CO	On completion of this course, students will										
1	To make the students understand the political scenario of Tamil Nadu between 16 th and 19 th centuries.										PO1, PO2, PO5
2	It will make them know about the political and economic conditions of Tamilagam.										PO2, PO3

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3	Enhance the knowledge of the establishment of British rule in Tamil Nadu.	PO1, PO2
4	Understand that what the early resistances were made by the Tamils against the British.	PO1, PO2
5	Understand the role played by Women in Freedom Movement in India.	PO4, PO5

Text Book	
1	Alalasundaram.R., Tamizhaga Varalaru 1967 Varai, Pothigai Publication, Puducherry, 1984.
2	Chellam.V.T., History and Culture of Tamil Nadu, Manivasagar Publication, Chennai, 2006.
3	Devanesan. A, Tamizhaga Valararu (B.C. - Still 1995), Renu Publication, Marthandam,Kanyakumari, 1998.
4	Subramanian. N, History of Tamil Nadu upto A.D. 1336, Koodal Publishers, Madurai,Tamil Nadu, 1972.
5	Lalitha.P.M., Palayagars as Feudatories under the Nayaks of Madurai, Creative Enterprises,Chennai, 2009.
6	Rajayyan. K, Tamil Nadu - A Real History, Ratna Publications, Trivandrum, 2005.
7	Sathyanatha Aiyar. R., History of the Nayaks of Madura, Asian Educational Services,Madras, 1991.
8	Subramanian. N, Social and Cultural History of Tamil Nadu AD 1336-1964, N.S. Publications, Udumalpet, 1980.
9	Venkata Ramanappa. M. N. Outlines of South Indian History, Vikas Publishing House Pvt.,Ltd., Delhi, 1975.

Mapping with Programme Outcomes:

	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8
CO 1	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
CO 2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
CO 3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
CO 4	3	3	3	3	2	3	2	3
CO 5	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	3
Weightage	14	14	14	14	13	15	13	15
Weighted percentage of course contribution to POS	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.6	3.00	2.6	3.00

S-Strong-3 M-Medium-2 L-Low-1