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Fifth meeting of the Board of Studies

The fifth meeting of the Board of Studies for UG Courses in History will be held on 18th March 2016, Friday at 12.30 pm at the Saradananda Conference Hall of our college to discuss the following agenda:

- (a) Confirmation of proceedings of the last meeting held on 26th February 2014
- (b) Review of Results of the last two years and broad activities of department
- (c) Reassessment of question pattern for honours only
- (d) Procedure for materialization of project paper (for 3rd year honours)
- (e) Review of current syllabus and suggestions if any
- (f) Miscellaneous

All members are earnestly requested to attend the meeting.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

Paulturina Poissas (Prithwiraj Biswas)

Head of the Department

(Swami Shastrajnananda) Principal

Minutes of BoS **Department of History**

Date: 18.03.16

- The proceedings of the last meeting held on 26.02.2014 were read out by Prof. Prithwiraj Biswas and accepted by the members present.
- Prof. Prithwiraj Biswas read out the results of last two years and spelled out the activities of the department during the same time.
- It was decided to introduce 10 multiple choice questions (MCQ) carrying 1 mark for each course. Overall marks division of each group would be as follows:

10 MCQ carrying 1 mark=10

4 short notes out of seven choices carrying 5 marks=20

1 essay type question out of 3 choices carrying 20 marks=20

It was decided that fifth semester students would be completing a project comprising of 50 marks as part of their overall UG Honours course. The division of marks would be as follows:

30 Marks for project

10 Marks for Presentation

10 Marks for Viva-voce

Prof. Prithwiraj Biswas, Prof. Santanu Dey and Prof. Gautam Mukhopadhyay proposed the following changes in the syllabus which were discussed in details by the members of BoS. Resolved that the following revisions be done and be introduced from July 2016:

Programme Name	Programme Code	Course Name	Course Code	Revision Done	% of revision	
History Hons	HISA	India from 2nd century BCE till c.6th Century and The Turko-Afghan Period (1206- 1556)	HISAP-2	'Gender relations - women as donors' was incorporated	2.5%	
	HISA	Mughal India and Modern India from 1765 till 1905	HISAP-5	'Comparative estimate of the Ottoman, Safavid and Mughal Empires: Gun Powder	7.5%	
	HISA	Mughal India and Modern India from 1765 till 1905	HISAP-5	Empires?' 'Mughal Cuisine' was incorporated		
	HISA	Europe from the Revolutionary Era to theModernization and International Relations from 1919 to 1968	HISAP-6	'Role of women in French Revolution' was incorporated	5%	
	ПЭА	Mughal India and Beyond form 16 th C to early 18 th C	HISAP-7	'Potentialities of capitalist		

2-		and Modern India 1905 to 1964 AD		development in Mughal India'	
	HISA	Mughal India and Beyond form 16 th C to early 18 th C and Modern India 1905 to 1964 AD	HISAP-7	'Allied movements- Akali Movement, Peasant Resistance in UP and Dalit Movement'	5 %
	HISA	From Industry to Empire and From Bipolarism to Unipolarism	HISAP-8	'Redefinition of gender roles in industrial Europe'	2.5%
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