

# **RAMAKRISHNA MISSION VIDYAMANDIRA**

(Residential Autonomous College affiliated to University of Calcutta)

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**THIRD YEAR [BATCH 2019-22]**

**INDIAN CULTURE AND SPIRITUAL HERITAGE**

Date : 10/06/2022

Time : 11 am – 12 noon

**Paper : VI**

Full Marks : 25

Answer **any five** of the following questions:

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1. Elaborate how a person can attain 'Nirvana', according to Buddhism, following the 'Eight-fold Path'.
2. Enumerate the basic tenets of Jainism.
3. 'The concept of unity is the foundation of Sikhism' – justify with reasons.
4. Describe the real idea of Hindus of worshipping God in different forms or idols.
5. "When a soul becomes perfect and absolute, it must become one with Brahman, and it would only realize the Lord as the perfection, the reality, of its own nature and existence" – explain why this is considered as the summum bonum of human life according to Hinduism.
6. "We believe not only in universal toleration, but we accept all religions as true". How did Vivekananda establish this essential concept of 'Sanatana Dharma' in World's Parliament of Religions in Chicago?
7. "Each (Religious denomination) must assimilate the spirit of the others and yet preserve his individuality and grow according to his own law of growth". Why this idea of Swami Vivekananda is significant even today?

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