

MIZORAM PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
MIZORAM CIVIL SERVICES (COMBINED COMPETITIVE)
MAIN EXAMINATION, 2023

HISTORY PAPER-I

Time Allowed : 3 hours

FM : 100

Marks for each question is indicated against it.

Attempt any 5 (five) questions taking not more than 3 (three) questions from each Part.

PART - A

1. What is meant by 'Neolithic Cultures'? Examine its developments with special reference to agriculture. **(8+12=20)**
2. What is Megalithic Culture? Discuss the main features of Indian Iron Age. **(5+15=20)**
3. What was Asoka's 'Dhamma'? Describe the steps undertaken by Asoka to propagate it. **(8+12=20)**
4. Critically examine the system of Land grants practised by the Guptas. **(20)**

PART - B

5. Discuss the characteristic features of Indian Feudalism. **(20)**
6. Why did Ala-uddin Khilji introduced the market reforms? Discuss its impact. **(15+5=20)**
7. Trace the developments of art and architecture under the Mughals. **(20)**
8. Who were the Ahoms? Describe the administration of the Ahoms. **(20)**

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