B.A. (Honours) Examination, 2022

Semester – III (CBCS)

Comparative Religion

Course: CC-5

Buddhism: Origin and Development

Time: 3 Hours **Full Marks: 60**

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin.

*Answer **any four** questions*

1. Explain the fundamental ideas of 'Neo Buddhism'. 15
2. How do the Buddhists refute the concept of 'soul'? Discuss. 15
3. Explain and examine the theory of 'momentariness'. 15
4. Explain the Bouddha theory of 'karmavada' (Law of Karma). 15
5. Give a critical estimate of the Bouddha-philosophy. 15
6. Write short notes on the following: [5×3]=15
   a. Asoka
   b. Sunyavada
   c. Bhavachakra

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SEMESTER-III
COMPARATIVE RELIGION
COURSE CC-7
(SIGNIFICANT RELIGIOUS THEMES PART-I)

TIME: 3 HOURS **FULL MARKS: 60**

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin.
Answer **any four** questions.

1. Describe the major characteristics of deities in polytheism. **15**

2. Write a note on the concept of God in Christianity. **15**

3. Explain the concept of soul in Hinduism. **15**

4. Discuss the concept of salvation in Jainism. **15**

5. Briefly discuss the key features of atheism. **15**

6. Write short notes on any two of the following: **7.5+7.5=15**
   a. Animism
   b. Pantheism
   c. Concept of soul in Buddhism
   d. Gnosticism

B. A. (Honours) Final Examination - 2022

Semester - III

Comparative Religion

Paper: C- 06 - Christianity: Origin and Development

Duration: 3 Hrs **Max. Marks: 60**

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin
Answer any FOUR of the following questions

1. Write an essay on the life of Jesus Christ. Bring out the significance of Crucifixion and Resurrection of Jesus Christ in the Christian Spirituality. **8 + 7 = 15**

2. Explain in detail the Holy Bible of Christianity and how is it important in the day today life of Christian believers? **10 + 5 = 15**

3. Describe the origin and development of Christian monasticism and explain briefly crusades. **7.5 + 7.5 = 15**

4. How the Christianity was challenged during the period of renaissance and enlightenment? Explain. **15**

5. What is Dalit Theology? How Dalit Theology is being interpreted from the Nazareth Manifesto (Lk 4:16ff) of Jesus Christ? What are the possible means that you suggest to empower Dalits in India? **4 + 6 + 5 = 15**

6. Write a short note on each of the following;
   a. Early Christian Community b. Constantine c. Evangelism
   d. St. Thomas e. Caste & Conversion **5 X 3 = 15**

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Semester-III (CBCS) Skill Enhancing Compulsory Course Theory

SECC-1 (Methodology and Data Collection for the Study of Religion)

(For Regular Candidates Only)

Answer any four questions

Time: 2 Hours **Full Marks:25**

1. What is sampling? Explain. 6.25

2. What are the methods of data collection? Discuss. 6.25

3. Explain the advantages of observational method in a research work. 6.25

4. What do you mean by data in a research work? How are data analysed? 6.25

5. What is questionnaire method of collecting data? Discuss its advantages. 6.25

6. What are the steps a researcher may adopt in conducting field work? Explain. 6.25