**B.A. Part-I Philosophy (Hons.)**

**Paper -1**

**Indian Philosophy**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Ten questions shall be asked. Each question will carry equal marks. First question is compulsory and shall consist of Ten Multiple Choice Questions. The rest questions will be of subjective type which may include long questions and short notes.

1. Basic Features of Indian Philosophy.
2. Charvaka : Epistemology, Metaphysics, Ethics.
3. Jainism : Syadvada, Dravya, Jiva, Anekaitavada, Bondage and Liberation.
4. Buddhism : First, Second, Third and Fourth Noble Truth.
5. Nyaya : Epistemology – Pratyaksha, Anumana, Upamana, Sobda, Proofs for the existence of god.
6. Vaisesika : Padarth – Dravya, Guna, Karma, Samanya, Visesa, Samavaya, Abhava.
7. Sankhya : Satkaryaavada, Purusa, Prakriti, Evolution, Bondage and Liberation.
8. Yoga : Eightfold Path, Concept of god.
9. Mimansa : Apurva.
10. Adyaita Vedanta (Sankara) : Brahaman, World, Maya, Self (Atman).
11. Vishistadyaita Vedanta (Ramanuja) : Refutation of Sankara’s Mayavada, Brahman, Self (Action).

**Recommended Books** :-

1. Bhartiya Darshan – Chattierjee and Dutta.
2. Bhartiya Darshan – Harendra Prasad Sinha.
3. A Critical Survey of Indian Philosophy – C.D. Sharma
4. Indian Philosophy – S. Radhakrishaon.
5. Indian Philosophy – S.N. Das Gupta.

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**Paper II**

**Epistemology and Metaphysics**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Ten questions shall be asked. Each question will carry equal marks. First question is compulsory and shall consist of Ten Multiple Choice Questions. The rest questions will be of subjective type which may include long questions and short notes.

1. Nature of Philosophy, Its relation with science and Religion.
2. Theories related to sources of knowledge – Rationalism, Empiricism and Criticism
3. Relation between knower and known – Realism, Epistemological Idealism,
4. Nature and number of Ultimate Reality –Materialism, Neutralism, Monism, Dualism, Pluralism.
5. Relation between god and world – Deism, Theism, Pantheism, Panentheism.
6. Creationism and Evolutionism – Darwin’s theory of Biological Evolution.
7. Theories of Truth – Correspondence, Coherence, Programmatic
8. Causality – Aristotle, Mill, Hume.

**Recommended Books** :

1. Gyanmimansa evam Tattvamimansa – Rajendra Prasad
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Do\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - Kedar Nath Tiwari
3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Do\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - Ashok Kumar Verma

**B.A Part- I (Philosophy – Subsidiary)**

**Paper I**

**Indian Philosophy**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Ten questions shall be asked. Each question will carry equal marks. First question is compulsory and shall consist of Ten Multiple Choice Questions. The rest questions will be of subjective type which may include long questions and short notes.

1. Basic Characteristics of Indian Philosophy.
2. Charvkaka – Epistemology, Metaphysics, Ethics.
3. Jaina – Substance, Jiva, Bondage, Liberation.
4. Bauddha – Four Noble Truths.
5. Nayaya – Epistemology (Sources of valid Knowledge), Proofs for the existence of god.
6. Vaisheshika – Seven Padarthas
7. Sankhya – Satkaryavada, Purusa, Prakriti, Relation between purusa and Prakriti, Theory of Evolution.
8. Yoga – Eight Fold Path.
9. Mimansa – Concept of Apurva
10. Advaita Vedanta (Sharkala)- Brahman (Absolute), World, Maya, Atman (Self)
11. Vishistadyaita Vedanta (Ramanuja) – Brahman, Atman

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