

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS) , VISAKHAPATNAM
III SEMESTER **HISTORY** 6 Hrs/Week
HIS 3302 (4) **HISTORY OF MODERN INDIA (1800 – 1964 A.D.)** Max. Marks : 100
(SOCIAL, ECONOMIC & CULTURAL)
SYLLABUS

OBJECTIVES : To enable the students –

- Identify and relate important dates, events, places, persons
- Comprehend the nature of events in modern Indian History.
- Distinguish between facts and opinions.
- Formulate valid conclusions regarding specific events.
- Compare and contrast situations in a given period of time.

COURSE CONTENT

UNIT I : **Introduction :** India under the company – Act of 1833 and its impact. ; 1857 revolt – Queen's proclamation. Socio – economic & Cultural progress – Brief Resume.

UNIT II : **Indian Renaissance :** Causes and effects – social reform movements. Rise of Nationalism – causes – freedom struggle – impact of the tribal and peasant movements.

UNIT III : Society and culture during the British rule – Western influence.

UNIT IV : Education – impact of the West - Role of Press. Development of Literature – Vernaculars – History, Science and Arts.

UNIT V : Economic conditions – Post Independent society – Economy, Polity, Foreign policy – progress in various fields – agriculture – Industries – Education etc.

PRESCRIBED TEXT BOOK :

Bharathadesa Charithra, Samskruthi – Vol. II – (Telugu Akademy, Hyderabad, 2003)

SUGGESTED REFERENCES :

1. Indian History & culture Vol. III – B.S.L. Hanumantha Rao. Guntur, (1984)
2. A New Look at Modern Indian History – B.L. Grover & S.Grover. S Chand & Co, New Delhi, (1993)
3. Freedom struggle – Bipanchandra, Amales Tripathi, Barun De N.B.T, New Delhi (1972)
4. Cambridge History of India Vol. V, H.H. Dodwell New Delhi (1963)