

KANYASHREE UNIVERSITY

M.A. 2nd Semester Examination-2022

Subject: History

Course-CC 7

State & Society in Ancient India

Full Marks-40

Time-2.00 Hours

Group-A

[Answer **any four** of the followings]

(5x4=20)

1. Write a short note on Brahmanical literary sources of Ancient Indian history.
2. Describe the social life of the Later Vedic period.
3. Write a short note on the theory of *Saptanagrastra*.
4. Discuss the rise of feudalism during the Gupta period.
5. Review the Local self-government under the Cholas.
6. Describe the social status of women in ancient India.
7. Briefly trace the history of Gurjar Pratiharas.

Group-B

[Answer **any two** of the followings]

(10x2=20)

1. Give an account of the rise of *Sixteen Mahajanapadas* in the Age of the Buddha.
2. In what respect do we consider Buddhism and Jainism as religions protest movements?
3. Examine the nature of state and administration under the Mauryas.
4. Give an account of the political and cultural contributions of the Palas of Bengal.
