## KANYASHREE UNIVERSITY

# M.A. 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Examination-2023 Subject: History Course- CC 7

## **State and Society in Ancient India**

Full Marks-40 Time-2.00 Hours

### GROUP - A

(Answer any four of the following)

 $(5 \times 4 = 20)$ 

- 1. Critically analyse the political importance of "Sorasa Mahajanapada".
- 2. Discuss the basic tenets of Buddhism.
- 3. Mention the salient features of the Mehergarh society.
- 4. What was the Kautilya's theory of the "Saptanga"?
- 5. What do you know about the origin of the kingship in the Rigvedic era?
- 6. What were the fundamental principles of Jainism?
- 7. Briefly explain the Agrahara system in the post Mauryan period.

#### GROUP - B

(Answer **any two** of the following)

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ 

- 1. Discuss the status of women in Ancient India up to 300 BC.
- 2. Introduce the local self administration of the Cholas.
- 3. Explain the political condition of territorial states in the age of Buddha.
- 4. What do you know about the structure of Indian society from Balochistan to Gujarat during the Chalcolithic period?