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Lecture List

**B.A./B.Sc.
(Second Year)**

LECTURE LIST

INSTRUCTIONS

- The syllabus is divided into five units.
- The examinees will have to attempt Five Questions in all. All questions will carry equal marks. Two questions will be asked from each unit. The examinees will have to attempt one question from each unit.
- The questions will be of three types requiring short answers, medium answers and long/essay type answers. These instructions will be applicable for all the papers for theory examination.

B.A./B.Sc II

Ist PAPER

INDIAN MILITARY HISTORY (FROM 1947 UPTO DATE)

UNIT-1

- (1) Partition of India and the armed forces ; Background
- (2) Military operations in Kashmir (1948)
 - a. Kashmir dispute : Genesis and progression
 - b. Military Operations with special reference with the battle of Zojila
 - c. Role of Air Force

UNIT-2

- (3) Sino-Indian Conflict (1962)
 - a. Background of the Sino-India Border Dispute
 - b. Military operations with Special Reference to the battle at Nanka Chu River of Thagla Ridge
 - c. Politico-Military Lessons

UNIT-3

- (4) Indo-Pakistan Conflict (1965)
 - a. Background and causes with reference to Kutch operations
 - b. Military operations with special reference to the battle of Khem Karan
 - c. Role of Navy and Air Force
 - d. Politico-Military lessons

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UNIT-4

- (5) Indo-Pakistan Conflict (1971)
 - a. Genesis and Causes
 - b. Military operations on the Western Front with special reference to the battle of Shakargarh
 - c. Military operations on the Eastern Front
 - d. Role of Air Force and Navy in the Military operations
 - e. Emergence of Bangla Desh
 - f. Politico-Military lessons

UNIT-5

- (6) Indian Defence: Contemporary scenarios with special reference to LIC and Terrorism

BOOKS RECOMMENDED

1. Singh, Nagendra The theory of force and organisation of Defence in Indian Constitutional History
2. Longer, V.Red Coat to Olive green
3. Prasad, B.The Indian Armed Forces in World War II
4. Sen, S.N. Eighteen Fifty Seven
5. Chopra, M.K. India-The search for power
6. Gupta, Shishir Kashmir
7. Singh, Bhupinder Indo-Pak Conflict over Kashmir
8. Akbar, M.J. India-The siege within the Indian Army
9. Cohen, S.P. The Pakistan Army
10. Dalvi, J.P. Himalayan Blunder

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11. Kaul, B.M. The Untold Story
12. Sinha, S. The Chinese Aggression
13. Maxwell, N. India and China war of 1962
14. Mankekar, D.R. Twenty two fateful days
15. Singh, Harbaks Indo-Pak Conflict 1965
16. Palit, D.K. The lightening campaign
17. Singh, S. Liberation of Bangladesh
18. Akhtar, J.D. The Saga of Bangladesh
19. Thompson, J. War and Peace
20. Kavic, L.J. India's Quest for Security
21. Saigal, J.R. Unfought War of 1962
22. Kaul, T.N. Diplomacy in Peace and War

23. Subrahmanyam, K. Indian Security Perspectives
Other books as recommended by the teacher.

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WORLD ART OF WAR SINCE 1786

UNIT-1

1. Impact of Science and Technology on warfare with special reference to the reforms of Gustavus Adolphus and Frederick the Great.
2. Principles and defects of Napoleonic warfare with special reference to battle of Trafalgar (1805) and Waterloo (1815).
3. American Civil War (1861-65) and new military trends.

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UNIT-2

4. First World War :
 - (a) Causes
 - (b) Strategy, Stalemate, Restoration of mobility with special reference to the battles of Ypres and Somme.
 - (c) Role of air Force and navy.

UNIT-3

5. Second World War :
 - (a) Causes
 - (b) Allied and Axis objective and strategy.
 - (c) Armoured and Mechanised Warfare with special reference to Gazala Line and El-Alamien.
 - (d) Role of Air Power with special reference to the battle of Britain.
 - (e) Role of Navy with special reference to the battle of Leyte Gulf (1944).
6. Advent of Nuclear Weapons and its impact on warfare.

UNIT-4

7. (c) War in Indo-China with special reference to the battle of Dien Biein Phu.
 - (d) Causes of the French defeat and political and military lessons.
8. Emergency in Malaya 1948-60.
 - (a) Causes of communist insurgency.

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- (b) Counter insurgency Operations.'
- (c) Political and Military lessons.

UNIT-5

9. Middle East Conflict ;
 - (a) Causes with reference to Suez Crisis and Arab-Israel Conflict (1956).
 - (b) Six Day War (1967).
 - (c) Yom Kippur War (1973).
 - (d) Current developments.
10. Iran-Iraq Conflict :
 - (a) Causes, Strategy and Tactics during the military operations.
 - (b) Political and Military lessons.
11. Gulf Conflict (1991).

SELECTING READINGS

1. Agwani, M.S. Politics in the Gulf
2. Agwani, M.S. The West Asian Crisis
3. Alexander, F. International Terrorism, National, Regional and Global Perspective
4. Barnaby, C.F. Preventing the Spread of Nuclear Weapons
5. Bealo and Maddox, J. The Spread of Nuclear Weapons
6. Dewan, B.N. War and Peace in West Asia
7. Bellock, H. The French Revolution
8. Belgrami, S.J.R. Arms Race and Disarmament
9. Bryant, A. The Turn of the Tide-1939-43
10. Bryant, A. Triumph in the West-1943-46
11. Butter, J.R.M. History of the World War II

12. Calvooressi, P. & Wiend, G. Total War
13. Car, E.H. 20 years Crisis 1919-1939
14. Car, E.H. International Relations Between the two war 1919-39
15. Carver, M. War since 1945
16. Chalfort Montgomery of Alamein
17. Chandler, D.G. Campaigns of Napoleon
18. Collier, B.A Short History of the World War II
19. Curtis, L. World War, Its Causes and Cure
20. Donelly, D. Struggle for the World, The Cold war from its origin
21. Duppy, T.N. Military History of World War II
22. Churchill, W.S. American Civil War
23. Esposito, V.J. ed Concise History fo World War II
24. Fairbairn, G. Revolutionary warfare and communist strategy, The threat to South East Asia.
25. Fuller, J.F.C. Decisive Battle of the Western war.
26. Gilbert, M. Arab-Israeli Conflicts ; its History of Maps.
27. Gupta, BB. Arab-Israeli Relations.
28. Harkabi, Y. Arab Strategies and Israeli Response.
29. Hart, L. Defence of Britain
30. Hart, L. History of the World War I.
31. Hart, L. History of the World War II.
32. Hart, L. Romma papers.
33. Hart, L. North African Campaign in 1940-43.
34. Hart, L. The Other Side of the Hill.
35. Harluck, E.L. The World War II.
36. Hayes, G.P. Middle East Politics : The Military Dimension.
37. Jacobson, H & Decisive Battles of World War II. others Ed.
38. Koch, H.W. ed Origins of World War I.

PRACTICAL

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39. Langsam, W.C. & Mitchell, O.C. The World Since 1919.
40. Montgomery, V. A History of Warfare.
41. O'Ballance, E. The War in Vietnam 1954-73.
42. O'Ballance, E. The Third Arab-Israeli War.
43. Tachinene, D.R. Arab-Israeli Military Ballance Since Oct. 1973.
44. Taylor, A.G.P. World War II.
45. Taylor John, W.R. History of Aerial Warfare.
46. Vagts, A. Landing Operation.

Other books as recommended by the teacher.

1—Sand Model Exercises

- (a) Battle of Panipat, 1526 A.D.
- (b) Battle of Assaye, 1803 A.D.

2—Sketching of the Charts of Indian Battles

- (a) Battle of Zojilla, 1948.
- (b) Battle of Thagla Ridge, 1962.
- (c) Battle of Khem Karan, 1965.
- (d) Battle of Shakargarh, 1971.
- (e) Kargil Conflict, 1999

3—Sketching of Charts of Western Battles

- (a) Battle of Trafalgar, 1805.
- (b) Battle of Somme, 1919.
- (c) Battle of El-Alamin,, 1942.
- (d) Arab-Israel War, 1967.

4.—TEWTs

- (a) Organization of an Infantry Batallion.
- (b) Organisation and tactical use of weapons and Equipment upto Platoon level.
- (c) Elementary knowledge of modern tactics— Fieldcraft and Patrolling
- (d) Appreciation on the Sand Model of Attack and Defence.