

## 18UHT2AL02 - WORLD HISTORY

**Semester :II**  
**Students :Tamil**  
**Category :AR**

**Credits: 4**  
**No. of Hours / Week: 6**

### **Objectives:**

- 1. To focus on the historical forces or movements that affected the world as a whole.*
- 2. To present and analyses underlying realities and interpret the enduring results of historical events.*

**Unit I:** The Era of Revolutions: Beginning of Modern Age the Age of Discovery and the American Revolution - French Revolution

**Unit II:** Socio -Economic changes: The Industrial and Agrarian Revolution

**Unit III:** The War and the Peace: World War I - League of Nations – Peace Treaties

**Unit IV:** Dictatorship and the World: Nazism – Fascism – World War II - UNO

**Unit V:** World since 1945: The Cold War – Formation of power blocs – Truman Doctrine – Marshall Plan – NATO – Warsaw pact

### **BOOKS FOR REFERENCE:**

- K. R Hanumanthan and S. Kadirvel, History of Modern Civilisation  
Settar, World History  
Hari Rao, World History  
L.S. Stavrianos, A Global History -The human heritage!  
Stewart. C Easton, A brief history of the Western World  
Fischer, History of Europe, London, Edward Arnold Ltd, 1957.  
Vera Micheles Dean, The nature of the Non Western World

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(Offered to Tamil Department)

**UNIT – I**

**Name of the Professor: Dr. I. Princes**

DATE	DAY ORDER	TOPICS	REFERENCE
16/11/2018	3	Introduction and Syllabus Discussion	
16/11/2018	3	Geographical Discoveries and their results.	
17/11/2018	4	Renaissance and Reformation	
19/11/2018	5	<b>REVISION &amp; CLASS TEST</b> (Geographical Discoveries)	
20/11/2018	6	American Revolution-Causes	
20/11/2018	6	American Revolution-Results and Significance.	1. Harry Browne, World History-I, Cambridge University Press, 1974.
26/11/2018	4	<b>REVISION &amp; CLASS TEST</b> (American Revolution)	
27/11/2018	5	French Revolution-Causes	
28/11/2018	6	Significance of the French Revolution	2. Chris Harman, A Peoples History of the World, Orient Blackswan, 2010
28/11/2018	6	<b>REVISION &amp; CLASS TEST</b> (French Revolution)	
03/12/2018	3	<b>Rise and fall of Napoleon-</b> Napoleon's Ascendency, Consulate Rule, Constitution of 1799, Reforms.	3. Jain Mathur, An Outline of Modern World History (1500-1950), Jain Prakashan Mandir, Jaipur, 2003.
03/12/2018	3	<b>Rise and fall of Napoleon-</b> Napoleon's Code of Laws, Continental System, Wars.	
04/12/2018	4	<b>Rise and fall of Napoleon-</b> Last days of Napoleon, Causes of Napoleon's downfall, Significance of Napoleon's era.	4. Sen S.N, Europe and the World (1763-1945), Wiley Eastern Limited, New Delhi, 1993.
05/12/2018	5	<b>REVISION &amp; CLASS TEST</b> (Rise and fall of Napoleon)	
06/12/2018	6	<b>REVISION &amp; SUMMING UP</b>	
06/12/2018	6	<b>Map Test:</b> Geographical Discoveries-routes, locating continents and oceans	
11/12/2018	3	<b>Group Activity:</b> Chart Presentation-Napoleon	
11/12/2018	3	<b>Chapter Review and presentation:</b> American Revolution	

## UNIT – II

DATE	DAY ORDER	TOPICS	REFERENCE
12/12/2018	4	Beginning of Industrial Revolution	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Jain Mathur, An Outline of Modern World History (1500-1950), Jain Prakashan Mandir, Jaipur, 2003.</li> <li>2. Sen S.N, Europe and the World (1763-1945), Wiley Eastern Limited, New Delhi, 1993.</li> <li>3. Harry Browne, World History-II, Cambridge University Press, 1974.</li> </ol>
13/12/2018	5	Scientific and Technological background of Industrial Revolution.	
18/12/2018	3	Uses of Machines in Industries	
18/12/2018	3	New experiments and inventions	
19/12/2018	4	Effects of Industrial Revolution	
20/12/2018	5	<b>REVISION &amp; CLASS TEST</b> (Industrial Revolution)	
21/12/2018	6	Beginning of Agrarian Revolution	
21/12/2018	6	Contributing factors to the Agricultural Revolution	
08/01/2019	3	Major developments and innovations	
08/01/2019	3	Uses of Machines and Fertilizers	
09/01/2019	4	Effects of Agricultural Revolution	
10/01/2019	5	<b>REVISION &amp; CLASS TEST</b> (Agrarian Revolution)	
11/01/2019	6	<b>REVISION &amp; SUMMING UP</b>	
11/01/2019	6	<b>Album Making and Presentation:</b> Industrial and Agrarian Revolution	
18/01/2019	3	<b>Album Making and Presentation:</b> Industrial and Agrarian Revolution	
18/01/2019	3	<b>Album Making and Presentation:</b> Industrial and Agrarian Revolution	

### UNIT – III

DATE	DAY ORDER	TOPICS	REFERENCE
19/01/2019	4	Causes of the World War – I	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Stewart C. Easton, A survey of Ancient, Medieval and Modern History, Barnes &amp; Noble Publication, New York, 1970.</li> <li>2. Cornell, World History in the 20<sup>th</sup> century, Longman, 1977.</li> <li>3. Khurana, The 20<sup>th</sup> century World, Lakshmi Narain Agarwal, Agra, 2005.</li> </ol>
21/01/2019	5	<b>REVISION-I CIA</b>	
30/01/2019	6	Social and Economic impact of the war	
30/01/2019	6	Paris Peace Conference and the Treaty of Paris	
02/02/2019	3	Treaties with other States	
02/02/2019	3	<b>REVISION &amp; CLASS TEST (World War I)</b>	
04/02/2019	4	League of Nations: Birth, Aims and Memberships	
05/02/2019	5	Main organs of the League	
06/02/2019	6	Economic and Social Humanitarian Activities.	
06/02/2019	6	Work related to International Peace and security	
09/02/2019	3	Causes of the failure of the League of Nations.	
09/02/2019	3	<b>REVISION &amp; CLASS TEST (League of Nations)</b>	
11/02/2019	4	<b>REVISION &amp; SUMMING UP</b>	
12/02/2019	5	<b>Seminar Presentation</b> -topics from the syllabus	
13/02/2019	6	<b>Seminar Presentation</b> -topics from the syllabus	
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### UNIT – IV

DATE	DAY ORDER	TOPICS	REFERENCE
16/02/2019	3	Economic Depression of 1929-1930.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Chris Harman, A Peoples History of the World, Orient Blackswan, 2010</li> <li>2. Jain Mathur, An Outline of Modern World History (1500-1950), Jain Prakashan Mandir, Jaipur, 2003.</li> <li>3. Sen S.N, Europe and the World (1763-1945), Wiley Eastern Limited, New Delhi, 1993.</li> </ol>
16/02/2019	3	Nazism: Mein Kempf, Reorganization and expansion of Nazi Party- Fall of Weimar Republic 1930-1931- Policies of Hitler (Internal and Foreign)	
18/02/2019	4	Fascism: Establishment of Fascist Dictatorship in Italy- Policies of Mussolini (Internal and Foreign)	
19/02/2019	5	<b>REVISION &amp; CLASS TEST</b> (Hitler & Mussolini)	
20/02/2019	6	Chief events of World War-II	
20/02/2019	6	Impact and Consequences of World War-II	
23/02/2019	3	<b>REVISION &amp; CLASS TEST</b> (World War II)	
23/02/2019	3	Establishment of UNO – Its objectives and achievements	
25/02/2019	4	Main organs and disputes brought before UNO	
26/02/2019	5	<b>REVISION &amp; CLASS TEST</b> (UNO & its main organs)	
27/02/2019	6	<b>REVISION &amp; SUMMING UP</b>	
27/02/2019	6	<b>Movie Review and Group Presentation</b> Movies related to World War II	

## UNIT – V

DATE	DAY ORDER	TOPICS	REFERENCE
04/03/2019	3	Cold War – Definition and origin- Formation of Power blocs – Ideological differences.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Harry Browne, World History-II, Cambridge University Press, 1974.</li> <li>2. Rao B.V, History of Modern Europe (1789-2013), Sterling Publishers, New Delhi, 2014.</li> <li>3. Cornell, World History in the 20<sup>th</sup> century, Longman, 1977.</li> <li>4. Khurana, The 20<sup>th</sup> century World, Lakshmi Narain Agarwal, Agra, 2005.</li> </ol>
04/03/2019	3	Truman Doctrine- Marshall Plan and Berlin Blockade- NATO, SEATO, CENTO and Korean War- Warsaw Pact, Cuban Revolution and Missile Crisis, Berlin Crisis	
05/03/2019	4	Reforms of Gorbachev- Disintegration of Soviet Union and the end of the Cold War- Effects of the Cold War	
06/03/2019	5	<b>REVISION &amp; CLASS TEST</b> (Cold War and its effects)	
07/03/2019	6	<b>REVISION &amp; SUMMING UP</b>	
07/03/2019	6	<b>Assignment Presentation:</b> Topics from the syllabus	
12/03/2019	3	<b>Assignment Presentation:</b> Topics from the syllabus	
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13/03/2019	4	<b>REVISION-SEMESTER</b> (Unit- I)	
14/03/2019	5	<b>REVISION-SEMESTER</b> (Units-II & III)	
15/03/2019	6	<b>REVISION-SEMESTER</b> (Units-IV & V)	