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**II Semester M.A. Degree (CBSS – Reg./Supple./Imp.) Examination, April 2023
(2019 Admission Onwards)**

**HISTORY
HIS2C07 : Iron Age Civilization**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

**SECTION – A
(Essays)**

Answer **any two** of the following questions :

1. The Iron Age civilization was a time of great innovation and advancement. Discuss the major technological advances of this era and their impact on human history.
2. Elaborate on the crisis and decline of Roman civilisation.
3. Analyse the religious beliefs and practices of the Iron Age civilization. What were the major religious traditions during that time ?
4. Explain the art and architecture of the Greek civilization during the Iron Age. (2×12=24)

SECTION – B

Part – I

Answer **any four** of the following questions (answer in **one** sentence or **one** word).

5. Gordon Childe.
6. City states.
7. Peloponnesian war.

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8. Macedonia.
9. Renfrew's anti diffusionist position.
10. Democratic experiment in Greece. (4×1=4)

**Part – II
(Short Notes)**

Answer **any four** of the following questions :

11. Explain the evolution of urban settlements during the Iron Age period in Rome.
12. Explain the importance of Athens in Iron Age Civilization.
13. Give a note on Minoan Civilization.
14. Analyze the impact of the monetary crisis on the economies of world in the Iron Age period.
15. Discuss the social hierarchy and status of women in ancient Roman society.
16. Give a detailed note on Thebes. (4×3=12)

**Part – III
(Short Essays)**

Answer **any four** of the following questions :

17. Elaborate on the Persian wars.
18. Analyse the script and language used during the Iron Age Civilization. How did the development of writing systems contribute to the growth of the society ?
19. Discuss the significance of slavery in Iron Age Civilization. How did the slave mode of production influence the development of society ?
20. Compare and contrast the monarchy and republic forms of government in ancient Rome.
21. Discuss the significance of the epic period. How did the epics contribute to the development of literature, culture and society ?
22. Evaluate the importance of Classical Greece. How did their philosophy, science and art contribute to the growth of the society ? (4×5=20)