## Let's Begin Our Journey

Ancient India		<ul> <li>Pre-Mauryan Dynasty - Causes of the rise</li> </ul>	
1. Sources of Indian History	1-5	of Magadh	50
Primary vs Secondary Sources	2	<ul> <li>Haryanka Dynastry</li> </ul>	50
Literary Sources	2	<ul> <li>Shishunaga Dynasty</li> </ul>	51
Archaeological Sources	4	<ul> <li>Nanda Dynasty</li> </ul>	5
•	C 15	<ul> <li>Persian and Greek Invasions</li> </ul>	52
2. Stone Age	6-15	<ul> <li>Important Terminologies</li> </ul>	52
Phases of Stone Age	7	6. Buddhism and Jainism	54-70
Paleolithic Age	8	Origin of Buddhism	55
Mesolithic Age	8	Buddha's Life at Glance	58
Neolithic Age	8	Forms of Buddha	58
Chalcolithic Age	9	Major Events of Gautam Buddha's Life	56
Comparison between Chalcolithic and	0	Philosophy	56
Harappan Age	9	Buddhist Councils	58
Important Terminologies and Technologies	10	Buddhist Sanghas	59
Map based Important Sites	11	Buddhist Sects/Schools	59
3. Harappan Civilization	16-27	Buddhist Literature	62
<ul> <li>Geographical Extent</li> </ul>	17	Buddhist Art & Architecture	63
<ul> <li>Comparative analysis of three phases</li> </ul>	18	Important Buddhist Terminologies	63
<ul> <li>Salient Features – Town Planning and Structure</li> </ul>	э,	Places visited by Buddha	64
Society and Political Life, Agriculture, Industri		Jainism	65
and Crafts, Pottery, Script, Economy, Religious		Mahavira's Life at Glance	65
and Burial Practices	18	Main Philosophical Problem and Solutions	65
<ul> <li>Decline of Harappan Civilisation</li> </ul>	22	Jaina Philosophy	65
<ul> <li>Important Harappan Sites</li> </ul>	23	Sects of Jainism	68
<ul> <li>Trade Routes of Indus Valley</li> </ul>	27	Auspicious symbol of Jainism	68
4. Vedic Age	28-43	Jaina Literature	69
Theories related to Aryans	29		
Geographical origin of Vedic Aryans	29	Jaina Art & Architecture     Join Tirth only one	69 70
Rigvedic Culture	30	Jain Tirthankaras     Jamentout Joining Tormingle give	70
Shruti Literature – Vedas and Upanishads	30	Important Jainism Terminologies	10
Smriti Literature – Vedanta, Vedangas, Puranas	s.	7. Mauryan Age	71-88
Dharmashashtra, Upaveda and Epics		<ul> <li>Sources for Mauryan History</li> </ul>	72
Salient Features of Rigvedic Culture – Political	Life,	<ul> <li>Prominent Rulers</li> </ul>	72
Social Life, Socio-political organization and Ve		<ul> <li>Pillars and Inscriptions</li> </ul>	75
Religion	35	<ul> <li>Ashokan Rock Edicts and Pillar Inscriptions</li> </ul>	76
<ul> <li>Later Vedic Culture and Civilisation – Political</li> </ul>	Life,	Pre-Mauryan Inscriptions	80
Social Life, Economy and Religion	38	<ul> <li>Mauryan Administration – Central, Provincial,</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Comparative Analysis of Rigvedic and Later</li> </ul>		District & Village and City Administration	80
Vedic Age	41	Military System	82
<ul> <li>Important Terminologies</li> </ul>	42	Revenue Administration	83
<ul> <li>Important Terms and their Mentions</li> </ul>	43	Economy of Mauryan Period	83
5. Mahajanapadas and Pre-Mauryan Rule	44-53	Trade and Towns	84
Post-Vedic Phase – Economic Life, Social Life a		Society	88
Religious Life	45	Mauryan Art	86
Mahajanapadas – Social & Material Life and		Decline of Mauryas	87
Administrative System	46	Important Terminologies	o. or
		• IMPORTANT I ARMINO I OCIOC	

8.	Post-Mauryan Age	89-100	<b>Medieval India</b>			
	Political Conditions	90	12. Transitory Phase		134-136	
	<ul> <li>Foreign Ruling Dynasties: Indo-Greeks, Sh</li> </ul>		Indian Feudalism		135	
Scytho-Parthians and Kushanas • Indigenous Ruling Dynasties: Shungas, Kan Satayahanas		90	Economic condition	ns during this period	135	
		nva and 95	Temple Architectur		136	
	Developments in Post-Mauryan Phase	99	13. Three Northern E		137-144	
	Gupta Age	101-112	Gurjara-Pratihara		138	
	Sources to construct Gupta History	102	<ul> <li>The Palas of Bengal</li> </ul>	1	140	
	Prominent Rulers	103	The Rashtrakutas		141	
	Polity and Administration	106	<ul> <li>Tripartite Struggle</li> </ul>		142	
Revenue Administration		108	_	of life during these king	doms 143	
	• Economy	108	14. Rajputs and Arab	Invasion	145-151	
	Society	109	Origin of Rajput Dy		146	
	Art & Culture	110	Prominent Rajput D		146	
	Crafts, Production and Trade	110	Limitations of Rajpu	-	149	
	Science and Technology	111	Brief Introduction of the production of the		149	
	Decline of Gupta Empire	111	Arab Conquests of		150	
	Vakataka Dynasty	111	Turkish Invasions		150	
10	Post Cunto Teo	113-124	Mahmud Ghazni's I	nvasions	151	
	Post-Gupta Age     Socio-Political and Economic conditions	113-124	Ghurid Dynasty and		151	
	Vardhan Dynasty/Pushyabhuti Dynasty	115	15. Chola Empire and		152-166	
Harshavardhana – Administration, Taxat			The Chola Empire	Regional Kingdoms	152-166	
	Justice System, Division of Empire, Society &		Sources of Information	tion	153	
	Economy and Art & Culture	115	Prominent Rulers	.1011	153	
	Pallavas of Kanchipuram	119		Administration, Village	100	
<ul><li>Pandyas of Madurai</li><li>Ikshavakus Dynasty</li></ul>		121	121 Administration, Society, Economy, E		n	
		121	and Literature	,,,,	156	
	<ul> <li>Kadambas of Banavasi</li> </ul>	121	<ul> <li>Demise of Chola Er</li> </ul>	mpire	161	
	<ul> <li>Western Ganges of Mysore</li> </ul>	122	<ul> <li>Regional Kingdoms</li> </ul>	_	161	
	Kalabharas	122	<ul> <li>Important Terminol</li> </ul>	logies	166	
	Deccan Dynasties	122	16. Delhi Sultanate		167-186	
11. Sangam Age		125-133	Factors responsible	e for Turkish victory		
	Sangam Literature	126	over Rajputs	,	168	
	Three Sangams	126	Slave Dynasty (120)	6 - 1290 CE)	168	
	Three Early Kingdoms	128	Khilji Dynasty (129)		172	
	Polity and Administration	128	Tughlaq Dynasty (1)	·	176	
	• Economy	129	Sayyid Dynasty (14)		179	
	Society	129	• Lodhi Dynasty (145		179	
	Religion	130	Cause of Decline of	•	181	
	Megalithic Culture	131		olitico–Administrative S		
	Important Megalithic Sites	131		Economy, Scientific Advancements, Agriculture,		
Major Features		132		Architecture, Iqta System, Taxation System, Jud		
	Forms of Megaliths	132	System, Society, Lite	erature and Music	181	
	3		<ul> <li>Important Terminol</li> </ul>	logies	186	

17.	Vijaynagar and Bahamani Kingdom	187-198	<ul> <li>Akbar (1556 – 1605 CE)</li> </ul>	206
•	Sources of Information	188	<ul> <li>Jahangir (1605 – 1627 CE)</li> </ul>	214
•	Sangam Dynasty (1336 – 1485 CE)	189	<ul> <li>Shahjahaan (1628 – 1658 CE)</li> </ul>	215
•	Saluva Dynasty (1485 – 1505 CE)	190	<ul> <li>Aurangzeb (1658 – 1707 CE)</li> </ul>	217
•	Taluva Dynasty (1505 – 1570 CE)	190	<ul> <li>Economic and Social Life under the Mughals</li> </ul>	220
•	Aravidu Dynasty (1570 – 1650 CE)	192	<ul> <li>Later Mughals</li> </ul>	221
•	Salient Features - Administration and Militar	y,	<ul> <li>Decline of the Mughal Empire</li> </ul>	222
•	Revenue and Economy, Social Life and Cultu Contribution  Bahamani Sultanate (1347 – 1527 CE)  Prominent Bahamani Rulers and Military Commanders  Salient Features – Administration, Literature Economy and Society and Architecture  Vijaynagar – Bahamani Conflict Important Terminologies	192 194 195	19. Bhakti and Sufi Movements  • Emergence of Bhakti Movements  • Bhakti Movements in South India  • Role of Temples in South India  • Bhakti Movements in North India  • Different forms of Bhakti Movements  • Sufi Movements  • Sufi Philosophy	223-234 224 224 225 226 226 232 232
18.	1 3	199-222	Sufi Silsilas and Sufi Saints	233
	Early Mughals – Babur (1526 - 1530 CE) and Humayun (1530 – 1540 CE, 1555 – 1556 CE)	l	<ul> <li>Impact of Sufi Movements</li> <li>Foreign Traveller Accounts*</li> </ul>	234
	Legacy of Early Mughals	202	•	
	The Sur Empire (1540 – 1555 CE)		This Chapter is detailed covered in the	
	Shershah Suri	203 203	Pulse Art & Culture Hand Written Notes.	