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Second Semester M.A. Degree (CBCSS – OBE – Reg./Supple./Imp.)
Examination, April 2026
(2023 Admissions Onwards)
HISTORY
MAHIS02C06 : World History – II

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

SECTION – A
(Essay)

Answer **any two** questions.

1. Discuss the different stages of colonialism and the transition from merchant capitalism to finance capitalism.
2. Analyse the World System Theory and its explanation of global capitalism and slavery.
3. Examine the rise of Fascism in Italy, focusing on its domestic and foreign policies.
4. Define the concept of "Imagined Communities" and discuss the evolution of the Nation-State. **(2×10=20)**

SECTION – B
(Short Essays)

Answer **any five** questions.

5. Explain the core principles of Utilitarianism in the context of colonial administration.
6. What was the impact of Modern Science on the process of colonization ?
7. Describe the rise of Socialist movements in 19th Century Europe.

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8. Define Anti-Semitism and its role in Nazi ideology.
9. What is the significance of the Non-Aligned Movement (NAM) ?
10. Briefly outline the colonization of Africa during the "Scramble for Africa".
11. What were the primary goals of Arab Nationalism ? **(5×5=25)**

SECTION – C

Answer **any five** in the following in **one** paragraph.

12. Define imperialism.
13. What is the "Common Wealth of Nations" ?
14. Name two major socialist thinkers of the 19th Century.
15. What is the "Core and Periphery" in World System Theory ?
16. Mention one effect of the colonization of China.
17. What is Ultra-nationalism ?
18. Define the policy of Appeasement.
19. What is the "White Man's Burden" ? **(5×3=15)**