

SYLLABUS

of the

Value-added Course

Communicative Skill in History (HISVAC 002)

(w.e.f. 2022-2023)



Offered by:

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY
Panskura Banamali College
(AUTONOMOUS)

Panskura R.S., Purba Medinipur
West Bengal – 721152

COURSE INFORMATION IN BRIEF

Course Name: *Communicative Skill in History*

Course Contents: Course layout, Course Outcome, rules & regulations

Course Type: Value-added Course
(Optional, additional, and not a part of the CBCS curriculum)

Medium: Bengali, English

Mode: Offline & Online

Intake: Minimum 20; Maximum 90

Eligibility: +XII, Any interested candidate in History & Culture

Duration: 30 hours (to complete within a time span of 2 months)

Course Fees: Rs. 299

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Structure & Contents

Course HISVAC 002: Communicative Skill in History

Course Outcome (CO): The course intends to impart knowledge, practice and skill of learning history, doing historical research and teaching history at various levels. It will also involve working in the archives and museums to enable students work in such institutions as well as in projects and other related employment opportunities.

Course Contents:

1. Learning History – Analytical, Communicative and Organizational Skills
2. Visiting Archives – identification and classification of sources published and unpublished documents – Oral narratives
3. History in the digital age – new approaches of reading, research and teaching
4. Cultural Heritage and Cultural Property – Visitor Engagement and Marketing

Select Readings:

1. Breisach, E.: Historiography
3. Budd, A.: The Modern Historiography Reader - Western Sources
4. Cannadine, D. (ed.): What is History Now?
5. Carr, E. H.: What is History?
6. Elton, G. R.: The Practice of History
7. Fulbrook. M.: Historical Theory
8. Geyl, P.: Debates with Historians

9. Gilderhus, M. T.: History and Historians
10. Iggers, G. G. & Wang, E: Global History of Modern Historiography
11. Lemon, M. C.: Philosophy of History
12. Marwick, A: The Nature of History
13. Saloni Mathur, India By Design: Colonial History and Cultural Display, University of California, 2007
14. Sarkar, S.: Writing Social History
15. Southgate, B.: History: What and Why
16. Sreedharan, E.: A Textbook of Historiography
17. Tripathi, A.: Itihas o Aitihāsik
18. Sengupta, S. Experiencing History Through Archives. Delhi: Munshiram Manoharlal. 2004.
19. Guha, Thakurta, Tapati, Monuments, Objects, Histories: Institution of Art in Colonial Colonial India, New York, 2004
20. Kathpalia, Y. P. Conservation and Restoration of Archive Materials. UNESCO, 1973