



ADD ON COURSE

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Vivekananda Mahavidyalaya, Purba Bardhaman

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ON

**Socio- economic and political History
of**

Post-Independence India since 1964-1995

Date: From 16th August 2023

Total Classes: 36 Hours

Venue: Department of History, Vivekananda Mahavidyalaya

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Course Objective: The objective of the course is to provide the history of Post independence India after the end of Nehruian era. The students should know the history after Nehru which contains not only the Political history but also the society, culture and economic measures taken by the then Ministry of India. This syllabus helps the students of history to prepare themselves for different competitive exams in India and abroad.

Utility of the Course: This course will help the students to prepare themselves for NET, SET, WBCS and all type of UPSC exam including IAS, IPS exam etc. The course also will help the history students to select the topic of future research in History.

Eligibility: Any students perusing B.A/M.A in History or completed graduation/ post-graduation of preparing NET, SET, CUET, UPSC exam etc.

Evaluation: Upon the conclusion of this course, students will be required to appear in an examination to demonstrate their understanding and knowledge of subject. The exam will likely cover the various historical data related to the topics concerned.

Topics that will be covered during the course:

1. **PM Shastri Era (1964-1966)**

- Official language issue
- Food shortage, Economic crisis
- Indo-Pak war, Tashkent Agreement

2. **Indira Gandhi Era (1966-1984)**

- Split in congress
- Bank nationalisation
- Emergency
- 1971 war with Pakistan
- Janta movement

3. **Rajiv Gandhi Era (1984-1991)**

- Environment
- Modernisation of army
- Panchayati Raj
- Anti-defection law
- Dowry Prohibition Act

4. **Politics in the states:**

- Tamil Nadu
- West Bengal
- Jammu and Kashmir
- The Punjab Crisis

5. **Socio-Economic development**

- Indian Economy: 1965-1991
- Economic Reforms since 1991
- Land Reforms, Agriculture Growth
- The Green Revolution
- Caste, Un-touchability, anti-caste politics and strategies

How to enroll in the course:

Click the following Google form link :

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Last date for filling online forms :
16th August 2023

Certificate of the course:

Upon the satisfactory fulfillment of the course requirements, which include passing the examination and attending of classes, each candidate will be awarded an add-on-course certificate concerning the topic and syllabus of the course.