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MELVISHARAM - 632 509.

SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER - 2018

M.A., HISTORY

SEMESTER I

P18MHS101 – SOCIAL AND CULTURAL HISTORY OF TAMIL NADU

FROM SANGAM AGE TO A.D.1565

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION - A (5 X 6 = 30 Marks)

Answer **ALL** Questions.

1. a) Explain the literary sources for the study of Tamil Nadu.

(Or)

b) Mention the cultural life of the Sangam people.

2. a) Examine the growth of literature during the Pallava Age.

(Or)

b) Point out the features of Bhakti Movement.

3. a) Explain the contribution of First Pandyan Empire to Architecture.

(Or)

b) Bring out the economic conditions under the Imperial Cholas.

4. a) Write a note on literature under the Second Pandyan Empire.

(Or)

b) Mention the salient features of Architecture during the Second Pandyan Empire.

5. a) Trace the causes for the advent of Muslim in Tamil Nadu.

(Or)

b) Mention the contribution of Vijayanagar Empire to Art.

SECTION - B (3 X 15 = 45 Marks)

Answer **ANY THREE** Questions.

6. Discuss the Geographical features of Tamil Nadu.

7. Describe the contribution of Pallavas to art and architecture.

8. Explain the social condition of the people during the Imperial Cholas.

9. Analyse the social and economic condition of the people under the Second Pandyan Empire.

10. Explain the cultural progress the under the Vijayanagar Rule in Tamil Nadu.
