

**SIXTH SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION
MARCH 2013**

(CCSS)

History

HY 6B 12 – CONTEMPORARY KERALA

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

Section A (Objective Type Questions)

Answer all twelve questions.

Each question carries $\frac{1}{4}$ weightage.

I. (a) Name the following :

1. The Chairman of the States Re-organisation Commission appointed in 1953.
2. The author of 'Kerala Samuha Padhanangal'.
3. The new name given to the North Wayanad taluk consequent on the formation of Wayanad district.
4. The author of 'Communism in Kerala'.

(4 x $\frac{1}{4}$ = 1 weightage)

(b) Fill in the blanks :

5. In 1976 Silent Valley reserve forest area of Malappuram district was transferred to _____ district.
6. The activities of the CPI (M-L) came to be described as _____ movement.
7. The Adivasi Gothra Mahasabha occupied the Muthanga forest in January _____
8. The 'Manushi' that worked at _____ in North Kerala attracted the attention of the people as an organization for the protection of the rights of women.

(4 x $\frac{1}{4}$ = 1 weightage)

(c) Match the following :

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| 9. July 1, 1949 | Kerala University Act. |
| 10. 1957 | K. Venu. |
| 11. CRCCP (M-L) | Grandhasala Sangham. |
| 12. P.N. Panicker | Integration of Travancore and Cochin. |

(4 x $\frac{1}{4}$ = 1 weightage)

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Section B (Short Notes)

Answer all the nine questions.

question carries 1 weightage.

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14. **The Mini-Front of 1969.**
15. **Medicare Facilities in Kerala.**
16. **0. Land,**
17. **AX.**
- 18, **Kuttiyadi Police Station attack.**
19. **Kerala urbanism.**
20. **Status of Kerala as a consumer state.**
21. **Kerala Model of Development.**

(9 x 1 = 9 weightage)

Section C (Short Essays)

Answer any five questions.

Each question carries 2 weightage.

III. 22. **Trace the circumstances leading to the disappearance of feudalism in Kerala.**

23. **Examine the contributions of service organisations in Kerala.**
24. **Assess the impact of migration from the south to the north on economy, society and culture of Kerala.**
25. **Write a note on Literacy movement in Kerala.**
26. **Give an account of Janakeeyasutranam.**
27. **Highlight the significance of Chengara agitation.**
28. **Critically examine the problems faced by Kerala women today.**

(5 x 2 = 10 weightage)

Section D (Essay Questions)

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 4 weightage.

IV. 29. **Describe the significance of coalition politics in Kerala.**

30. **Trace the history of the development of education in Kerala after 1980.**
31. **Critically examine the contributions of Marxist-Leninist organisations in Kerala.**

(2 x 4 = 8 weightage)