

BACHELORS WITH HISTORY AS MAJOR (CT – I)
6th SEMESTER

HST622J1 HISTORY _ HISTORY OF MODERN KASHMIR

CREDITS: THEORY: 3; TUTORIAL: 1

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course intends to develop a basic understanding of how Jammu and Kashmir State was founded by Maharaja Gulab Singh and what was its impact on the economy and society. The course also underlines how the people responded to the policies of the Maharaja. The movements launched by the people are discussed to underline the role of the masses in putting colonialism to an end.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

After the completion of the course, the learners are expected to:

- *Critically engage with some of the important contemporary political, economic and social issues.*
- *Appreciate the contribution of the common masses and political leaders in bringing changes.*

THEORY (3 CREDITS)

UNIT-I

- The Foundation of Jammu and Kashmir State
- Nature of Dogra State
- Establishment of British Residency

UNIT-II

- Land Reforms
- Health and Education
- Emergence of Political Awakening: Uprising of 1931

UNIT-III

- Muslim Conference: Foundation and Role
- National Conference: Naya Kashmir Manifesto
- Ideological scenario towards the end of British Paramountcy

TUTORIALS (1 CREDIT)

- ❖ Life sketches of any one of the following:
 - Shaikh Mohammad Abdullah/Prem Nath Bazaz.
 - Visiting State Archives

SUGGESTED READINGS

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