

## Books suggested for Civil Services Exams

### Indian History

#### BOOKS ON ANCIENT INDIA:

- Wonder that was India - A.L. Bhashem
- Ancient India Social and Culture – Luniya
- Ancient India - an introductory outline - D.N.Jha
- An Advanced History of India - R.C. Majumda, H.C. Raychaudhuri, - Kalikinkar Datta
- Ancient India - L.Mukherjee

#### BOOKS ON MEDIVAL INDIA

- Advanced study in the History of Medival India - Volume I, II, III J.L. Mehta
- Medival India - Volume I & II Satish Chandra
- Wonder that was India – Rizzvi
- Medival India - L. Mukherjee

#### BOOKS ON MODERN INDIA

- Modern Indian History - Groover & Groover
- A struggle for Independence - Bipin Chandra
- Freedom Struggle – Bipinchandra
- Modern India - L. Mukherjee

#### NCERT BOOKS

- VIII, IX, X,XI,XII History

#### HISTORY BOOKS GUIDE

- Indian History - Krishna Reddy

- Indian History – Agnihotri
- Competition Wizard Workbook
- IGNOU Material
- Y.D.Mishra

**REFERENCE BOOKS OVERALL:****BOOKS ON ANCIENT INDIA**

- NCERT (11th)
- The Advanced History of India - Majumdar, Raychaudhuri & Datta
- The wonder that was India - A. L. Bashan
- Indus Civilization - (a) IGNOU booklet no. 2
- The rise of civilization of India and Pakistan - Bridget and Raymond Allchin
- Ancient India in historical outline (Revised and enlarged edition - 98) - D.N. Jha
- Mauryan : Ashoka and the decline of mौरyan empire - Romila Thapar
- Indian Feudalism - R.S. Sharma

**BOOKS ON MEDIEVAL INDIA**

- NCERT (11th)
- The Advanced History of India - Majumdar, Raychaudhuri & Datta
- Social life and cultural life of both Delhi Sultanate and Mughal India - J.L. Mehta
- A history of South India - K. A. Nilakanta Shastri
- IGNOU material (specially on agriculture and agrarian relations and culture)

**BOOKS ON MODERN INDIA**

- NCERT (12th)
- A new look into the modern Indian history - B.L Grover
- Freedom struggle - Bipin Chandra, Varun Dey and Amlesh Tripathy (NBT)
- India's struggle for independence - Bipin Chandra

- Modern India - Sumit Sarkar
- IGNOU material (specially on freedom struggle)

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