

**Jyoti Nivas College Autonomous**

**FIFTH SEMESTER PAPER - VI (A)**

**HISTORY OF MODERN EUROPE (1789 – 1945 A.D.)**

**60 HOURS**

**Objectives:**

- This paper intends to acquaint the students with the ideas of Revolution, Nationalism and Democracy
- To make the students appreciate the contributions of Great leaders.
- It will acquaint the students with the contributions of Europe to world culture .

**Outcome:**

After studying this course, students will be able to

- Evaluate the contributions of great philosophers and leaders to the transformation of Society and economy of Europe.
- To appreciate Europe of today this occupies a place of vital importance in world affairs.
- To examine the impact of dictatorships on the events of Europe and the World.

**UNIT I**

**INTRODUCTION**

**AGE OF MODERNISM**

Industrial Revolution and its impact- The French Revolution of 1789- Napoleonic Era.

(17 hrs)

**UNIT II**

**NATIONALISM AND UNIFICATION MOVEMENTS**

Italy and Germany – Contributions of Bismarck - Age of Armed Peace (1870-1914)

(16 hrs)

### UNIT III

#### EUROPE BETWEEN 1914-1929

World War I- Causes and effects League of Nations - Russian Revolution. The Great Economic Depression.

(11 hrs)

### UNIT IV

#### EUROPE BETWEEN 1930 – 45

Rise of Dictatorships: Fascism in Italy and Nazism in Germany - World War II – Causes and Effects

(12 hrs)

#### PLACES OF HISTORICAL IMPORTANCE:

(4 hrs)

(1) Alsace (2) Berlin (3) Constantinople (4) Frankfurt (5) Geneva (6) Leipzig  
7) Leningrad (8) London (9) Madrid (10) Milan (11) Moscow  
(12) Naples (13) Paris (14) Piedmont (15) Rome (16) Sarajevo (17) Vénice (18)  
Vienna (19) Versailles (20) Waterloo

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