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**B.Sc. (Hons.) Biotechnology  
First Semester**

**BIOT-Sem-I-II-T : History and Culture of Punjab from the Earliest Time to 1849**

**Time allowed: 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks: 45**

*NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. I which is compulsory and selecting two questions from each Unit.*

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I. Answer any five questions of the following in about 25-30 words:

- a) Town planning of the Harappan civilization.
- b) What was the position of women in the Vedic age?
- c) What is the importance of Taxila?
- d) Name two important orders of the Sufis in the Punjab.
- e) Define Masand system.
- f) What do you understand by miri and piri?
- g) When and where was Guru Arjan Dev martyred?
- h) Who were the Panj Pairas?
- i) What do you understand by Rakhi?
- j) Define Gurmata. (5x1)

**UNIT - I**

II. What do you know about the socio-economic life of the Harappan civilization?(10)

III. Give an account of the impact of Buddhism in the Punjab. (10)

**UNIT - II**

IV. What do you know about socio-economic life under the Lodhis in the Punjab? (10)

V. Examine the main features of Bhakti. (10)

**UNIT - III**

VI. Give an account of the new ideology of Guru Nanak. (10)

VII. Discuss the causes leading to the martyrdom of Guru Arjan Dev. (10)

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UNIT – IV

- VIII. Give an account of society during Maharaja Ranjit Singh's rule. (10)
- IX. a) Mark the following places on the outline map of the Punjab: Lahore, Ropar, Tarn  
Taran, Goindwal, Sanghol, and Kiratpur. (6x1)
- b) Write a brief note on any two places mentioned above. (2x2)