



**Indraprastha College for Women
University of Delhi**

Work Plan for ODD SEMESTER – 2026

Course Name:	BA (P)
Paper Title:	History of Europe: 1789-1870
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Work Plan			
Unit No.	Learning Objective	Lecture No.	Topics to be Covered
	This paper offers a historical overview of the development stemming from the French revolution and the subsequent period of revolutionary upheavals in Europe during the first half the nineteenth century. It traces the different trajectories of industrialization in various parts of Europe, the accompanying transformations in social life and the world of work, as well as the development of new ideologies that accompanied the formation of new social classes in the industrial era. Students will also be familiarized with the factors that fuelled the emergence of nationalism and nation-states in the given period.		
1		1	Background of The French revolution
		2	The French revolution - Causes
		3	The French revolution - phases

		4	The French revolution - legacy
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		36	Nations and nationalism 2. Unification of Germany

Unit	Contents/Syllabus
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II	Restoration and revolutions, 1815-1848 1. Congress of Vienna and Concert of Europe 2. Revolutions of 1830 and 1848
III	Socio-economic transformations in the early 19th century 1. Industrialization: patterns, changing nature of work, transformations in society, life in the industrial city 2. Social ferment: labour movements; rise of liberalism and early socialism
IV	Nations and nationalism 1. Patterns of nationalism 2. Unification of Italy and Germany

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3.	Joll, James. (1973). Europe Since 1870. An International History. New York and London: Harper and Row Publishers. [Chapters 2 and 3]. • Perry, Marvin et al (ed.). (2008). Western Civilizations: Ideas, Politics and Society. Ninth edition. Boston and New York: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Publishing Company. [Chapter- 21; Chapter-22: pp. 534– 541]. • Stearns, Peter. (2013). Industrial Revolution in World History. Fourth edition. Philadelphia: Westview Press & Perseus Books Group. [Chapters 2 to 4]. • Lang, Sean. (1999). Parliamentary Reform, 1785–1928. London and New York:

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4.	Cowie, L.W. (1985). Years of Nationalism: European History, 1818-1890.Hodder & Stoughton. [Parts 3 & 4]. • Craig, Gordon. (1966). Europe since 1815. Second edition. New York, Chicago, Toronto, London: Holt, Rinehart and Winston. • Lee, Stephen J. Aspects of European History 1789–1980. London: Routledge.1982 [Chapters 9 & 10]. • Seaman, L.C.B. (2003). From Vienna to Versailles. London and New York:Routledge, Taylor & Francis. [Chapters 10 and 11]. Edmund Burke: reflections on the French Revolution. • Blanning, T.C.W. (ed.). (2000). The Oxford History of Modern Europe. Oxford:OUP. [Chapters 2 and 4]. • Hobsbawm, E. J. (1996). The Age of Revolution, 1789–1848. New York: Vintage Books. • Merriman, John. (2002). A History of Modern Europe: From Renaissance to the Present. Vol. II. London and New York: W.W. Norton [Chapters 12 and 14].

Paper Components			
Credits	Lecture (L)	Tutorial (T)	Practical (P)
4	3	1	NIL
Assessment Scheme			
S.No.	Component	Marking Scheme	Total Marks
1	Internal Assessment		30
	• Assignment	12	
	• Class Test	12	
	• Attendance	6	

2.	Continuous Assessment (Tutorial)	40	40
		20	
		15	
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3.	Practical		
	- Continuous Assessment - End Term Written/Practical Exam - Viva		
4.	End Semester Examination		