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### NOTIFICATION

**Sub.: Implementation of the course 'The Maharaja of People' from 2022 Batch onwards.**


As per the approval of competent authority on 05.01.2023, the introductory subject on the life of Maharaja Ranjit Singh namely "The Maharaja of People (BMNCC0-052)" shall be taught in 3<sup>rd</sup> semester for the AICTE courses (UG) and in 4<sup>th</sup> semester for Non-AICTE courses (UG). It will be taught from 2022 Batch onwards as per the following details:

**1. Study scheme (Syllabus is attached as annexure):**

Subject Code	Name	Contact Hrs.			Marks			Credits
		L	T	P	Int.	Ext.	Total	
BMNCC0-052	The Maharaja of People	2	-	-	100	-	100	-

**2. Continuous assessment guidelines:**

Sr. No.	Evaluation Criteria	Marks
a.	One Mid Semester Test (20 marks)	20
b.	Two Quiz (Each of 15 marks)	30
c.	Two Assignments (Each of 15 marks)	30
d.	Viva-Voce (20 marks)	20
<b>Total</b>		<b>100</b>

  
Associate Dean (Academic Affairs)

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## THE MAHARAJA OF PEOPLE

Subject Code: BMNCC0-052

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Duration: 30 Hrs.

### UNIT-I (8 Hrs)

**The Early Life:** Early life of Maharaja Ranjit Singh, First battle, Death of Father, Act of bravery, Unifying Punjab, Coronation

### UNIT-II (8 Hrs)

**Conquests:** Jhang, Kasoor, Multan, Peshawar, Naushehra, Annexation of Peshawar into Sikh Kingdom, Jamraudh, Kashmir, Ladakh, Tibbet, Formation of State of J & K

### UNIT-III (8 Hrs)

#### **Administrative Capabilities**

**Administration:** Central Govt., Provincial & local Govt., Financial Administration, Judicial systems, Secular State, Military System, Creation of a regular force, Organization of Army, Recruitment & Payment, Education System, Pattern of the arts, a unique portrait, Touchstone, The court of Maharaja Ranjit Singh, Europeans at Sikh Court

### UNIT-IV (6 Hrs)

**The Legacy:** Diamond Kohinoor, Love for common Folk, A ruler much ahead of his times, Graciousness of Maharaja, True Nationalist, Maharaja's Notion of Nationalism & Secularism, the last journey, The enduring legacy of Maharaja, Secrets of popularity of Maharaja, Nature of Maharaja's polity.

#### **Recommended Books:**

1. Rajmohan Gandhi: Punjab: A History from Aurangzeb to Mountbatten, 2013.
2. Grewal, J.S.: The Sikhs of the Punjab, Cambridge University Press, 1968.
3. Khushwant Singh: A History of the Sikhs Vol. 1 1469-1839, Oxford University Press, 1963.
4. Untold story of Maharaja Ranjit Singh