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**ST. JOSEPH’S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), BANGALORE-27**

B.A – II SEMESTER

SEMESTER EXAMINATION -  APRIL 2018

**HS 215 : History, Society and Culture: Medieval Period**

**Time : 2**$½$**hrs                                                            Maximum marks : 70**

(For supplementary candidates of 2013 and 14 batches only)

Do not write the register number on the question paper

Please attach the question paper along with the answer script.

**SECTIONA A (ESSAYS)**

Answer any ***TWO*** of the following**:** (15x2)

1. Describe the main features of Alauddin Khilji’s economic reforms.
2. Trace the main stages in Akbar’s religious policy.
3. Explain the characteristics of the Maratha administration under Shivaji.

**SECTIONA B (Map)**

1. In the outline map provided, mark the following places and briefly mention their historical importance: ( 6+6 )

Devagiri, Agra, Surat, Amritsar, Ranthambore, Poona

**SECTIONA C (Short Notes)**

Answer any ***FOUR*** of the following: ( 5x4 )

1. Transfer of the capital by Muhammed Bin Tughluq
2. Sher Shah’s land and currency reforms
3. Effects of Aurangzeb’s Deccan Policy
4. Kabir
5. Position of Women During the Mughal Period
6. Art and architecture under Shah Jahan

**SECTION D (SHORT Answers**)

Answer any ***FOUR***of the following: (2X4)

1. The 1st Battle of Panipat
2. Chaitanya Mahaprabhu
3. Humayun Nama
4. Kwaja Moinuddin Chisti
5. The Buland Darwaza
6. Noor Jahan

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