

SUBJECT NAME – HISTORY OF INDIAN ARCH

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FOCUS:

Acquiring knowledge regarding various architectural styles of ancient India and their historic evolution with respect to factors influencing them e.g. climate, geographical location, culture, construction technology, etc. To develop the appropriate skills of reading, discussion and writing as well as understanding the physical experience of buildings in order to appreciate the complexity of the influences bearing on architecture, as reflected in the major historical periods.

- Critical appreciation characterized by technology, ornamentation, planning practices & influences in general.
- Detail study of one example

CONTENTS:

- Ancient Indian Architecture
- Architecture of Buddhist period
- Rock Cut Architecture
- Temple Architecture
- Islamic Architecture (Indo-Sarcanic Architecture)

SUGGESTED BOOKS

- Indian Architecture, Hindu & Buddhist by Percy Brown Taraporewala Publications
- Indian Architecture – Islamic by Percy Brown Taraporewala Publications
- Indian Architecture – Islamic by Grover Satish Vikas Publishing House
- History of Architecture by Sir Banister Fletcher
- Prehistory to post modernism by Marvin & Isabel