SRR&CVR GOVERNMENT DEGREE COLLEGE(A)

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

DEPARTMENT EXTENSION PROGRAMME IN SRI CHAITANYA HIGH SCHOOL **VIJAYAWADA**



PARTICIPATED CLASSES: CLASS IX AND X

STUDENTS

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EN Mounica Sai, who studied in JNU Delhi says, General studies/knowledge is a discipline that includes facts of almost all subjects such as geography, Indian polity, history, science, sports, current affairs, economy and many other miscellaneous topics. It is one discipline that makes us understand all the subjects.

However, history is the backbone of general studies/knowledge paper as most of the questions are from this subject. It tests a candidate's ability to grasp facts and understand concepts related to the past. Though it is considered a vast subject, it can be dissected and simplified to make it easy to answer every question asked by the paper-setter. If you are not intimidated by its vastness, this subject has a number of advantages: information is static, easier to grasp and there is plenty of study material easily available, both online and offline. It is considered as the mother of all subjects. Historians often call it mother of all subjects. The reason is that every subject has a history. You pick any subject and you need to read origin and development of that subject to understand it fully. For instance, to understand the Constitution of India, we need to first understand making of the Constitution. We can say this about other subjects like sociology and economics too. History is spread over many branches: political, social, economic, cultural and administrative. Earlier, the examiners focused more on the political perspective and most of the questions revolved around rulers and dynasties. However, the approach has undergone a change now with more emphasis on other branches of the subject. Here lies the catch: One can't understand other perspectives unless one is done with the political part.

OUTCOME OF THE PROGRAMME:

- 1. Students gained knowledge about the significance of History in competitive exams
- 2. They expressed their wish to become government employs