

# **SYLLABUS**

- **Architecture**: Indus Valley Civilization, The Mauryan Architecture, The Sungas, Kushanas, Satavahanas & Guptas, The Temple Architecture, Indo-Islamic Architecture, Modern Architecture
- **Sculpture**: Indian Sculpture and Different schools of Art
- **Indian Paintings**: Historical development - Wall Paintings, Cave and Mural Paintings, Miniature Paintings, Mughal Paintings, Rajput Paintings, Folk Paintings, Other Paintings, Modern Indian Paintings & Personalities
- **Religion and Philosophy**: Hinduism, Jainism, Buddhism, Islam, Christianity, Zoroastrianism, Judaism Philosophy: Six Schools of philosophy, Ajivika, Lokayata etc.
- **Indian Music**: Classical Music, Hindustani Music, Carnatic Music, Folk Music Tradition
- **Indian Dance**: Classical Dance forms in India, Folk Dances, Modern Dance in India
- **Puppetry and Theatre**: Different forms of Puppetry in India, Theatres in India: Folk Theatre, Modern Theatre, People Associated with Theatres, Indian Cinema and Circus
- **Language & Literature**: Indian Language, Indian Literature
- **Fairs, Festivals and Craft**: Religious Festivals, Secular Festivals (States & UT's), Art & Crafts
- **Science & Technology**, Ancient, Science & Technology, Medieval Science & Technology, Famous Personalities in Ancient and Medieval India
- **Promotion and Preservation of Indian Heritage**: Indian World Heritage Sites, Cultural Heritage Sites, Natural Heritage Sites, Important Institutions

## **Sources**

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