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## 38. A New Trend in Writing History of Subaltern Studies

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### Abstract

The subaltern approach centres on and around the people, as people constitute the central theme of history. The subaltern studies of history claims to be an Improvement on the elitist mode of exploring and explaining history. A subaltern is someone with a low ranking in a social, political, or other hierarchy. The consciousness and autonomy of lower class regarding consciousness is the foundation of Subaltern studies. Subaltern studies venture is thus to appreciate the people's consciousness and their action. Subaltern studies became an original site for a new kind of history from below, a people's history free of national constraints, a post-nationalist reimagining of Indian nation, on the other side, at the margins, outside nationalism.

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### Introduction

The subaltern approach centres on and around the people, as people constitute the central theme of history. The subaltern studies of history claims to be an Improvement on the elitist mode of exploring and explaining history. This mode of explaining history also known as "history from below" aims at constructing the paradigm of subaltern consciousness manifesting in different forms, at different places, and a different times. "History is the recorded struggle of people for ever increasing freedom and for newer higher Realisation of the human process. The common people possess the capacity to make history. In fact the historic initiative of the masses has time and again produced social cataclysms that have changed the world 'Subaltern studies' is a new trend of writing history, like other trends i.e. Imperialism, Primitivism, Nationalism, Marxism, Neo-Marxism, Feminism, Ambedkarism etc. The need of rewriting and revaluation on the basis of Narration of history is being expressed. Governmental documents, Govt. Reports, Reports of Revenue Department, Census Report, etc. are used to write subaltern studies. This new trend gave a way to new challenges by crossing the traditional writing of history. It provided a new direction, new amplitude and helped to begin a new chapter.