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Sixth Semester B.A. Degree Examination, March 2021

First Degree Programme under CBCSS

History

Elective

HY 1661.5 : INTRODUCTION TO ARCHAEOLOGY

(2018 Admission Regular)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

SECTION – A

Answer **all** the questions in **one** sentence or **two** each. Each question carries **1** mark.

1. Artifact
2. Site
3. Culture
4. OGS Crawford
5. Shadow Mark
6. Willard F Libby
7. Bhimbetka
8. Porkkalam Excavation
9. Edakkal Cave
10. Sarcophagus

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

SECTION – B

Answer **any eight** of the following in one paragraph each. **Each** question carries **2** marks.

11. Antiquarianism
12. Exploration
13. Acheulian.
14. Stratigraphy
15. Tree Ring Method
16. Horizontal excavation
17. Pitt Rivers
18. Thermoluminescence
19. ASI
20. Rock cut caves
21. Settlement Archaeology
22. Paleolithic tool
23. V Gordon Childe
24. Mehrgarh
25. NBPW
26. AMS Dating

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

SECTION – C

Answer **any six** of the following in not more than **120** words. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

27. "Archaeology is the study of past through material remains." Explain.
28. Discuss the relation of archaeology with anthropology.
29. What is under water archaeology?
30. Discuss the method for the excavation of a stupa or burial tomb.
31. Briefly explain the Carbon 14 dating method.
32. Define salvage archaeology.
33. What is pollen analysis?
34. Write a note on the Aerial Survey.
35. Give an account of the Megalithic typologies of South India.
36. Explain the relative dating method.
37. Explain the importance of Trial digging.
38. Describe the importance of archaeological museums.

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

SECTION – D

Answer **any two** of the following. **Each** question carries **15** marks.

39. Explain the evolution of archaeology as a scientific discipline.
40. Briefly describes the relation of archaeology with other social science disciplines.
41. Write an essay about the major archaeological excavation methods.

42. Give an account on the absolute dating methods.
43. Explain the major Early-Harappan cultures.
44. Write a note on the major Megalithic sites of Kerala.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)

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