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FOURTH SEMESTER MA. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JUNE 2015

(CUCSS)

History

HIS CSS 4E 111 – ARCHAEOLOGY THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVE

(2010 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 36 Weightage

Section A

Answer all the questions.

Each question carries a weightage of 1.

1. Heritage.
2. Artifact.
3. Industry.
4. Primary context.
5. Layer.
6. Site.
7. Geology.
8. Map study.
9. Burials.
10. Site Note Book.
11. Culture.
12. Archaeo-zoology.
13. New Archaeology.
14. Sampling.

(14 x 1 = 14 weightage)

Section B

Answer any seven of the following in a paragraph each.

Each question carries a weightage of 2.

15. Examine some definitions of Archaeology.
16. Discuss the interdisciplinary approaches to Archaeology.

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17. Discuss some sampling techniques.
18. Examine the method of Radio Carbon Dating.
19. Bring out the relevance of regional survey.
20. Discuss the relationship between History and Anthropology.
21. How far has underwater Archaeology aided in the understanding of sites?
22. Discuss post processual Archaeology.
23. Examine formation processes in the Archaeological record.
24. Discuss the Neolithic cultures.

(7 x 2 = 14 weightage)

Section C

*Answer any **two** of the following in an essay form each.*

*Each question carries a **weightage** of 4.*

25. Discuss the trends in Archaeological thinking since the 70's.
26. Describe the methods of survey and exploration in the understanding of prehistoric sites.
27. Discuss the archaeology of Indian Ocean trade.
28. How far have archaeological evidences enhanced our knowledge of stone age cultures.

(2 x 4 = 8 weightage)