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BACHELOR'S DEGREE (C.B.C.S) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2024
2021 ADMISSIONS REGULAR
SEMESTER VI - CHOICE BASED CORE (HISTORY)
HY6B15AB18 - Archaeology in India

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

Part A

I. Answer any Ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks

(10x2=20)

1. Define 'ecofact'. Give examples.
2. Define Historical Archaeology.
3. What is Cognitive Archaeology?
4. Explain the relation between Archaeology and Astronomy?
5. Distinguish between vertical and horizontal excavation.
6. What is the use of the 'quadrant method'?
7. Explain the meaning of crop mark.
8. Explain the pedestrian survey used in Archaeological explorations.
9. What are the main functions of the Archaeological Survey of India?
10. Who established the Asiatic Society of Bengal?
11. Describe the Buddhist history of Amaravati.
12. Write a note on the Badami Cave temples.

Part B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 5 marks

(6x5=30)

13. What are the goals of Archaeology?
14. What do you understand by New Archaeology? How is it different from Traditional Archaeology?
15. Discuss the relative dating techniques in Archaeology.
16. Comment on the different types of surveys conducted during exploration.
17. What is the necessity of recording Archaeological findings?
18. Name any four British historians of the colonial period and their contribution.
19. Write a note on the establishment of the Asiatic Society.
20. Write a brief note on the historical value of sites in Delhi.
21. Sketch the historical value of Bijapur.



Part C

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 15 marks

(2x15=30)

22. Write an essay on the sub-disciplines of Archaeology.
23. Explain the various exploration methods used in Archaeology.
24. Outline the history of archaeology in India.
25. Give a detailed description of the historical significance of any one of the UNESCO World Heritage sites in India.