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**FOURTH SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY)
EXAMINATION, APRIL 2024**

(CBCSS)

History

HIS 4E 01—ARCHAEOLOGY : THEORY AND PRACTICE

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

*Answers can be written **either** in English **or** Malayalam.
Only **one** language should be used throughout the Answer script.*

Section A (Short Answer Type)

*Answer any **four** questions.
Each question carries 2 weightage.*

1. How does a mound form ?
2. Explain the concept of three age system.
3. What is a Robber Trench ?
4. What is a Baulk ?
5. What is Antiquity Register ?
6. Explain the concept of uniformitarianism.
7. What is AMASRA ?

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

Section B (Short Essay/Problem Solving Type)

*Answer any **four** questions.
Each question carries 3 weightage.*

8. What is formation process ? Explain.
9. Discuss the role of Archaeological Survey of India.
10. Trace the history of Indian Archaeology from 1900 to 1950.
11. Discuss the megalithic types of South India.

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12. Examine the documentation methods of Excavation.
13. Explain the structure of an excavation report.
14. Critically examine the method of constructing archaeological culture.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

Section C (Long Essay Type)

*Answer any **two** questions.*

Each question carries 5 weightage.

15. Explain the theories used in archaeology.
16. Examine the scientific aids in archaeological excavations.
17. Discuss about the PGW and NBP cultures.
18. Elaborate Dendrochronology and TL dating Method.

(2 × 5 = 10 weightage)