PG Even Semester Examination, September, 2023

HISTORY

(2nd Semester)

Course No: HIS-555
(Principles and Methods of Archaeology)

FM: 70
Pass Marks : 28
Time: 3 Hours

The figures in the right margin indicate full marks for the question
Answer any five questions taking one from each unit.

UNIT-I

1. What is Archaeology ? Discuss the relationship between archaeology and science. 6+8=14

2. Write a note on history of Archaeology in India. 14

UNIT-II

3. Define archaeological excavation and also discuss its types. 4+10=14

4. Describe scientific methods used for archaeological exploration. 14

UNIT-III

5. Discuss the importance of dating in archaeology. Write about various methods of dating. 7+7=14

6. Write a detailed note on two common methods of absolute dating. 7+7=14

UNIT-IV

7. Write a note on documentation of excavated remains. 14

8. What is excavation report? Discuss its features. 14

UNIT-V

9. Write a detailed note on the archaeological remainings of Khaspur. 14

10. Write a brief note on any of the archaeological sites —

    (i) Khobak-Archaeological site

    (ii) Sivsagar— Archaeological site

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