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# B.A DEGREE (CBCS) REAPPEARANCE/ MERCY CHANCE EXAMINATIONS, APRIL 2026

## Second Semester

B.A History Model II Archaeology and Museology

## Vocational Course - HY2VOT14 - METHODS IN ARCHAEOLOGY

2017 Admission Onwards

2C997170

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

### Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

*Each question carries 2 marks.*

1. Photogrametry.
2. Vertical excavation.
3. Quadrant method.
4. Munsell chart.
5. Trench report.
6. Excavation Kit.
7. What is absolute dating method?
8. C-14 Dating.
9. Potassium-Argon dating.
10. What is field conservation?
11. Cold preservation of archaeological data.
12. Pompeii.

(10×2=20)

## Part B

*Answer any **six** questions.*
*Each question carries **5** marks.*

13. Explain the importance of map reading in the field survey.
14. Examine the advantages of horizonatal method of excavation.
15. Explain the horizontal method of excavation.
16. Examine the role of field director in excavation.
17. What is the difference between relative and absolute dating methods ?
18. Write a note on seriation. How far it helps in archaeological research?
19. Explain termoluminescence dating method.
20. What is dating ? Explain fluorine method of dating.
21. Examine the conservation method for textile.

(6×5=30)

## Part C

*Answer any **two** questions.*
*Each question carries **15** marks.*

22. What are the different types of excavation methods?
23. What are the components of an excvation report? Prepare a sample report.
24. Write an essay on absolute dating methods.
25. What are the methods of conservation of archaeological materials?

(2×15=30)