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BA DEGREE (CBCS) EXAMINATION , MARCH 2021

Fourth Semester

Core Course - HY4CRT06 - RESEARCHING THE PAST

(Common for B.A History Model I, B.A History Model II Archaeology and Museolog, B.A History Model II Communication and Publishing Science, B.A History Model II Forestry and Environmental History)

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Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks : 80

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

*Each question carries **2** marks:*

1. Point out the significance of interview method.
2. Define the role of titles and subtitles in a synopsis.
3. Define comparitive research.
4. Analyse the role of Visual Sources in historical reconstruction.
5. Define Oral History.
6. Numismatics
7. Negative Interpretative criticism
8. Structural Linguistics
9. What is subjectivity?
10. Index
11. Chicago Style
12. What is Op.Cit?

(10×2=20)

Part B

*Answer any **six** questions.*

*Each question carries **5** marks.*

13. Note taking is very important in the process of literature review. Comment.

14. Describe the four steps procedure of testing a hypothesis.

15. What is a research plan?

16. What is a secondary source and how is it different from primary sources?

17. Estimate the significance of textual analysis.

18. Write a short essay on Post-Structuralism.

19. Evaluate the role of objectivity in making social science a science.

20. Sketch the importance of generalisation in a research work.

21. Explain the importance of a good annotated bibliography.

(6×5=30)

Part C

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Each question carries **15** marks.*

22. What are the basic steps to be followed by the researcher to fix a problem for investigation?

23. Write an essay of the different categories of repositiories for historical research with special references to archives, museums and fields.

24. Give an account of kinds of causation theories.

25. Analyse the uses and abuses of history.

(2×15=30)