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BA DEGREE (CBCS) EXAMINATION , MARCH 2020

Fourth Semester

Core Course - HY4CRT06 - RESEARCHING THE PAST

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

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Time: 3 Hours Marks: 80

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

Each question carries 2 marks.

1. Elaborate the scientiic method.
2. What is the purpose of overview of articles while writing a synopsis ?
3. Elaborate the concept Negative hypothesis.
4. Describe the importance of archives
5. Desribe the significance of Photographs in research
6. Higher Criticism
7. Heuristics
8. Structuralism
9. Historical objectivity brings to light .....
10. APA style
11. Positive reasoning.
12. Bibliography Card

(10×2=20)

Part B

*Answer any **six** questions.*

Each question carries 5 marks.

13. Elaborate the different kinds of bias which may arise while formulating a research problem in the

study of History.

14. Discuss the role of limitations in historical research.

15. What are the key stages for conducting a historical research?

16. What is primary source? Why is it significant in interpreting the past events?

17. What is meant by Internal Criticism?

18. Estimate the importance of subjectivity in historical writings.

19. What is Repetiotion Theory?

20. What is generalisation in history?

21. What are the things that require citations ?

(6×5=30)

Part C

*Answer any **two** questions.*

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

22. What are the different types of research? Explain each type with the help of an example.

23. Write an essay on the importance and methods of oral history

24. Trace the significance of Derrida and Nietzche in the study of Post-Structuralism.

25. Briefly explain important techniques of research documentation.

(2×15=30)