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(India map to accompany)

**SIXTH SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MARCH 2020**

(CUCBCSS—UG)

History

HIS 6E 01/HYD 6E 01—PRINCIPLES AND METHODS OF ARCHAEOLOGY

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

**Section A (Objective Type Questions)**

*Answer all twelve questions.*

*Each question carries ½ mark.*

Name the following :

1. Author of the book 'Theoretical Perspectives in Indian Archaeology'.
2. Founder of Asiatic Society of Bengal.
3. Who discovered Lothal ?
4. A site where fragments of pottery are available is called:

Fill in the blanks :

5. Gordon Childe, the famous archaeologist was a native of \_\_\_\_\_.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ deciphered the Brahmi Script.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ is the author of the book "Archaeology in India".
8. \_\_\_\_\_ was known as the mount of dead.

Match the following :

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| 9. Industry | - Mount.         |
| 10. Tell    | - Hand axe.      |
| 11. Ecofact | - Pot Shred.     |
| 12. Site    | - Plant remains. |

(12 × ½ = 6 marks)

**Section B (Short Notes)**

*Answer any seven questions.*

*Each question carries 2 marks.*

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| 13. Mortimer Wheeler. | 14. Ethno archaeology. |
| 15. Antiquarianism.   | 16. S.R. Rao.          |

**Turn over**

17. Mapping of sites.  
19. Varve analysis.  
21. Sieving.
18. Amino acid racemization.  
20. Allchins.

(7 × 2 = 14 marks)

**Section C***Map Study-Locate the major Buddhist centers of India.*

22. Bodh Gaya  
24. Sanchi  
26. Ajanta
23. Saranath  
25. Kushinagar  
27. Rajagriha

(6 × 1 = 6 marks)

**Section D (Short Essays)***Answer any four questions.**Each question carries 6 marks.*

28. What is culture ? What do you mean by cultural evolution ?  
29. How far field walking and surveys helped to the archaeological exploration ?  
30. Write an essay on sampling.  
31. Describe the importance of archeological museums.  
32. What is the significance of the preservation and conservation of archaeological sites ?  
33. What do you mean by absolute and relative dating ? Highlights two important dating techniques.

(4 × 6 = 24 marks)

**Section E (Essays)***Answer any two questions.**Each question carries 15 marks.*

34. Write a essay on gender archaeology.  
35. Trace the growth and development of the Indian archaeology in the colonial period.  
36. What are the different steps involved in the preparation of an archeological report ?  
37. Assess the contributions of John Marshal to the development of excavation in India.

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)