

2022

(1st Semester)

HISTORY AND ARCHAEOLOGY

Course No. : 101

(**Historical Methods**)

Full Marks : 70

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. Explain why the study of causation is important for the understanding of historical events. 14

Or

Account for the development of historiography from the 19th century to the 20th century. 14

2. Examine the Greco-Roman substantial metaphysics. How far can this philosophy be considered as a defect in the classical historiography? 7+7=14

Or

Bring out the defects and the unhistorical nature of the ancient Indian historical tradition. 14

3. Critically examine the Sultanate historiography. 14

Or

Give an account of the Mughal historical tradition with emphasis on the different schools of thought. 14

4. Write short notes on the following : 7+7=14

- (a) Indian Marxist school of thought
(b) Traditional Indian concept of time

Or

Write short notes on the following : 7+7=14

- (a) Medieval church tradition (Christian historiography)
(b) Historical interpretation on any two Naga myths

(3)

5. What is gender? Explain the theories and concepts. 4+10=14

Or

Write briefly on the following : 7+7=14

- (a) The subaltern historiography
(b) Fernand Braudel's *The Longue Durée*

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