



**H & ARCH-103/23**

**2023**

( 2nd Semester )

**HISTORY AND ARCHAEOLOGY**

Course No. : H-103

**( Introduction to Prehistoric Archaeology )**

*Full Marks : 70*

*Time : 3 hours*

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

1. Write notes on any *two* of the following :

7×2=14

- (a) Aims of prehistoric archaeology
- (b) Prehistory and other allied disciplines
- (c) Major sources of prehistory

Or

- (a) Prehistoric period
- (b) Historical development towards the study of prehistory

- (c) Various types of prehistoric sites and what are primary and secondary sites?

2. Write notes on any *two* of the following :

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- (a) Climate changes within Pleistocene  
(b) Palaeolithic flake tools and techniques  
(c) Neolithic tools and techniques

Or

Write a critical summary on human evolution from the stage of *Homo habilis* to Cro-Magnon based on archaeological evidence.

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3. Write a note on the late glacial period Palaeolithic-Mesolithic transition.

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Or

Write notes on any *two* of the following :

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- (a) Various theories on the origin of the Neolithic  
(b) Mousterian debate  
(c) South African Rift Valley

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4. Describe the human evolution and cultural changes in the Indian sub-continent. 14

Or

Write notes on any *two* of the following :  
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- (a) Soanian industry
- (b) Rock art in Indian prehistory
- (c) Nevasa

5. Write notes on any *two* of the following :  
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- (a) Role of Cultural Resource Management for prehistoric archaeology
- (b) Cultural Resource Management in Indian archaeology
- (c) Development of Cultural Resource Management

Or

Explain the role of Cultural Resource Management in Indian prehistoric archaeology citing examples from works carried out.

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