

2021
M.Sc.
First Semester
CORE – 03
ANTHROPOLOGY
Course Code: MANC 1.31
(Fundamentals of Archaeological Anthropology)

Total Mark: 70

Pass Mark: 28

Time: 3 hours

Answer any five questions from the following.

1. Evaluate the relationship of archaeology with other disciplines, citing examples to support each relationship. 14
2. What is ethno-archaeology? Discuss on its importance and relevance. 14
3. Discuss in brief some exploration techniques used for locating archaeological sites. 14
4. Discuss on how the subsistence patterns of past populations can be reconstructed. 14
5. Why is chronometric dating important? Highlight the basic principles and the contributions of radio carbon dating towards archaeology. 2+12=14
6. Discuss in detail on quaternary environment and how understanding of environmental conditions contribute in interpreting archaeological data. 14
7. Write short notes on any *two*: 7×2=14
 - (i) Box grid method of excavation
 - (ii) Zonal concept for relative dating
 - (iii) Experimental archaeology

- (iv) Critical review of processual and post-processual archaeology
 - (v) Methods used for understanding the chronology of quaternary environment.
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