

2022

M.Sc.

Third Semester

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE – 02

ANTHROPOLOGY

Course Code: MAND 3.21 (C)

(Environmental Archaeology (Bio-Archaeology))

Total Mark: 70

Pass Mark: 28

Time: 3 hours

Answer five questions from the following.

1. What is environmental archaeology? Discuss on the contributions of bioarchaeology towards environmental archaeology. 4+10=14
 2. Citing some important sites, discuss on the spread of early agriculture in West Asia. 14
 3. Discuss on the theories proposed to understand the origin of agriculture. 14
 4. Discuss on the application of palaeontology in reconstruction of the past environment. 14
 5. Discuss on the Pleistocene fauna of India with special reference to Northern India. 14
 6. Discuss some quantification methods used for the reconstruction of archaeozoological materials. 14
 7. What is palaeopathology? Discuss on some acquired condition anomalies in detail. 14
 8. Write short notes on any two of the following: 7×2=14
 - (a) Environmental archaeology and archaeobotany
 - (b) Origin of agriculture in South America
 - (c) Pleistocene fauna recovered from Maharashtra
 - (d) Scope of archaeozoology
 - (e) Cite some congenital condition found in archaeological population
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