

**2023/TDC(CBCS)/ODD/SEM/  
HISSEC-301T/295**

**TDC (CBCS) Odd Semester Exam., 2023**

**HISTORY**

**( 3rd Semester )**

Course No. : HISSEC-301T

**( Archaeology and Museology )**

Full Marks : 50

Pass Marks : 20

Time : 3 hours

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

**SECTION—A**

Answer *fifteen* questions, selecting any *three* from  
each Unit : 1×15=15

**UNIT—I**

1. From which language is the word 'archaeology' derived?
2. Name one branch of study which is closely related with archaeology.

3. "Archaeology is the study of documents written by foreign travellers." Is the statement true or false?
4. What is processual archaeology?

UNIT—II

5. When was the Asiatic Society founded?
6. "Alexander Cunningham laid the foundation of the Asiatic Society." Is this statement true or false?
7. Who laid the foundation of Taxila Museum?
8. When was the Archaeological Survey of India established?

UNIT—III

9. Which Indus Valley site was discovered by R. D. Banerjee?
10. Name the first Indian to be appointed as the Director General of the Archaeological Survey of India.

11. Name an archaeologist associated with the excavation of the Indus Valley Civilization.
12. Who was Daya Ram Sahni?

UNIT—IV

13. Which archaeological site is known as Khajuraho of Assam?
14. By rulers of which dynasty was Madan Kamdev Temple built?
15. In which district of Assam is Khaspur situated?
16. Name the last Kachari king of Khaspur.

UNIT—V

17. What is museology?
18. "Curator is a keeper or custodian of a museum or other collection." Is this statement true or false?
19. Which is the oldest and largest museum in India?
20. Where is the Srimanta Sankardev Kalakshetra situated?

SECTION—B

Answer *five* questions, selecting *one* from each  
Unit : 2×5=10

UNIT—I

**21.** Name any two archaeologists of India.

**22.** Mention any two types of archaeology.

UNIT—II

**23.** By whom and where was the Asiatic Society founded?

**24.** Who was Sir John Marshall?

UNIT—III

**25.** Name any two books written by R. D. Banerjee.

**26.** When and by whom was Daya Ram Sahni conferred the title of Rai Bahadur?

UNIT—IV

27. Why is Surya Pahar famous?
28. When did Raja Gobinda Chandra die? When was his kingdom annexed by the British?

UNIT—V

29. Name any two Gods worshipped at Madan Kamdev temple.
30. Name any two types of Museums.

SECTION—C

Answer *five* questions, selecting *one* from each

Unit :

5×5=25

UNIT—I

31. State the major aims of archaeology.
32. Discuss the relationship between archaeology and history.

UNIT—II

33. Give an account of the establishment of the Asiatic Society.
34. Assess the contribution of Mortimer Wheeler in Indian archaeology.

UNIT—III

35. Assess the contribution of R. D. Banerjee in the field of archaeology.
36. What role did Daya Ram Sahni play in archaeological study?

UNIT—IV

37. Give an account of Madan Kamdev as an archeological site.
38. Discuss in brief about the Kachari Kingdom of Khaspur.

UNIT—V

39. Trace the history of museums in India.
40. Give a brief account of the National Museum, New Delhi.

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