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# B.A DEGREE (CBCS) REGULAR / IMPROVEMENT / REAPPEARANCE EXAMINATIONS, JANUARY 2023

### **Third Semester**

## Core Course - HY3CRT04 - CULTURAL TRENDS IN PRE COLONIAL KERALA

Common to B.A History Model I, B.A History Model II Archaeology and Museology, B.A History Model II Communication and Publishing Sciences, B.A History Model II Forestry and Environmental History

For Regular Candidates : 2017 Admission Onwards
For Private Candidates : 2021 Admission Only

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

Instructions to Private candidates only: This question paper contains two sections. Answer SECTION I questions in the answer-book provided. SECTION II, Internal examination questions must be answered in the question paper itself. Follow the detailed instructions given under SECTION II

#### SECTION I

### Part A

Answer any **ten** questions.

Each question carries **2** marks.

- 1. Vyppin Island
- 2. Travancore State Manual
- 3. Stone age
- 4. Topikkallu and Kudakallu
- 5. Naithal
- 6. South Indian temples
- 7. Manigramam
- 8. Muzhikulam Kacham
- 9. Tharavadu
- 10. Nangiar
- 11. Caste



12. Pulapedi

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ 

#### Part B

## Answer any **six** questions. Each question carries **5** marks.

- 13. Bring out the role Arabian Sea in Keral's ancient economy.
- 14. Trace the formation and consolidation of political hierarchy in ancient Tamilakam.
- 15. What were the different burial practises of Iron Age culture in Kerala?
- 16. Point out the advent and spread of Jainism in Kerala.
- 17. Bring out the impact of Brahmin Settlements in Kerala.
- 18. Critically evaluate Marumakkathayam and its economic implications.
- 19. Sketch the adminstrative set up under the Naduvazhis.
- 20. Trace the evolution and growth of Manipravalam literature.
- 21. Trace the conditions of Kerala on the eve of European arrival.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$ 

### Part C

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

- 22. How far folklore and oral tradition was beneficial in recreating Karela History?
- 23. Review the expansion and consolidation of agrarian society in early medieval Kerala.
- 24. Trace the evolution of Marumakkatayam system in the light of various theories and debates.
- Trace the growth of trade and trading centers under Naduvazhis.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$