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M A DEGREE (CSS) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2023

Third Semester

Faculty of Social Sciences

CORE - HY010304 - APPROACHES TO THE PRACTICE OF HISTORY

M A HISTORY, MA HISTORICAL STUDIES

2019 ADMISSION ONWARDS

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Time: 3 Hours

Weightage: 30

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions.

Weight **1** each.

1. Library research
2. 'The New Nature of History'
3. What is Source?
4. Mark Bevir's view on history and objectivity
5. What is History?
6. Positive reasoning
7. Historical revisionism
8. APA
9. Idem
10. Photographs

(8×1=8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions.

Weight **2** each.

11. Write on the function of theory and hypothesis in a research work
12. Is oral history scientific? What are its features?



13. Write on Textual Analysis
14. How do structuralism and post-structuralism influence historical writing?
15. What are the main objectives of research?
16. Examine the significance of causation in historical research
17. What do you know about GIS?
18. Write on digital mapping

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Weight **5** each.*

19. What is epistemology? Critically evaluate the structure of knowledge
20. Write on the contributions of Hans Georg Gadamer as a theoretician of hermeneutics
21. Is theory important in research?
22. Write on the possibilities of digital archives sources during pandemic

(2×5=10 weightage)

