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B.A DEGREE (CBCS) IMPROVEMENT / REAPPEARANCE EXAMINATIONS, MARCH 2023

Fourth Semester

CORE COURSE- HY4CRT06 - RESEARCHING THE PAST

(Common for 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)

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

Part A

Answer any **ten** questions.

Each question carries **2** marks.

- 1. Point the significance of Research objective.
- 2. What is the purpose of overview of articles while writing a synopsis?
- 3. Define Hypothesis.
- 4. Evaluate the significance of Imperial Record Department.
- 5. Evaluate the Oral History Association.
- 6. "Course in General Linguistics".
- 7. Historical objectivity brings to light
- 8. What is bias in history writing?
- 9. Determination in history.
- 10. Appendix.
- 11. What is Ibid?
- 12. Tertiary Sources.



 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Part B

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

- 13. Do you agree with the view that statistical method is indispensable in the study of history? Discuss.
- 14. What is the purpose of an introduction?
- 15. Point out the significance of critical studies in historical research.
- 16. The primary sources never have a necromantic potency denied to the secondary sources. Explain
- 17. Write a note on textual ananlysis.
- 18. Trace the causes of forgerry of documents.
- 19. Pointout the stages of Internal Criticism.
- 20. Write a short essay on Post-Structuralism.
- 21. History is an account of the rich heritage of the past. Evaluate it.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Part C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

- 22. How do you write a research paper? Prepare a sample one with emphasis on various steps included in the research methedology.
- 23. Write an essay on various non-conventional and visual sources and their application in social science research.
- 24. Describe the various types of generalisation.
- 25. What are the three major documentation styles used in historical research?

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$