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M A DEGREE (CSS) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2021

Third Semester

Faculty of Social Sciences
M A HISTORY

CORE - HY010304 - APPROACHES TO THE PRACTICE OF HISTORY

2019 Admission Onwards D2339F48

Time: 3 Hours

Weightage: 30

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions.

Weight **1** each.

- 1. Applied research
- 2. Carbon 14 method
- 3. Historical movies
- 4. Ghost writing
- 5. Research Ethics
- 6. Hayden White
- 7. Historian's Craft'
- 8. Glossary
- 9. Visual Cultural Archives
- 10. NDL

(8×1=8 weightage)





Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any six questions.

Weight 2 each.

- 11. Explain the concept of epistemology in History
- 12. Examine the merits and demerits of oral history interview method
- 13. Write a note on textual analysis
- 14. How do structuralism and post-structuralism influence historical writing?
- 15. What are the major research approaches?
- 16. What is plagiarism? What are the types of plagiarisms?
- 17. What is proof reading? What are the advantages of proof reading?
- 18. Write a note on spatial technologies

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any two questions.

Weight 5 each.

- 19. Explain the use of archaeological sources in historical research
- 20. Oral history is an authentic source of historical research. Comment
- 21. Write on generalisation in history
- 22. Write on referencing methods and its importance in research

(2×5=10 weightage)

