

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2017.

FIRST SEMESTER

History and Archaeology

Paper III — INTRODUCTION TO ARCHAEOLOGY

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

(No additional sheet will be supplied)

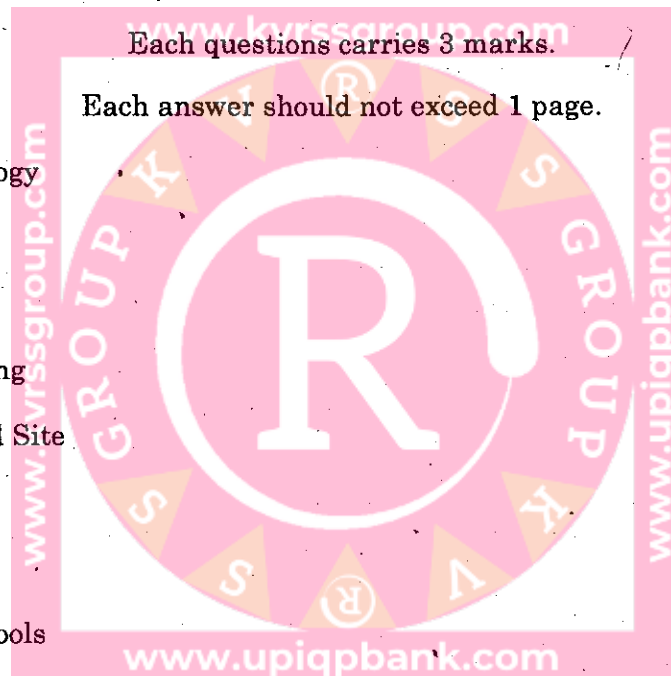
PART A — (5 × 3 = 15 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions.

Each questions carries 3 marks.

Each answer should not exceed 1 page.

1. Value of Archaeology
2. Dendrochronology
3. Chance Finds
4. Magnetic Surveying
5. Excavation of Tool Site
6. Photography
7. Level Surveying
8. Early Stone Age tools



PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Each answer carries 15 marks.

Each answer should not exceed 6 pages.

9. Define Archaeology and its Scope.
- Or
10. Explain the Relative dating methods in Archaeology.
 11. Describe the prospecting and preliminary survey methods in Exploration.
- Or
12. Write an essay on Ariel Photography.

13. Giving suitable sketches, discuss the importance of Excavation of Cemetery.

Or

14. Describe with sketches the methods of exaction used in the case of a stone circle of the Mesolithic burial complex.

15. Write an essay on Underwater Archaeology.

Or

16. Bring out Typology, Material culture and Chronology of the Neolithic Period.

