## M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 2019

## FIRST SEMESTER

## History and Archaeology

## Paper III — INTRODUCTION TO ARCHAEOLOGY

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks

(No additional sheet will be supplied)

PART A —  $(5 \times 3 = 15 \text{ marks})$ 

Answer any FIVE questions.

Each question carries 3 marks.

Each answer should not exceed 1 page.

- 1. Archaeology and Anthropology.
- 2. Types of Relative dating methods.
- 3. Chance finds.
- 4. Prospecting and preliminary survey.
- 5. Excavation of Fortification.
- 6. Photography in Archaeology.
- 7. Chain surveying.
- 8. Early stone age.

PART B - (4  $\times$  15 = 60 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

Each answer should not exceed 6 pages.

9. Examine the definition and scope of Archaeology.

Or

- 10. Explain the importance of C<sub>14</sub> dating method in Archaeology.
- 11. Examine the scientific methods of exploration.

Or

12. Discuss the importance of Aerial photography in Archaeology.

13. Explain the methods of excavations.

 $\quad \text{Or} \quad$ 

- 14. Write an essay on recording of Archaeological data.
- 15. Explain progress of underwater Archaeology in India.

Or

16. Explain the salient features of the Neolithic tools.

