



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY

B.Sc. Honours 2nd Semester Examination, 2021

ANTACOR03T-ANTHROPOLOGY (CC3)

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.*

1. Answer any **two** questions from the following within 800-1000 words each. 10×2 = 20
 - (a) Why the concept of chronology is important in prehistory? Briefly describe Dendrochronology dating method with its drawbacks. 2+8
 - (b) Briefly describe the upper Palaeolithic culture of Europe with tool typo-technological attributes. 10
 - (c) Why typo-technological analysis of tools is important in understanding the prehistoric cultural age? Briefly describe different stone tool manufacturing technologies found in Lower Paleolithic period. 2+8
 - (d) What do you mean by pre excavation stage? Write in detail different methods of Excavation. 4+6
2. Answer any **two** questions from the following within 300-400 words each. 5×2 = 10
 - (a) What do you mean by archaeological anthropology? Why Pleistocene epoch is important in anthropology? 2+3
 - (b) Write a short note on glacial and pluvial stages. $2\frac{1}{2} + 2\frac{1}{2}$
 - (c) Briefly describe the distribution of Acheulian assemblages in India. 5
 - (d) Briefly describe the Mousterian culture of Europe with its major tool types. 5
3. Answer any **five** questions from the following within 25-30 words each: 1×5 = 5
 - (a) Why Attirampakkam is famous in Indian prehistory?
 - (b) What is art mobilier and parietal art?
 - (c) What is stratigraphy?
 - (d) What do you mean by periodization in Prehistory?
 - (e) What is Oldowan tool?
 - (f) What is tortoise core?
 - (g) Mention the function of Baton de commandment.
 - (h) What is moraine?

4. Choose the correct answer of the following questions:

1×5 = 5

- (a) What is the meaning of Pleistocene?
(i) New (ii) Most new
(iii) Most Recent (iv) Entirely recent
- (b) Bhimbetka is situated in
(i) Andhra Pradesh (ii) Madhya Pradesh
(iii) Uttar Pradesh (iv) Arunachal Pradesh
- (c) 'Venus of Willendorf' is associated with
(i) Lower Palaeolithic (ii) Middle Palaeolithic
(iii) Upper Palaeolithic (iv) Neolithic
- (d) The book 'Prehistory and protohistory of India and Pakistan' is written by
(i) H. D. Sankalia (ii) H. H. Dani
(iii) D. Sen (iv) M. Wheeler
- (e) Laurel leaf points are associated with
(i) Acheulian (ii) Mousterian
(iii) Solutrean (iv) Maglemosean

N.B. : *Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.*

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