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**SECOND SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE (SUPPLEMENTARY) EXAMINATION
MAY 2016**

(UG—CCSS)

Core Course—History

HY 2B 02/HD 2B 02—METHODOLOGY OF HISTORY

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

Section A (Objective Type Questions)

Answer all twelve questions.

Each question carries ¼ weightage.

1. Who said : "History is the unfolding story of human freedom" ?
(a) Seignbos. (b) Rousseau.
(c) Lord Acton. (d) Seeley.
2. Who authored the work *What is History* ?
(a) Carr. (b) Collingwood.
(c) Bury. (d) Ranke.
3. What does the abbreviation *Ibid* in a foot note denotes ?
(a) The work cited. (b) In the place cited.
(c) In the same place of work. (d) Compare.
4. Which among the following is merely an organized presentation of the facts available in the source material ?
(a) Thesis. (b) Report.
(c) Dissertation. (d) Research Paper.

Fill in the blanks :

5. _____ is a critical study wherein you challenge the view point of someone and advance your own views and substantiate them.
(a) Exposition. (b) Description.
(c) Narration. (d) Argument.

Turn over

6 _____ is the study of history in a geographically local context and it often concentrates on the local community.

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| (a) Secondary sources. | (b) Oral History. |
| (c) Local history. | (d) Tertiary evidences. |

7. The first step of the research is _____.

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| (a) Collection of data. | (b) Analysis of data. |
| (c) Identification of the topic. | (d) Preparation of the synopsis. |

8. _____ is an example of a non documentary source.

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| (a) Numismatics | (b) Foreign Accounts. |
| (c) Archival Sources. | (d) Oral History. |

Write True or False :

9. In a research work the Index appears after the Appendix.
10. The numismatics is the study of inscriptions.
11. The Subaltern School focused upon the masses at the base levels of society than among the elite.
12. Microhistory is the intensive historical investigation of a well defined smaller unit of research.

(12 × ¼ = 3 weightage)

Section B

*Answer all the nine questions.
Each question carries 1 weightage.*

13. Hermeneutics.
14. Fallacies.
15. Card System.
16. Micro History.
17. Seminar
18. Hypothesis.
19. Oral History.
20. Causation in History.
21. Online Archives.

(9 × 1 = 9 weightage)

Section C

*Answer any five of the Short Essays.
Each question carries 2 weightage.*

22. Assess the importance of numismatics in the study of history.
23. What are the differences between qualitative and quantitative research ?
24. How important is the use of footnotes in a historical work ?
25. Briefly explain the development of Gender History.
26. What you mean by Oral History Movement ?
27. Analyse whether History is a Science or Art.
28. Explain the difference between a report and a research paper.

(5 × 2 = 10 weightage)

Section D

*Answer any two essay questions.
Each question carries 4 weightage.*

29. "History is the story of men living in societies". Discuss.
30. Explain the significance of archaeology and epigraphy in the study of history.
31. Explain the various steps involved in a historical research.

(2 × 4 = 8 weightage)