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FIFTH SEMESTER (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2022

History

HIS 5B 10—METHODOLOGY OF THE WRITING OF HISTORY

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: Two Hours and a Half

Maximum: 80 Marks

Section A (Short Answer Type)

Answer the questions in two **or** three sentences. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. Define Research.
- 2. Hypothesis
- 3. Numismatics
- 4. Folklore
- 5. Archival Files
- 6. Shodhganga
- 7. Hermeneutics
- 8. Toponymy
- 9. Glossary
- 10. MLA Handbook.
- 11. Op.cit.
- 12. The New Nature of History.
- 13. Paul Thompson.
- 14. Exposition.
- 15. Micro History.

(Celling 25 marks)

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Section B (Paragraph Type)

Answer the question in 100 words. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 16. Evaluate the factors to be considered in the selection of a research topic.
- 17. What is a hypothesis and elucidate its importance in historical research.
- 18. Analyse the historical importance of Folk literature.
- 19. Assess the importance of appendix in a research work.
- 20. Give an account on the important e-sources for historical research.
- 21. Explain different methods of citations.
- 22. Examine the importance of life history.
- 23. Prepare a model synopsis on a topic of your own choice.

(Celling 35 marks)

Section C (Essay Type)

Answer any **two** of the following questions.

Each question carries 10 marks.

- 24. Analyse the importance of archaeological sources for the reconstruction of the past.
- 25. Describe the processes involved in internal and external criticism.
- 26. "Oral history and local history provides alternative historical reading"—Discuss.
- 27. Explain the importance of footnote and bibliography in historical research.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ marks})$