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ANTHROPOLOGY

(Honours Elective)

Paper : ANT-HE-5016

(Indian Archaeology)

Full Marks : 60

Time : Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

1. Answer the following : $1 \times 7 = 7$

(a) Name a Megalithic site of North-east India.

(b) What is Daojali Hading famous for ?

(c) Who is the father of Indian Archaeology ?

(d) Who discovered middle Palaeolithic culture in India ?

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- (e) Ambari archaeological site belongs to which chronological period ?
- (f) Which is the world heritage site of Rock Art in India ?
- (g) What tools did the Soanian culture use ?

2. Give short answer of the following : $2 \times 4 = 8$

- (a) What is the importance of Soan valley ?
- (b) Which are the lower Palaeolithic sites in Southern India ?
- (c) What is the Soanian pebble tool tradition ?
- (d) What are the different types of Megalithic monuments ?

3. Write brief answer of the following : **(any three)** $5 \times 3 = 15$

- (a) Write the salient features of the Mesolithic culture of India.
- (b) Discuss about Bhimbetka rock shelter.
- (c) What is the socio-cultural significance of Megalithic monuments ?

- (d) What are the causes of decline of Indus Valley Civilization ?
- (e) Which are the upper Palaeolithic sites of India ? What tools were used in this culture ?

4. Answer the following : **(any three)** $10 \times 3 = 30$

- (a) Evaluate the importance of Neolithic Age in human history.
- (b) Discuss about the Megalithic culture of North-East India with example.
- (c) Discuss about the sites, artifacts and town planning of the Harappan Civilization.
- (d) Give a critical assessment of the Pleistocene chronology of India.
- (e) What is living prehistory ? Explain with example.