

Annexure XX

**SCHEME AND CURRICULUM OF EXAMINATIONS OF THREE YEARS
DEGREE PROGRAMME**

(Under Credit Based Continuous Evaluation Grading System)

BACHELOR OF ARTS

(Semester-II)

Session-2026-27

SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSES

INTRODUCTION TO ARCHAEOLOGY (SEC-I)

Course Code	Course Title	Hours/ week	Credits L-T-P	Course Type	Marks				Examination time (in Hours)
					Total	Ext.		CA	
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BARL-2270	INTRODUCTION TO ARCHAEOLOGY (SEC-I)	4	4-0-0	E	100	70	-	30	3

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Course Outcomes: -

After completing this paper the students will be able to

CO 1:- - understand the aims, and scope of archaeology in various contexts and to Recognize archaeology's interdisciplinary connections to fields like history, anthropology, and natural sciences.

CO 2:- - understand the evolution and significance of marine archaeology, exploring underwater sites and maritime heritage. To analyze the contributions of archaeology to understanding India's rich cultural and historical past.

CO 3:-understand the concept of stratification in archaeology and its significance in dating and interpreting sites. Learn about heritage, monuments, and archaeological legislations, and their role in preserving cultural heritage. Analyze the importance of conservation and management of archaeological sites and monuments.

CO 4Students will understand preservation methods for archaeological remains and antiquities. They will recognize archaeology's relevance to contemporary society and its role in shaping public awareness and cultural identity with its significance of preserving cultural heritage.

SYLLABUS

BACHELOR OF ARTS
SEMESTER-II
Session: 2026-27
SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSES
INTRODUCTION TO ARCHAEOLOGY (SEC-I)
Course Code: BARL-2270

Examination Time: 3 Hours
Credits L-T-P: 4-0-0
Contact Hours: 4 Hrs/ Week

Total Marks-100
Theory: 70
CA-30

Instructions for the paper Setters:

Eight questions of equal marks (specified in the syllabus) are to be set, two questions in each of the Four Sections (A-D). Questions may be subdivided into parts (not exceeding four). Candidates are required to attempt five questions, selecting at least one question from each section. The fifth question may be attempted from any section. Each question will carry 14 marks

UNIT-I

1. Definition, Aims and Scope of Archaeology, Use and misuse of Archaeology
2. Relation between archaeology and other disciplines

UNIT-II

3. Development of Archaeology in the India
4. History of Marine Archaeology

UNIT-III

5. Stratification in Archaeology
6. Heritage, monuments and archaeological legislations

UNIT-IV

7. Preservation method and Archaeological remains of Antiquities
8. Archaeology and Public Awareness: threats to archaeological sites, relevance of Archaeology to contemporary Society

Suggested Readings:

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