Instructions for Candidates

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks 75

Answers may be written either in English or in Hindi; but the same medium should be used throughout the paper.

समय: 3 घंटे
अधिकतम अंक 75

इस प्रश्नपत्र का उत्तर अंग्रेज़ी या हिंदी किसी एक भाषा में दीजिए; तेंदुए सभी उत्तरों का माध्यम एक ही होना चाहिए।

Attempts any three questions in all.

कुल तीन प्रश्न कीजिए।

All questions carry equal marks.

सभी प्रश्नों के अंक समान हैं।

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1. Examine the significance of archaeological sources for the study of Ancient Indian History. What are the scientific methods used to date artefacts?

2. What is Pre-history? Underline the salient features of Palaeolithic cultures of India.

3. Analyse various theories related to the origin of Harappan Civilisation.

4. Write an essay on agriculture, craft production and trade of the Harappan Civilisation.

5. Discuss the socio-economic condition of northern India during the Rigvedic period.

6. Assess the significance and geographical spread of Megalithic cultures of India.