



COURSE STRUCTURE WITH MARKS DISTRIBUTION
MONSOON (SPRING) SEMESTER

Course Code		M.A.Semester-I	Maximum Marks	Maximum Credits
ANC-501	Core	Aspects of Ancient Indian Culture (Political, Social and Economic Institutions)	60 Marks	05 Credits
ANC-502	Core	Political History of Ancient India (from 6 th Century B.C. to C. 185 B.C.)	60 Marks	05 Credits
ANC-503	Core	Indian Paleography	60 Marks	05 Credits
ANC-551	Elective	Group-A (Archaeology): Archaeological Theories OR	60 Marks	05 Credits
ANC-552		Group-B (Non-Archaeology): Elements of Indian Archaeology: Prehistory		
Sessional Test/Exam (M.A. Semester-I)				
Sessional Test/Exam(40 Marks)		Exam Schedule		Total Credits
Test-1*		Third week of September	20 Marks	-
Mid-Semester Exam		Third week of October	20 Marks	-
Test-2 *		Third week of November	20 Marks	-
End Semester		First/Second Week of December	60 Marks	
Semester-I: Total Maximum Marks/Credits			400 Marks	20 Credits

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WINTER (AUTUMN) SEMESTER

Course Code		M.A.Semester-II	Maximum Marks	Maximum Credits
ANC-504	Core	Aspects of Ancient Indian Culture (Religion, Philosophy, Literature and Art)	60 Marks	05 Credits
ANC-505	Core	Political History of Ancient India (from C. 185 B.C. to 319 A.D.)	60 Marks	05 Credits
ANC-506	Core	Indian Numismatics	60 Marks	05 Credits
ANC-553	Elective	Group-A (Archaeology): Archaeological Methods and Techniques OR	60 Marks	05 Credits
ANC-554		Group-B (Non-Archaeology): Elements of Indian Archaeology: Proto-History and Historical Archaeology		
Sessional Test/Exam (M.A. Semester-II)				
Sessional Test/Exam(40 Marks)		Exam Schedule		Total Credits
Test-1*		Third week of January	20 Marks	-
Mid-Semester Exam		Last week of February	20 Marks	-
Test-2*		Third week of March	20 Marks	-
End Semester		Third week of April	60 Marks	-
Semester-II: Total Maximum Marks/Credits			400 Marks	20 Credits



M.A. 1ST SEMESTER
COURSE CODE: ANC-501 (CORE)
Aspects of Ancient Indian Culture
(Political, Social and Economic Institutions)

UNIT-I

Introduction to Ancient Indian Culture

- a) The main characteristics of ancient Indian Culture
- b) Methods and approaches to the study of Indian culture:
Imperialist, Nationalist, Marxist

UNIT-II

Political Ideas and Institutions

- a) Origin, nature and functions of state
- b) Republics
- c) Monarchy and its feudal transformations

UNIT-III

Social Institutions

- a) Varna-caste system-origin and evolution
- b) Ashram system-nature and social significance
- c) Purusartha & Hindu Sanskaras

UNIT-IV

Social Institutions

- a) Position of women- their abilities and disabilities, proprietary rights and right to education
- b) Education system and educational Institutions: Taxilla, Nalanda, Vikramshila

UNIT-V

Economic Institutions

- a) Guilds: their organization, functions and their role in social and economic life
- b) Varta: Meaning and Significance, Agriculture and cattle rearing
- c) Trade and commerce

Books Recommended

Allchins B. and F.R.	-	Rise of Civilization in India and Pakistan
Altekar, A.S.	-	State and Government in Ancient India -Position of Women in Hindu Civilization
Aurobindo	-	Foundations of Indian Culture
Basham, A.L.	-	The Wonder that was India. -A Cultural History of India (ed)
Gopal, Lallanji	-	The Economic List of Northern India
Geeta Devi	-	Prachin Bharat Mein ShikshaVyavastha
Hiriyanna, M.	-	Concept of Indian Values -Outlines of Indian Philosophy
Gupta, Shiv Kumar	-	Bharatiya Chintan Ka Itihas
Kosambi, D.D.	-	The Culture and Civilization of Ancient India in Historical Outline
Majumdar, R.C.	-	Corporate Life in Ancient India
Mishra, Jaishankar	-	Prachin Bharat Ka SamajikItihas
Mishra, S.M.	-	Prachin Bharat Ka Arthikaltihas
Ojha, A.P.	-	Prachin Bharat Mein SamajikaStarikarana
Pande, G.C.	-	Foundations of Indian Culture-Meaning and Process of Culture.
Pandey, R.B.	-	Hindu Samskaras
Prabhu, P.H.	-	Hindu Social Organizations
Sharma, R.S.	-	Aspects of Political Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India (Hindi Tr.) -Sudras in Ancient India (Hindi Tr.) -Material Culture and Social Formations in Ancient India (Hindi Tr.)
Thapar, Romila	-	Cultural Pasts: Essays in Early Indian History
Thapalyal, K.K.	-	Guilds in Ancient India.
Tripathi, R.P.	-	Studies in Political and Socio-Economic History of Early India.
Yadava, B.N.S.	-	Society and Culture in Northern India in the Twelfth Century A.D.



M.A. 1ST SEMESTER
COURSE CODE: ANC-502(CORE)
Political History of Ancient India
(From 6th Century B.C. to C. 185 B.C.)

Note: To be taught with special reference to its Epigraphic and Numismatic basis.

UNIT-I

Sources

- Literary Sources: Indigenous and foreign
- Epigraphy as a source of Political History
- Numismatics as a source of Political History

UNIT-II

Beginnings of Historical Age

- Role of Buddhism and Jainism in the formation of kingship and state
- Political formation and second urbanization
- Mahajanapadas-Monarchical and republican states of sixth century B.C.

UNIT-III

Pre-Mauryan Period

- Persian invasion and its impact
- Rise of Magadha from Bimbisara to the Nandas
- Origin of the Nandas and achievements of Mahapadmananda
- Macedonian invasion and its impact

UNIT-IV

Mauryan Period

- Origin of Mauryas, achievements of Chandragupta Maurya and Bindusara
- Ashoka: Extent of empire, Dhamma and its propagation and estimate
- Mauryan administration
- Decline of the Mauryas

UNIT-V

Inscriptions Prescribed for Epigraphic study

Inscriptions of Asoka:

- Bhabru Edict
- Thirteenth Rock Edict
- Seventh Pillar Edict
- Minor Rock-Edict-I
- Girnar Rock Edict

Books recommended

Bhandarkar, D.R.	-	Asoka
Jha, D.N. & Shrimali, K.M.	-	Prachin Bharat Ka Itihasa
JayarajBhoy	-	Alexander's Invasion and its Impact
Mookerjee, R.K.	-	Chandragupta Maurya and His Times
Majumdar, R.C	-	Age of Imperial Unity
Narain, A.K.	-	The Indo-Greeks
Negi, J.S.	-	Groundwork of Ancient Indian History
Pandey, R.N.	-	PrachinBharata Ka Rajanitikaltihasa
Rapson, E.J. (Ed.)	-	Cambridge History of India-Vol. -1
Raychaudhuri, H.C.	-	Political History of Ancient India
Shastri, K.A.N. (Ed.)	-	Age of the Nandas and Mauryas
Sircar, D.C.	-	Select Inscriptions (IInd Ed.)
Sharma, G.R.	-	Reh Inscription of Menander and the Indo-Greek Invasion of the Ganga Valley.
Thapar, Romila	-	Asoka and Decline of the Mauryas



M.A. 1ST SEMESTER
COURSE CODE: ANC-503(CORE)
Indian Palaeography

UNIT-I

a) Inscriptions for Transliteration

- i. Rumindei
- ii. Girnar (First six lines) (Asokan edict)
- iii. Reh Inscription
- iv. Ayagapatta Inscription of Kausambi
- v. Ayodhya Inscription of Dhanadeva
- vi. Mehrauli Iron Pillar Inscription
- vii. Gandhakuti Lotus Lamp Inscription from Kausambi

b) Coins – Gold Coins of Samudragupta

c) Translation from Devanagari to Brahmi of the given period (Maurya, Kushana, Gupta)

UNIT-II

Origin and Antiquity of Writing in India

- a) Indus Script- its nature, problem of its decipherment
- b) Kharosthi Script – Origin and Development

UNIT-III

Development of Brahmi through different phases

- a) Origin and antiquity of Brahmi Script
- b) Features of Mauryan Brahmi
- c) Brahmi of Sunga Satvahana inscriptions

UNIT-IV

Development of Brahmi through different phases

- a) Brahmi of Saka-Kshatrapa inscriptions
- b) Brahmi of the Kushan inscriptions

UNIT-V

Gupta and Post Gupta Brahmi

- a) Brahmi of the Gupta period
- b) Development of Brahmi from Kutila to Nagari script
- c) Beginning of the Southern alphabets

Books Recommended

Aiyangar, S.K.	-	<i>The Historical Inscriptions of South India</i>
Buhler, J.G.	-	<i>Indian Palaeography</i>
Burnell, A.C.	-	<i>Elements of South Indian Palaeography</i>
Dani, A.H.	-	<i>Indian Palaeography</i>
Ojha, G.H.	-	<i>PrachinBhartiyaLipimala</i>
Pandey, R.B.	-	<i>Indian Palaeography, Part I</i>
Sircar, D.C.	-	<i>Select Inscriptions 2 Vols</i>
Sharma, G.R.	-	Reh Inscription and Indo-Greek Invasion of the Ganga Valley
Upasak, C.S.	-	<i>The History and Palaeography of Mauryan Brahmi</i>
Verma, T. P.	-	<i>Palaeography of Brahmi Script in North India</i>
Roy, S.N.	-	<i>BhartiyaPuralipi Evam Abhilekh</i>



M.A. 1ST SEMESTER
COURSE CODE: ANC-551 (ELECTIVE)
Archaeological Theories
(Group-A: -Archaeology)

UNIT-I

Ethnographical and Archaeological Perspective

- Archaeology, Ethnography and other allied disciplines-Definition and relationship with allied disciplines.
- The goals of archeological inquiry: archaeological context and evidence
- Archaeological analysis, description & reconstruction
- Archaeological explanation Evaluation.

UNIT-II

Basic Unit of Archaeological Inquiry

- Artifacts: Kinds of artifacts & technology
- Sites: Kinds of sites-geomorphological and functional
- Archaeological context: space and time
- Classification & nomenclature of archeological cultures and artifacts
- Interface between science and archaeology

UNIT-III

Environmental Studies

- Time scales: geological, anthropological and archaeological
- Geomorphology and archaeology
- The succession of climatic phases during the Pleistocene and Holocene

UNIT-IV

Pleistocene Stratigraphy & Chronology

UNIT-V

Valley Formation

- Glaciers & glacial formations
- River Valleys, terraces and sections

Books Recommended

Atkinson, R.J.C.	-	<i>Field Archaeology</i> (revised ed.), London
Allchin, B.	-	<i>Living Traditions: Studies in Ethno-Archaeology of South Asia</i>
Binford, L.R.	-	<i>New Perspective in Archaeology</i>
Brothwell, D.r.	-	<i>Science in Archaeology</i> (revised), London
Butzer, K.W.	-	<i>Environment and Archaeology</i>
Chakrabarti, D.K.	-	<i>A History of Indian Archaeology from Beginning to 1947</i>
Clarke, D.L.	-	<i>Analytical Archaeology</i> , London, New York
Clark, Grahme	-	<i>Archaeology and Society</i> , London
Clark, W.Legros	-	<i>The Fossil Evidence of Human Evolution</i> , Chicago
Cookson, M.B.	-	<i>Photography for Archeology</i> , London
Cotton, C. Ar	-	<i>Geomorphology</i> (4 th ed.), London
Crawford, O.G.S.	-	<i>Archaeology in the Field</i> (7 th ed.), New York
Daniel, G.	-	<i>150 Years of Archaeology</i> (2 nd ed.), London
Flint, R.F.	-	<i>Glacial Geology and the Pleistocene Epoch</i> (4 th revised ed.), New York
Hole, F. and Hetzer R.	-	<i>An Introduction to Prehistoric Archaeology</i> (3 rd ed.), New York
Kenyon, K.M.	-	<i>Beginnings in Archaeology</i> , New York
Leakey, L.B.S.	-	<i>Adam's ancestors</i> (4 th ed.), New York
Michael, H. Dray	-	<i>Guide to Fossil Man</i> , (3 rd revised ed.), New York
Oakley, K.P.	-	<i>Man the Tool Maker</i> (4 th ed.) London
Pandey, J.N.	-	<i>PuratattvaVimarsh</i> (Hindi)
Piggott, S.	-	<i>Approaches to Archaeology</i> , Cambridge
Renfrew, Colin	-	<i>Approaches to Social Archaeology</i>
Renfrew, Colin	-	<i>Theories, Methods and Practice</i>
Sankalia, H.D.	-	<i>Stone Age Tools: Their Techniques, Names and Functions</i>
Varma, R.K.	-	<i>BhartiyaPragitihas</i> (Methods and Techniques), Allahabad
	-	<i>KshetriyaPuratattva</i>
Wheeler, R.E.M.	-	<i>Archaeology from the Earth</i> , Baltimore
Zeuner, F.E.	-	<i>The Pleistocene Period, Its Climate, Chronology and Faunal succession</i> , London



M.A. 1ST SEMESTER
COURSE CODE: ANC-552(ELECTIVE)
Elements of Indian Archaeology: Prehistory
(Group-B: - Non-Archaeology)

UNIT-I

Methods and Technique

- a) Archaeology and Ethnography-definition and relationship with allied disciplines
- b) Introduction to Archaeological field methods & techniques

UNIT-II

Palaeolithic Cultures of India

- a) Sohan
- b) Belan
- c) Son
- d) Narmada

UNIT-III

Mesolithic Cultures of India

- a) Vindhya
- b) Ganga Valley

UNIT-IV

Neolithic Cultures of India

- a) Northern India
- b) Vindhya
- c) Southern India

UNIT-V

Transitional Phases

- a) Hunting, Gathering to Food Production
- b) Food Production to Urbanization

Books Recommended

Agrawal, D.P. and Ghosh, A. (eds)	-	<i>Radiocarbon and Indian Archaeology</i>
Allchin, B.	-	<i>Living Traditions: Studies in Ethno-Archaeology of South Asia</i>
Chakrabarti, D. K	-	<i>A History of Indian Archaeology from Beginning to 1947</i>
Misra, V.D.	-	<i>Some Aspects of Indian Archaeology</i>
Misra, V.N. and Mate, M.S. (eds)	-	<i>Indian Prehistory: 1964</i>
Misra, V.D. and Pal, J.N.	-	<i>Indian Prehistory: 1980</i>
Pal, J. N	-	<i>Archaeology of Southern Uttar Pradesh</i>
Pande, G.C.	-	<i>The Dawn of Indian Civilization</i>
Pandey, J.N.	-	<i>PuratattvaVimarsha</i>
Renfrew, Colin	-	<i>Approaches to Social Archaeology</i>
Renfrew, Colin and Bahn, Paul	-	<i>Archaeology: Theories, Methods & Practice</i>
Sankalia, H.D.	-	<i>Prehistory and Protohistory of India and Pakistan</i>
Sharma, G.R.	-	<i>K.C. Chattopadhyay Memorial Volume</i>
Sharma, G.R, V.D. Misra, D. Mandal, B.B. Misra and J.N. Pal	-	<i>Beginning of Agriculture</i>
Varma, R.K.	-	<i>BhartiyaPragaitihasaSanskritiyan</i>
	-	<i>-KshetriyaPuratattva</i>
	-	<i>-BhartiyaPragitihas (Methods and Techniques)</i>

Different Numbers of *Puratattva*, Journal of Indian Archaeological Society, New Delhi

Different Numbers of *Ancient India*, Bulletin of Archaeological Survey of India, New Delhi

Different Numbers of *Man and Environment*, Journal of Indian Society for Prehistoric and Quaternary Studies, Pune



M.A. IIND SEMESTER
COURSE CODE: ANC-504(CORE)
Aspects of Ancient Indian Culture:
(Religion, Philosophy, Literature and Art)

UNIT- I

Sources, Approaches and Early History of Religion

- Indus Religion
- Vedic Religion
- Buddhism and Jainism

UNIT-II

Later Religions

- Vaisnavism
- Saivism: Pashupata, Lingayata and other sub-sects.
- Other minor sects: Ajivaka, Saura, Shakta

UNIT-III

Philosophy

- Upanisad
- Bhagavadgita
- Sankhya and Yoga
- Vedanta (Shankara & Ramanuja)

UNIT-IV

Literature

- Date, Authorship, Nature, Content and Historical Significance of Manusmriti
- Kautilya's Arthashastra – Date, Authorship and Nature
- Milindapanho – Historical Significance
- Date of Kalidasa - Historical Significance of Malvikagnimitram

UNIT-V

Art

- Maurya and Sunga Art – Ashokan Pillars, Stupas of Sanchi and Bharhut
- Kushana Art: Gandhara and Mathura School of Art
- Gupta Art: Temple Architecture

Books Recommended

Agrawal, V.S.	-	<i>Indian Art (Hindi Translation)</i>
Allchin, B and F.R.	-	<i>Rise of Civilization in India and Pakistan</i>
Aurobindo	-	<i>Foundation of Indian Culture</i>
Basham, A.L.	-	<i>The Wonder that was India</i>
	-	<i>A Cultural History of India (ed.)</i>
Bhandarkar, R.G.	-	<i>Vaisnavism, Saivism and Minor Religious System (Hindi Translation)</i>
Geeta Devi	-	<i>Prachin Bharat Mein ShikshaVyavastha</i>
Hiriyanna, M	-	<i>Concept of Indian Values</i>
	-	<i>Outline of Indian Philosophy</i>
Gupta, Shiv Kumar	-	<i>Bharatiya Chintan Ka Itihas</i>
Kosambi, D.D.	-	<i>The Culture and Civilization of Ancient India In Historical Outline</i>
Mishra, Jaishankar	-	<i>Prachin Bharat Ka SamajikItihas</i>
Pande, G.C.	-	<i>Foundations of Indian Culture</i>
	-	<i>Baudha Dharma KeVikash Ka Itihash</i>
	-	<i>Meaning and Process of Culture</i>
Pandey, R.B.	-	<i>Hindu Samskaras</i>
Prabhu, P.H.	-	<i>Hindu Social Organizations</i>
Radha Krishnan, S	-	<i>Indian Philosophy, 2 Vols.</i>
Rowland, Benjamin	-	<i>Art and Architecture of India</i>
Sharma, R.S.	-	<i>Aspects of Political Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India (Tr.)</i>
	-	<i>Sudras in Ancient India (Hindi Tr.)</i>
	-	<i>Material Culture and Social Formations in Ancient India(Hindi Tr.)</i>
Thapar, Romila	-	<i>Cultural Pasts-Essays in Early Indian History</i>
Tripathi, R.P	-	<i>Studies in Political and Socio-Economic History of Early India</i>
Winternitz, M.	-	<i>History of Indian Literature – Vols. I & II</i>
Yadava, B.N.S	-	<i>Society and Culture in Northern India in the Twelfth Century A.D.</i>



M.A. IIND SEMESTER
COURSE CODE: ANC-505(CORE)
Political History of Ancient India
(From C. 185 B.C. to 319 A.D.)

UNIT-I

Sources

- Literary Sources: Indigenous and foreign
- Epigraphy as a source of Political History
- Numismatics as a source of Political History

UNIT-II

Post Mauryan Period

- The Sungas and the Kanvas
- Yavanas (Indo-Greeks)
- Chedis of Kalinga – Kharavela

UNIT-III

Sakas and Satvahanas

- Origin and early history of Satvahanas
- Achievements of GautamiputraSatakarni
- Achievements of VashishtiputraPulumavi
- Achievements of Rudradaman-I

UNIT-IV

Kushanas

- Origin and history of early Kushanas
- Kanishka I: Extent of the empire, date, cultural achievements
- Successors of Kanishka-I: Vashishka, Huvishka, Kanishka-II, etc.
- India on the eve of the rise of the Guptas

UNIT-V

Inscriptions Prescribed for Epigraphic Study:

- Ayodhya inscription of Dhanadeva
- Besanagar inscription of Heliodorus
- Hathigumpha cave inscription of Kharavela
- Nasik cave inscription of Vasisthiputra
- Junagarh inscription of Rudradaman-I
- Rebtrak inscription of the first year of Kaniska-I

Books Recommended

Jha, D.N. &Shrimali, K.M.	-	<i>Prachin Bharat Ka Itihasa</i>
Majumdar, R.C.	-	<i>Age of Imperial Unity</i>
Narain, A.K.	-	<i>The Indo-Greeks</i>
Negi, J.S.	-	<i>Groundwork of Ancient Indian History</i>
Pandey, R.N.	-	<i>PrachinBharata Ka Rajanitikaltihasa</i>
Rapson, E.J. (Ed.)	-	<i>Cambridge History of India-Vol. I</i>
Raychaudhuri, H.C.	-	<i>Political History of Ancient India</i>
Sircar, D.C.	-	<i>Select Inscriptions (IInd Ed.)</i>
Sharma, G.R.	-	<i>Reh Inscription of Menander and Indo-Greek Invasion of the Ganga Valley</i>
Thapar, Romila	-	<i>Asoka and Decline of the Mauryas</i>



M.A. IIND SEMESTER
COURSE CODE: ANC-506(CORE)
Indian Numismatics

UNIT-I

Origin and Early Coinage

- a) Origin and Antiquity of Coinage in ancient India
- b) Punch-Marked Coins
- c) Uninscribed cast copper coins

UNIT-II

Local Coins:

- a) Coins of Yaudheya, Arjunayana, Malava and Audumbara
- b) Coins from Taxilla, Panchala, Kaushambi, Ayodhya
- c) Indo-Greek coins

UNIT-III

Dynastic Coins

- a) Satvahana coins
- b) Saka-Pahlava coins
- c) Kushana Coinage:

UNIT-IV

Gupta Coinage:

- a) Gold,
- b) Silver
- c) Copper coins

UNIT-V

Early Medieval Coinage

Early Medieval Coinage: Problem of the paucity of Coinage

Books Recommended

Chattopadhyaya, B.D.	-	Coins and Currency System of Southern India
Gupta, P.L.	-	BharatiyaSikke
Sircar, D.C.	-	Studies in Indian Coins
RaizadaAjit	-	BhartiyaSikkon Ka Itihas
Singh, A.S.	-	Bharat Ki PrachinMudrayen
Sharma, I.K.	-	Coinage of the Satavahana Empire



M.A. IIND SEMESTER
COURSE CODE: ANC-553(ELECTIVE)
Archaeological Methods and Techniques
(Group-A: -Archaeology)

UNIT-I

Methods of Exploration: Traditional

- Literary Sources
- Village to Village Survey Maps

UNIT-II

Methods of Exploration: Scientific

- Geological and Aerial Maps
- Remote Sensing
- Under Water Archaeology
- Application of Scientific Equipment in Exploration

UNIT-III

Methods and Techniques of Excavation:

Designing & Layout of Trenches, Types of Trenches, Staff & Tools, Kinds of Excavation – vertical, horizontal, step excavation.

UNIT-IV

Stratigraphy & Stratification:

- Layers and their Identification, Numbering and Significance, Pits – Kind of Pits, their Numbering and Significance.
- Recording: Three – dimensional Techniques, their Significance; Photographic Recording, its Methods & Techniques; Drawings, its Methods and Techniques
- Excavation strategies involved in excavating: Stupa, Burials/Town/City, pits, Caves & Rock Shelters

UNIT-V

Chronology, Preservations & Reporting:

- Nature of Time in Archaeology
 - Relative Dating Methods: Stratigraphy, Typology, Pollen Analysis, Fluorine Test.
 - Chronometric Dating Methods: Radiocarbon Method (C-14), Potassium-Argon Dating Technique, Thermoluminescence (TL) Dating, Dendrochronology, Fission Track.
- Preservation and Conservation of Antiquities.
- Writing Excavation Report.
- Archaeology & Legislation: Antiquarian Law; Monument Acts.

Books Recommended

Atkinson, R.J.C.	-	<i>Field Archaeology</i> (revised ed.), London
Allchin, B.	-	<i>Living Traditions: Studies in Ethno- Archaeology of South Asia</i>
Binford, L.R. & Sally	-	<i>New Perspectives in Archaeology</i>
Brothwell, D.R.	-	<i>Science in Archaeology</i> (revised), London
Butzer, K.W.	-	<i>Environment and Archaeology</i>
Chakrabarti, D.K.	-	<i>A History of Indian Archaeology from beginning to 1947</i> , Delhi
Clarke, D.L.	-	<i>Analytical Archaeology</i> , London, New York
Clark, Grahme	-	<i>Archaeology and Society</i> , London
Clark, W. Legros	-	<i>The Fossil Evidence Human Evolution</i> , Chicago
Cookson, M.B.	-	<i>Photography for Archaeology</i> , London
Cotton, C.A.	-	<i>Geomorphology</i> (4 th ed.), London
Crawford, O.G.S.	-	<i>Archaeology in the Field</i> (7 th ed.), New York
Daniel, G.	-	<i>150 Years of Archaeology</i> (2 nd ed.), London
Flint, R.F.	-	<i>Glacial Geology and the Pleistocene Epoch</i> (4 th revised ed.), New York
Harris, E.C.	-	<i>Principles of Archaeological Stratigraphy</i> , (2 nd ed.), London
Hole, F. and R. Hetzer	-	<i>An Introduction to Prehistoric Archaeology</i> (3 rd ed.)
Kenyon, K.M.	-	<i>Beginnings in Archaeology</i> , New York
Leakey, L.S.B.	-	<i>Adam's Ancestors</i> (4 th ed.), New York
Michael, H. Dray	-	<i>Guide to Fossil Man</i> (3 rd revised ed.), New York
Oakley, K.P.	-	<i>Man the Tool Maker</i> (4 th ed.), London
Pandey, J.N.	-	<i>Puratattva Vimarsh</i> (Hindi)
Piggot, S.	-	<i>Approach to Archaeology</i> , Cambridge
Renfrew, Colin	-	<i>Approaches to Social Archaeology</i>
Renfrew, Colin & Bahn, Paul	-	<i>Archaeology: Theories, Methods & Practice</i> , London
Sankalia, H.D.	-	<i>Stone Age Tools: Their Techniques, Names and Probable Functions</i>
Varma, R.K.	-	<i>Bhartiya Pragatithas (Methods and Techniques)</i> , Allahabad
	-	<i>Kshetriya Puratattva</i>
Wheeler, R.E.M.	-	<i>Archaeology from the Earth</i> , Baltimore
Zeuner, F.E.	-	<i>The Pleistocene Period, Its Climate, Chronology and Faunal Succession</i> , London



M.A. IIND SEMESTER
COURSE CODE: ANC-554(ELECTIVE)
Elements of Indian Archaeology:Proto-History and Historical Archaeology
(Group-B: -Non-Archaeology)

UNIT-I

Harappan

- Antecedents
- Main features
- Decline

UNIT-II

Non-Harappan Chalcolithic Culture

- Kaytha
- Ahar
- Navdatoli (Malwa)
- Jorwe
- Copper-Hoards

UNIT-III

Antiquity of Iron

- Archaeological evidence
- Literary evidence

UNIT-IV

Iron Age Cultures of North India

- P.G.W.
- N.B.P.W.

UNIT-V

Iron Age Culture of South India

- Megalithic Cultures
- India's contact with the Roman world

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