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Question Paper

B.A. Honours Examinations 2021

(Under CBCS Pattern)

Semester - III

Subject : LIBRARY & INFORMATION STUDIES

Paper : C 7 T

(Preservation and Conservation of Library Materials)

Full Marks : 60

Time : 3 Hours

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.
The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

(Theory)

Group-A

A. Answer any ***four*** of the following questions : 12×4=48

1. What do you mean by the term "Preservation"? Discuss the need of preservation in a library. 2+10

2. Define the term "conservation". Differentiate it from the preservation of library materials. 2+10

3. Discuss various restoration factors for deterioration of library materials. 12

4. Which curative measures should be followed in a college library for restoration of documents? 12

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5. State various steps to be followed for development of a modern preservation centre in a library. 12

6. State how modern conservation treatment should be followed for electronic materials in a library. 12

7. Define binding. Explain its different types. 2+10

8. Discuss the external factors responsible for the deterioration of library materials. 12

Group-B

B. Answer any ***six*** of the following questions : 2×6=12

1. Define lamination. 2

2. Write two names of chemicals needed for chemical preservation of library materials. 2

3. Define mending of library materials. 2

4. What is the use of a fumigation chamber? 2

5. Write the names of two chemicals used in fumigation chamber. 2

6. State how de-acidification can be useful for conservation of paper. 2

7. Write briefly about the benefits of digitization of library books. 2

8. Name five insects causing damage to library documents. 2

9. State how light affects the preservation of library materials. 2

10. Briefly state at least two restoration processes in the library. 2

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