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**V Semester B.A. Degree (CCSS-Reg./Supple./Imp.)**  
**Examination, November 2015**  
**CORE COURSE IN HISTORY**  
**5B11 HIS : Archival Studies**

Time: 1½ Hours

Max. Weightage :15

I. Objective type questions.

Weightage :1

- 1) The term 'Archives' originated from the  
a) India                      b) China                      c) Greek                      d) French
- 2) The Tamil Nadu State Archives is situated at  
a) Madurai                      b) Coimbatore                      c) Nagarcoil                      d) None of these
- 3) An important atmospheric factor deciding the decay of archival document is  
a) Climate                      b) Insects  
c) Quality of the ink                      d) Cellulose
- 4) The Archives directorate in kerala is situated at  
a) Thiruvananthapuram                      b) Kozhikkode  
c) Ernakulam                      d) Kannur

II. Answer **any four** in **one** or **two** sentences.

(Weightage : 1×4= 4)

- 5) Archeion
- 6) Diwan-I Insha
- 7) Fumigation
- 8) Record Keeper
- 9) Reprography
- 10) Cultural Value of Archival Records.



III. Write short essays on **any two** of the following.

(Weightage : 2x3=6)

- 11) What is a Record ?
- 12) What is the International Council on Archives ?
- 13) What are the differences between archives and libraries ?
- 14) What is the uniqueness of Archival Records ?

IV. Write essay on **any one** of the following.

(Weightage : 4x1=4)

- 15) Examine the definitions and characteristics of Archives.
- 16) Discuss the administration of archives.