2008-09

Time: 3 hours

Full Marks: 80

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Answer from both the Groups as directed.

Group – A
(Compulsory)

Answer all questions: 2×10 = 20

1. Select the correct option from the following:

(i) In which year Khuda Baksh Oriental Public Library was founded?
   (a) 1791  (b) 1891  (c) 1921  (d) 1931

(ii) What is known for the Scientific Administration of the libraries?
    (a) DELWET  (b) PODSCORB  (c) DESIDOC  (d) NASSDOC

(iii) Who is known for five Laws of Library Science?
     (a) Dewey  (b) Mcolvin  (c) Sayers  (d) Ranganathan
(iv) The first Library Act in India was passed in:
(a) 1850 (b) 1948
(c) 1960 (d) 2000

(v) Raza Library is located at:
(a) Lucknow (b) Kolkata
(c) Mumbai (d) Rampur

(vi) By which system books are arranged in the library?
(a) Indexing (b) Cataloguing
(c) Classification (d) Documentation

(vii) Who is the founder of Khuda Baksh Oriental Public Library?
(a) Salahuddin Khuda Baksh
(b) Mahamai Baksh
(c) Khuda Baksh
(d) Maula Baksh

(viii) National Library of India is located at:
(a) Lucknow (b) Ahmadabad
(c) Patna (d) Kolkata

(ix) By which method books are searched in a library?
(a) Index (b) Classification
(c) Catalogue (d) Bibliography

(x) Salarjung Museum is located at:
(a) Kota (b) Mumbai
(c) Hyderabad (d) Madras

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Group - B

Answer any four questions:

2. What are the Scientific Principles for the management of Oriental Libraries? Discuss. 15

3. Explain the contribution of 'Khanquals' in the development of Oriental Libraries. 15

4. What are the important methods for the preservation and maintenance of the collection of Oriental Libraries? 15

5. Explain the important features of Khuda Baksh Oriental Public Library (Patna). 15

6. What do you know about the following: 15

   (i) Manuscripts

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(ii) Catalogue cards

(iii) Bhoj Patra

7. Government Urdu Library (Patna) is a special library. Why? 15

8. Explain the role of Raja Rammohan Roy library foundation. 15

9. Give a brief out-line about the library of Imarat-e-Sharia, Bihar. 15

10. Name some important Oriental Libraries of Bihar. 15