TKM COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE, KOLLAM

DEPARTMENT OF ISLAMIC HISTORY

ARCHAEOLOGY

SYLLABUS

Duration: 30 Hours

Aim:

The course intends to familiarize the students with the basic aspects of

archaeology with special emphasis on its history, principles, methods, forms and

sources.

Syllabus:-

Module - 1

Introduction to Ancient Indian History, Culture and Archaeology – Archaeology

- Principles and methods - Excavations - Different forms of Archaeology -

Historical

Module - 2

Muslim Historiography and archaeology- Umayyad city, mosques and palaces-

Baghdad and Samarra- Spain and North Africa - Fustat and Cairo - Zangid and

Ayyubid Architecture - Mamluk Architecture - Ottoman architecture.

Module - 3

Sultanate and Mughal architecture - Field visits: Archaeological centres and

departments, palaces, mausoleums, museums etc.