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MAY-11

**M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION —
DECEMBER, 2019.**

First Year

Anthropology

INTRODUCTION TO ANTHROPOLOGY

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

PART A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

All questions carry equal marks

1. Define Anthropology.
2. How Anthropology related to other disciplines?
3. Define Culture.
4. Describe the characteristics of Primates.
5. Discuss about Arboreal and Terrestrial pattern of adaptation.

PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. Discuss comparative anatomy of Man and Apes.
 7. Explain the production and distribution of economy in tribal societies.
 8. Discuss cultural change from an International perspective with suitable examples.
 9. What are the theories of Organic Evolution? Explain briefly.
 10. Describe the various stage of human growth.
 11. Discuss the importance of studying human language from anthropological perspective.
 12. Discuss the emergence of agriculture in different stages.
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ANTHROPOLOGICAL THEORIES

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

PART A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. Define Historical Particularism.
2. Write short note on 'Social Evolution'.
3. Define the relation between myth and religion.
4. Explain Cultural Relativism.
5. Define Multilinear evolution.

PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. What is functionalism? Discuss the functional approach with suitable examples.
 7. Discuss the relevance of Structural Functionalism.
 8. Describe the L.P. Vidyanthi and his contribution in Indian Anthropology.
 9. Discuss the concept of Cultural Materialism.
 10. Explain the Ruth Benedict pattern of Culture, and her view on human culture and personality.
 11. What do you mean Post Modernism in Anthropology?
 12. Discuss the importance of Symbolic Anthropology and its major contribution in Anthropology.
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**ANTHROPOLOGICAL APPLICATIONS AND
RESEARCH METHODS**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

PART A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any **THREE** questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. Describe Participant Observation.
2. What do you mean Key Informants?
3. How do you make a Rapport Building?
4. What is the difference between the Primary and Secondary Data?
5. Define Interview.

PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. Discuss fieldwork tradition in Anthropology.
 7. Describe the Tools of data collection, and its limitation and advantages.
 8. Explain Qualitative and Quantitative Research.
 9. Ethnographic Methods: Discuss the relevance in Anthropology.
 10. Comment on the ethics in Anthropological Research.
 11. Discuss in detail on Research Design.
 12. What is Participatory Methods? Explain its significance.
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EVOLUTION OF ANTHROPOLOGY

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

PART A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any THREE questions

All questions carry equal marks

1. Write a short note on Mesolithic sites in India.
2. What do you mean Megalithic cultures?
3. What is the scope of Archaeology?
4. Define Varna system.
5. What do you mean by caste Mobility?

PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. What do you mean by Indus Valley Civilization? Explain in detail.
7. Write a detailed note on Neolithic cultures in India.
8. What are the Anthropological evidences were traced from Narmada Valley?
9. What are the sites in India, the Chalcolithic traces were made?
10. Write short notes on Indian culture and civilization.
11. What are the characteristic features of peasants in India?
12. Write a detailed note on ethnic composition of India?

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BIOLOGICAL ANTHROPOLOGY

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 75

PART A — (3 × 5 = 15 marks)

Answer any THREE questions

All questions carry equal marks

1. What are the branches of biological anthropology?
2. Discuss on embryonic stem cell.
3. Write the characteristics of skeleton morphology.
4. Explain bones and its types.
5. Write note on Dental Formula.

PART B — (4 × 15 = 60 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions.

6. Explain the process of Cell and Cell Division.
7. Write a note on Deciduous and Permanent teeth.
8. Describe the significance of consequences of evolution.
9. In what way the forensic anthropology helps in identification from skeletal remains and blood groups.
10. Explain the biological and cultural factor in evolution human skeleton.
11. Briefly discuss the role of forensic anthropologist in paternity diagnosis.
12. Explain the method of studying biological anthropology from applied perspective.