

MA/M.Sc. Examination, 2024

Semester- IV

Anthropology

Paper XXIX

(Theories and Methods in Social-cultural Anthropology)

Time: 3 hours

Full Marks: 40

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin

*Answer Question No. 7 and **any three** from the rest.*

1. Write about Diffusionism. Explain which school of diffusionism is called hyper-diffusionism? 5+5=10
2. Write in detail about Mallinowski's functionalism. 10
3. Write in nutshell on the theory of post-modernism with special emphasis on contributions of the theory to the discipline of anthropology. 10
4. Write a brief account on the contributions of Ruth Benedict for the School of Culture and Personality. 10
5. Write briefly on the theory of structuralism. 10
6. Give an account of the theory of anthropology of Feminism and how it brought change in the discipline of anthropology. 10
7. Answer **any two** of the following: 5+5=10
 - a. Cultural Survival
 - b. Culture Area
 - c. New Ethnography
 - d. Psychic Unity of Mankind

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Semester- IV
Anthropology
Paper- XXXII (Group B)
(Tribal and Minorities Studies in India)

Time: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 40

Questions are of values as indicated in the margin
Answer Question No.7 and any three from the rest.

1. Briefly discuss on identification and problem of identification of the Scheduled tribes? 5+5 = 10
2. Critically examine the colonial policy towards the tribes in India? 10
3. What is meant by Schedule area? Describe what you know about the sixth schedule of Indian constitution. 3+7 = 10
4. Who is Scheduled caste (SC)? Discuss in brief the constitutional provisions for the Scheduled castes. 3+7 = 10
5. Examine the relationship between forest policies and tribes of India. 10
6. What are the impacts of environmental degradation on society?
7. Write short notes on any two of the following: 5+5 = 10
 - a. The environment (Protection) Act.
 - b. Welfare programs of Scheduled tribes.
 - c. Watershed management.
 - d. Pre-Independence development initiatives in India.

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Paper XXXV

(Anthropology of Gender)

Time: 3 hours

Full Marks: 40

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin

*Answer Question No. 7 and **any three** from the rest.*

1. Write about misconceptions and stereotypes of Feminism 10
2. Write your understanding of Gender and Sex. Discuss briefly the role of popular culture in inculcating Gender roles and responsibilities as a socialization process 4+6=10
3. "The women and gender studies prioritize social change"-discuss the feminist praxis in detail. 10
4. 'Gender has been socially constructed'- write about how family structures and socialization facilitate the process of social constructionism of Gender in Indian Society? 10
5. Women have been caught up with the intersectionality of 'work and family' write an essay explaining the intersectionality. 10
6. What are the main ways of feminist praxis work? Elaborate. 10
7. Answer **any two** of the following: 5+5=10
 - a. Equal pay for equal work
 - b. Religious Taboos on Women
 - c. Crimes against women in India
 - d. Me too Movement

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Paper- XXXVI (Group B)
(Psychological Anthropology)

Time: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 40

Questions are of values as indicated in the margin
Answer Question No.7 and any three from the rest.

1. Discuss Albert Bandura's Social Learning theory? 10
2. Discuss Freud's Psychoanalytic approach to Therapy? 10
3. Critically analyze the concept of Totemism? 10
4. Discuss the stigma, prejudice and discrimination against people with mental illness? 10
5. What are the suicide warning signs and how to help them? 10
6. What are the symptoms of burnout? Discuss the tips for dealing with burnout? 10
5 + 5 = 10
7. Write short notes on any two of the following: 5+5 = 10
 - a. Psychology of cultural change.
 - b. Building self-esteem as an adult.
 - c. "7 Baby B's" or "Attachment Tools".
 - d. Factors affecting the perception.

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Paper- XXXIII (Group – B)

(Communication Anthropology)

Time: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 40

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin

Answer Question No.7 and any three from the rest.

1. Explain the importance of Communication studies in Anthropology? 10
2. Discuss the scope and focus of 'Ethnography of Communication'? 10
3. What is Interpersonal Communication? Discuss its theories? 3+7= 10
4. Critically discuss on advertising and public relations? 10
5. Write critical notes on Mass media and Family planning? 10
6. How mass communication led to changes in the people's various cultures? 10
7. Write short notes on **any two** of the following: 5+5 =10
 - a. Popular culture and Folk culture
 - b. E-commerce, E-Banking and E-Governance
 - c. Satellite Communication
 - d. Communication process

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Paper XXXIV
(Ecological Anthropology)

Time: Three Hours

Full marks: 40

Questions are of value as indicated in the margin.
*Answer Question No. 7 and **any three** from the rest*

1. Define Deep Ecology. Discuss Arne Naess' concept of 'individualism leads to selfishness'.5+5=10
2. Compare and contrast Ecological Anthropology with New Ecological Anthropology5+5=10
3. How does Marxian Cultural Ecology differ from that of Julian Steward?5+5=10
4. Explain Bronfenbrenner's Ecological model and 'fix the child' method.5+5=10
5. What is Ecological Overshoot? Highlight some of the measures of mankind to ward off the 'global collapse'5+5=10
6. Discuss 'Oceanix floating Cities' and 'SpaceX's making life multi-species' in response to technological & climatic adaptation.5+5=10
7. Write short notes on **any two** of the following:5+5=10
 - a. *Ecophenes vs ecotype*
 - b. *Eco-nationalism vs Ecofeminism,*
 - c. *Allen's Rule vs Bergman's rule of adaptation*
 - d. *Green politics vs Political Ecology*