

M.Sc. 3rd Semester Examination, 2023

ANTHROPOLOGY

PAPER – ANT-302(A & B)(New)

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 hours

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

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

PAPER – ANT-302(A)

GROUP – A

Answer **four** questions : 2 × 4

1. Define nutrients.

2. What is marasmus ?
3. What is FFM ?
4. Define secular trend.
5. What is catch up growth ?
6. What is food taboo ?

GROUP—B

Answer **four** questions : 4 × 4

7. Outline the various methods of estimating dietary intake indicating the advantages and limitations of each method.
8. Write short note on food choices.
9. Briefly discuss the nutritional risk of pregnant women.

10. Mention the different methods of evaluating nutritional status mentioning the utility and advantage of each.
11. Evaluate the nutritional status of a man with stature 149.6 cm and weight 48.3 kgs. Show all your working clearly.
12. Differentiate between stunting, under weight and wasting.

GROUP – C

Answer **two** questions : 8 × 2

13. Discuss the nutritional status of West Bengal.
14. Discuss the effects of hormones on growth.
15. Highlight human variation in age at menarche and menopause.

16. Differentiate between longitudinal and cross-sectional methods of growth study.

[Internal Assessment – 10 Marks]

PAPER – ANT-302(B)

(*Theories in Socio-cultural Anthropology*)

GROUP – A

Answer **four** questions from the following : 2 × 4

1. What do you mean by nomothetic and ideographic approaches ?
2. What is neo-evolutionism ?
3. What are the components of culture according to Leslie White ?
4. What is utilitarianism ?

5. What is neo-positivism ? How is it different from positivism ?
6. Give two publications of A. R. Radcliffe-Brown.

GROUP—B

**Answer four questions
from the following :**

4 × 4

7. Write a note on Evans-Pritchard's contribution.
8. Discuss Malinowski's theory of needs.
9. Discuss Ruth Benedict's exposition about culture-personality relationship.
10. Write a brief note about Chicago school of thought.

11. Briefly discuss Frantz Boas' historical particularism.
12. Briefly explain Levi-Strauss' structuralism.

GROUP—C

Answer any **two** of the following questions : 8 × 2

13. Discuss L. H. Morgan's scheme of cultural evolution.
14. Discuss the Stewardian theory of cultural evolution.
15. Discuss briefly Radcliffe-Brown's idea about social structure.
16. Critically evaluate Bourdieu's concepts of 'cultural capital' and 'habitus'.

[Internal Assessment — 10 Marks]
