

2015

( May )

ANTHROPOLOGY

( Major )

Course : 201

( Social and Cultural Anthropology )

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32/24

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

1. Answer the following questions in 1 or 2 sentence(s) each : 1×8=8

(a) Who is the founder of Cultural Anthropology?

(b) Who authored the book, *The Little Community; Peasant Society and Culture*?

(c) Define community.

(d) What is mana?

- (e) What is taboo?
- (f) What do you mean by folkways?
- (g) What do you understand by informal means of social control?
- (h) What is ancestor worship?

2. Answer any *four* of the following questions within 75 words each : 4×4=16

- (a) Examine history and development of Sociocultural Anthropology.
- (b) Differentiate between magic and religion.
- (c) Describe Tylor's theory of origin of religion.
- (d) Discuss the types of property and their pattern of ownership in the tribal society.
- (e) What is meant by social structure?
- (f) Write about the concept of community.

3. Discuss the aim and scope of Sociocultural Anthropology. 14

Or

Define Sociocultural Anthropology. Elucidate its relationship with other allied subjects.

4. "Society is the web of social relationship." Discuss the statement and explain the characteristics of society. 14

Or

Discuss, in brief, the role of social organization and social institution in a society.

5. Examine any two theories on origin of religion. 14

Or

Write an essay on the functions of religion.

6. What is meant by primitive economic system? Discuss its salient features. 14

Or

Discuss the law and government in simple societies.

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