

2018

ANTHROPOLOGY

(Major)

Paper : 6.3

(**Social Anthropology**)

Full Marks : 60

Time : 3 hours

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

1. Give very short answers to the following :

1×7=7

- (a) Name the author of the book, *A Himalayan Tribe from Cattle to Cash.*
- (b) Name the first anthropological institute in India.
- (c) Who is regarded as the father of Indian Anthropology?
- (d) Write the name of a famous book authored by M. N. Srinivas.

- (e) When did the subject Anthropology receive formal recognition as a scholarly discipline?
- (f) In which year Anthropological Survey of India was established?
- (g) The history of Indian Anthropology can be divided into how many phases?

2. Give short answer to the following : $2 \times 4 = 8$

- (a) What are the different types of Rina according to Indian tradition?
- (b) Write the name of two Scheduled Tribes of Assam.
- (c) Name the stages of Varnashram according to Indian tradition.
- (d) Write two constitutional provisions for Scheduled Tribes and Scheduled Castes in India.

3. Answer any *three* of the following : $5 \times 3 = 15$

- (a) Who are the peasants? Mention four important features of peasant in India.
- (b) Write a note on concept of Purushartha.

- (c) Write in brief about concept of Rina and Rebirth in Indian tradition.
- (d) Write in brief about F. Haimendorf.
- (e) Mention three merits and three demerits of joint family.

4. Answer the following :

10×3=30

- (a) Discuss an overview of emergence, growth and development of anthropology in India.

Or

Give a brief account of the significant contribution of D. N. Majumdar to Indian Anthropology.

- (b) Define tribe. Discuss the characteristics of tribe in Indian Context.

Or

Define caste. What have been the traditional functions of caste in India? Discuss in brief about the factors responsible for present changes of caste system in India.

- (c) Discuss about the unity in diversity of Indian culture and society.

Or

Define joint family. Discuss the salient features of Indian joint family as a part of Indian social system.
