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GAUHATI UNIVERSITY RESEARCH ELIGIBILITY TEST

## ANTHROPOLOGY

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**Section B (50 Marks)**

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1. A prohibitive rule not permitting marriage with a particular group or related individuals is
  - (A) Hypergamy
  - (B) Endogamy
  - (C) Exogamy
  - (D) None
2. Who amongst the following held the view that division of labour in modern societies is the principle source of social cohesion or social solidarity?
  - (A) Auguste Comte
  - (B) Max Weber
  - (C) Emile Durkheim
  - (D) Herbert Spencer
3. Which of the following is usually used with reference to ethnography and is the description or study of one human group or community?
  - (A) Monograph
  - (B) Polynology
  - (C) Histogram
  - (D) Communism
4. The concept of *Sanskritization* was first used by M N Srinivas in his work
  - (A) The Remembered Village
  - (B) Social Change in Modern India
  - (C) India's Villages
  - (D) Religion and Society among the Coorgs of South India
5. Identify the tribe among which group marriage takes place
  - (A) Todas
  - (B) Chenchus
  - (C) Khasas
  - (D) Ho
6. Who wrote the book 'Social Structure'?
  - (A) Edmund Leach
  - (B) Levi-Strauss
  - (C) Raymond Firth
  - (D) R K Merton
7. J H Hutton is best known for his work
  - (A) Hindu Castes and Sects
  - (B) Caste in India
  - (C) Tribes and Castes in Bengal
  - (D) Hindu Customs and Manners
8. Who amongst the following gave the theory of animism
  - (A) Robertson Smith
  - (B) E B Tylor
  - (C) R R Marrett
  - (D) Emile Durkheim
9. Who amongst the following is called the Father of Indian Ethnology?
  - (A) S C Roy
  - (B) R P Chandra
  - (C) Gopal Saran
  - (D) O'Malley
10. Who amongst the following transformed the fieldwork in Anthropology and raised it into the status of an art and craft?
  - (A) Tylor
  - (B) Malinowski
  - (C) Eggon
  - (D) Boas

11. Which of the following is written by Verrier Elwin?
- The Changing Ho
  - The Baiga
  - The Chenchus
  - None of the above
12. What is term that denotes the seasonal movement of livestock and people between two regions associated with pastoralism?
- Domestication
  - Transhumance
  - Subsistence
  - None of the above
13. Name one matrilineal tribe of North East India.
- Khasi
  - Karbi
  - Angami
  - Apatani
14. Which amongst the following is not a form of exogamy?
- Marriage within the same lineage group
  - Marriage out of clan
  - Marriage out of one's own moiety
  - Marriage out of one's own phratry
15. Silent barter means
- Exchange of commodities secretly
  - Exchange of goods involving haggling
  - Placing the goods silently at a place expected to be collected by the other
  - None of the above
16. The belief in the existence of a world propelled by certain forces or deities of man's belief beyond the nature of his experience is
- Naturalism
  - Supernaturalism
  - Rationalism
  - None of the above
17. The notion that global forces take unique forms in or have unique effects on particular groups of people is
- Culture shock
  - Ethnocentrism
  - Glocalization
  - Clobalization
18. All blood group antigens are determined by x-chromosome.
- True
  - False
  - Both true and false
  - None of the above
19. Which statement best represents the meaning of the term evolution
- Changes in species toward greater complexity over time
  - Changes in gene frequencies in a population over time
  - The strongest individuals survive and produce most of the offsprings
  - Changes in an individual over time in response to natural selection
20. A correlation is the statistical test for
- testing the linear relationships among three continuous variables
  - determining degrees of freedom
  - testing the linear relationship between two continuous level variables
  - determining the significance level
21. For tests of relationship, the significance level is usually set at
- 0.10 as the criterion for making the decision to accept the research hypothesis
  - 0.01 as the criterion for making the decision to accept the research hypothesis
  - .05 as the criterion for making the decision to accept the research hypothesis.
  - 0.50 as the criterion for making the decision to accept the research hypothesis

22. The AB blood type is an example of
- (A) Blending
  - (B) Complete dominance
  - (C) Incomplete dominance
  - (D) Co-dominance
23. Which of the following disorders is not x-linked
- (A) Red/Green colour blindness
  - (B) Haemophilia
  - (C) Ichthyosis
  - (D) Cystic fibrosis
24. In a standard population pyramid the age range of each bar is
- (A) 5 years
  - (B) 10 years
  - (C) 15 years
  - (D) 20 years
25. A rise in the median age of a population is known as
- (A) demographic transition
  - (B) demographic ageing
  - (C) demographic instability
  - (D) demographic momentum
26. The difference between immigration and emigration is termed
- (A) migration difference
  - (B) net migration
  - (C) gross migration
  - (D) total migration
27. The most commonly used demographic tool for examining fertility, mortality, and migration by population is the
- (A) Dependency ratio
  - (B) Population Pyramid
  - (C) Internal migration measurement
  - (D) Urbanization measurement
28. Charles Darwin
- (A) was the first to apply the scientific method to examining evolution
  - (B) proved that evolution had occurred
  - (C) provided a mechanism to explain how evolution works
  - (D) disproved the biblical account of creation
29. The teeth of *A. afarensis* appear intermediate between ape and human teeth because
- (A) there is no diastema
  - (B) they have large, projecting canines
  - (C) their lower premolars are bicuspid with one cusp larger than the other
  - (D) A and C
30. The idea that humans can be improved by strictly controlled breeding is called
- (A) Eugenics
  - (B) Biosocial theory
  - (C) Genetics
  - (D) Evolution
31. . . . . is the study of disease in ancient human populations
- (A) Paleopathology
  - (B) Paleoanthropology
  - (C) Paleomedicine
  - (D) Paleoepidemiology
32. The collection of deleterious alleles in population is called
- (A) Genetic drift
  - (B) Selection
  - (C) Genetic load
  - (D) Migration
33. A classic example of . . . . . is the Dunker community of German town, Pennsylvania.
- (A) A population bottleneck
  - (B) Geographical isolation
  - (C) Founder effect
  - (D) Natural selection

34. Sickle cell anemia is caused by a change in the amino acid sequence of the two beta chains in the hemoglobin molecule. How many amino acids have been changed in each beta chain, compared to normal hemoglobin?
- (A) 1  
(B) 5  
(C) 10  
(D) Hundreds
35. Lewis Binford developed the concept of
- (A) Tool technology  
(B) New Archaeology  
(C) Development Archaeology  
(D) Industrial Archaeology
36. 'Aspects of Prehistory' was authored by
- (A) J G D Clark  
(B) A H Breuil  
(C) K Oakley  
(D) L Binford
37. The Butser Hill project on Experimental Archaeology was carried out by
- (A) John Dimbleby  
(B) Thor Heyerdahl  
(C) Ian Hodder  
(D) Peter Reynolds
38. The dating technique determined by counting the layers of silt deposits annually in glacial lakes by runoff from melting ice sheet is known as
- (A) Obsidian hydration  
(B) Varve Clay Dating  
(C) Thermoluminescence  
(D) Fission Track Dating
39. The rockshelter at Abri Pataud in the Dordogne was excavated by
- (A) Gordon Childe  
(B) Graham Clarke  
(C) Henry Breuil  
(D) Hallam Movius
40. The process that operates on organic remains after it dies to form fossil deposits is known as
- (A) Patination  
(B) Sedimentation  
(C) Taphonomy  
(D) Silicification
41. The first discovery of the potter's wheel was in
- (A) Mexico  
(B) Catal Hayuk  
(C) Mayacean  
(D) Mesopotamia
42. Willow leaf points were made by
- (A) Soft hammer technique  
(B) Step Flaking  
(C) Lavalloisian flaking  
(D) Pressure Flaking
43. Which of the following is the correct chronological sequence of sites?
- (A) Inamgaon, Hastinapur, Sarai Nahar Rai, Ambari  
(B) Ambari, Hastinapur, Inamgaon, Sarai Nahar Rai  
(C) Sarai Nahar Rai, Hastinapur, Ambari, Inamgaon  
(D) Ambari, Sarai Nahar Rai, Inamgaon, Hastinapur
44. Which of the following is a megalithic site of NE India?
- (A) Selbalgre  
(B) Daojali Hading  
(C) Umdiang  
(D) Nartiang
45. Which of the following Indus Valley sites now lie in Pakistan?
- (A) Rakhigarhi  
(B) Fatehpur  
(C) Banawali  
(D) Mehrgarh

46. Which of the following is not authored by V Gordon Childe?

- (A) The Danube in Prehistory
- (B) Man Makes Himself
- (C) The Dawn of European Civilization
- (D) New Light on Ancient Africa

47. Pre-boreal and boreal are climatic phases associated with

- (A) Mesolithic
- (B) Neolithic
- (C) Lower Paleolithic
- (D) Upper Palaeolithic

48. Thessaly in Greece is a

- (A) Mesolithic Site
- (B) Metal Age site
- (C) Copper bronze site
- (D) Neolithic site

49. The term 'fertile crescent' was coined by

- (A) R Braidwood
- (B) V N Misra
- (C) A H Breuil
- (D) H Breasted

50. Flat harpoon was the type fossil of

- (A) Maglemosean culture
- (B) Tardenoisian culture
- (C) Azilian culture
- (D) Asturian Culture

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**Section C (30 Marks)**

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**Answer any 5 (five) from the following**

1. Give a brief account of demographic studies done in the North Eastern India.  
(Marks : 6)
2. What do you mean by “Test of Significance”? Why is it so important to use them in any research work?  
(Marks : 6)
3. Differentiate between a questionnaire and a schedule.  
(Marks : 6)
4. What in your opinion are the major causes of tribal unrest in North East India?  
(Marks : 6)
5. Mention the typo-technological significance of Neolithic Culture.  
(Marks : 6)
6. Mention different methods of absolute dating and discuss any one of them in brief.  
(Marks : 6)

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