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## NTA NET Anthropology September-2013 Solved Paper II

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1. The term Emic refers to:

- a. Ethnocentric perspective
- b. Outsider's perspective
- c. Value-neutral perspective
- d. Insider's perspective

Answer: d

2. The cognitive aspect of religion is represented by:

- a. Prayer
- b. Offering
- c. Myth
- d. Worship

Answer: c

3. A pattern of residence whereby a married couple lives separately from the kin of both spouses is called:

- a. Patrilocal
- b. Matrilocal
- c. Neolocal
- d. Avunculocal

Answer: c

4. Who among the following, is associated with unilinear evolution?

- a. Edward B. Tylor
- b. Raymond Firth
- c. Ralph Linton
- d. Franz Boas

Answer: a

5. The first human to stand erect was the:

- a. Neanderthal man
- b. CroMagnon man
- c. Java man
- d. Homo habilis

Answer: c

6. Which one of the following is a prosimian?

- a. Loris
- b. Lemur
- c. Tarsier
- d. All of these

Answer: d

7. Who did the most to defend Darwin and his ideas?

- a. Wallace
- b. Darwin
- c. Thomas Huxley
- d. Samuel Wilberforce

Answer: c

8. Mendel's work was rediscovered independently by:

- a. Hugo De Vries, Morgan and Muller
- b. Lari Correns, Erich Von Tschermak and Bateson

- c. Carl Correns, Bateson and Punnet
- d. Hugo De Vries, Carl Correns & Erich Von Tschermak

Answer: d

9. Thellastatic Terraces are formed:

- a. At the meanders of the rivers
- b. Inside the caves
- c. At the end of the glacier
- d. At the mouth of the river

Answer: d

10. The one dating method among the following is NOT an isotopic dating method:

- a. Dendrochronology
- b. Carbon – 14
- c. Thermoluminescence
- d. Potassium-Argon

Answer: a

11. Who among the following are associated with 'Tribe – Caste Continuum'?

- a. DN Majumdar
- b. Surajit Sinha
- c. Sachchidanand
- d. FG Bailey

Code:

- a. 2, 3 and 4 are correct.
- b. 1, 2 and 4 are correct.
- c. 1, 3 and 4 are correct.
- d. 1 and 4 are correct.

Answer: a

12. Which of the following statements apply to culture?

- a. Culture is transmitted.
- b. Culture is static.
- c. Culture is learned.
- d. Culture is shared.

Code:

- a. 1 and 2 are correct.
- b. 1, 3 and 4 are correct.
- c. 1, 2 and 4 are correct.
- d. 2, 3 and 4 are correct.

Answer: b

13. Levi-Strauss's idea of 'elementary structure' rests on how many fundamental kin relationships?

- a. Two
- b. Three
- c. Four
- d. Five

Answer: c

14. A custom whereby a man is obliged to marry his brother's widow is known as:

- a. Sororate
- b. Levirate
- c. Filial inheritance
- d. Extended kin marriage

Answer: b

15. Lamarck believed in:

- a. An organism could 'will' itself to change to meet environmental challenges
- b. Natural selection

- c. In the inheritance of acquired characteristics
- d. A and (C)

Answer: d

16. Jaundice is caused by the presence of bilirubin in the blood plasma, which is a breakdown product of:

- a. Haemoglobin – Red blood cells
- b. Bilirubin – Red blood cells
- c. Albumin – White blood cells
- d. Prothrombin – Platelets

Answer: a

17. Which of the following are correctly matched?

- a. Indian Anthropological Association—Indian Anthropologist
- b. Indian Society of Human Genetics—Human Ecology
- c. Ethnographic & Folk Culture Society—Man in India
- d. Indian Anthropological Society—Eastern Anthropologist

Answer: a

18. Which one of the following statements about the hominoids is false?

- a. Hominoids includes gorillas, chimpanzee and humans
- b. Hominoids have larger brains than other primates
- c. Hominoids lack tails
- d. Hominoids typically are bipedal and walk erect

Answer: d

19. The one archaeological site in the following is NOT a Mesolithic site characteristic of Rock Art:

- a. Langhnaj
- b. Lekhania
- c. Bhimbetka

d. Adamgarh

Answer: a

20. In which of the sites the dog was buried along with the master?

- a. Tekkalakota
- b. Burzahom
- c. Daojali Hading
- d. Sarutaru

Answer: b

21. • **Assertion (A):** Societies that are built around matrilineal descent are not necessarily matriarchal.
- **Reason (R):** In a matrilineal society, a man's principal heir is not his son, but his sister's son.

In the context of above two statements, which of the following is correct? Codes:

- a. A is correct, but R is wrong.
- b. Both A and R are wrong.
- c. A is wrong, but R is correct.
- d. Both A and R are correct.

Answer: d

22. • **Assertion (A):** Among the Toda tribe, a woman marries a man but she is also the wife of the man's brother.
- **Reason (R):** Todas follow fraternal polyandry.

In the context of above statements, which one of the following is correct? Codes:

- a. A is correct, but R is wrong.
- b. A is wrong, but R is correct.
- c. Both A and R are wrong.
- d. Both A and R are correct.

Answer: d

23. • **Assertion (A):** An Anthropologist uses participant-observation
- **Reason (R):** Ethnographic research demands that another social world be studied with empathy

In the context of above statements, which one of the following is correct? Codes:

- a. Both A and R are correct.
- b. Both A and R are wrong.
- c. A is correct and R is wrong.
- d. A is wrong and R is correct.

Answer: a

24. • **Assertion (A):** Money can change relationships.
- **Reason (R):** In simple societies the social relationship created by a transaction can be subordinated to the economic value of that transaction.

- a. Both A and R are correct.
- b. A is correct, but R is wrong.
- c. A is wrong, but R is correct.
- d. Both A and R are wrong.

Answer: b

25. • **Assertion (A):** The sutures of the cranium obliterate or close at different ages but follow a uniform pattern.
- **Reason (R):** The age of a dead person can not be determined by studying the cranial sutures.

- a. Both A and R are true.
- b. Both A and R are false.
- c. A is true, but R is false.
- d. R is true, but A is false.

Answer: c

26. • **Assertion (A):** The term 'Prosimians' is used for an evolutionary stage before the advent of monkeys.

- **Reason (R):** Simians is a collective term used for both old world and new world monkeys.
  - a. Both R and A are incorrect.
  - b. Both R and A are correct.
  - c. R is correct, but A is incorrect.
  - d. A is correct, but R is incorrect.

Answer: b

27. • **Assertion (A):** The type-2 diabetes is a 'Life-style' disease.

- **Reason (R):** The diabetes type-2 is more common among urban people.
  - a. A is correct, but R is incorrect.
  - b. R is correct, but A is incorrect.
  - c. Both A and R are correct.
  - d. Both A and R are incorrect.

Answer: c

28. • **Assertion (A):** All human beings go through the process of birth, growth and ageing.

- **Reason (R):** The process of growth is an important indicator of the health status.
  - a. A is correct, but R is incorrect.
  - b. Both A and R are correct.
  - c. R is correct, but A is incorrect.
  - d. Both A and R are incorrect.

Answer: b

29. • **Assertion (A):** Bountiful of human remains together with cultural relics are unearthed from Pleistocene layers of India.

- **Reason (R):** The Pleistocene sedimentary deposits are alkaline in nature thereby capable of preserving organic and inorganic remains in tact.
  - a. Both A and R are false.
  - b. A is true, but R is false.



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- c. A is false, but R is true.
- d. Both A and R are true.

Answer: c

30. • **Assertion (A):** Mesolithic is considered as multi-faceted economy and stands for economic transitions from hunting-foraging stage to agriculture.
- **Reason (R):** The bio-physical environmental changes which took place at the onset of Holocene period triggered bio-cultural transitions.

On the basis of the above statements choose the correct answer: Codes:

- a. Both A and R are false
- b. A is true, but R is false
- c. A is false, but R is true
- d. Both A and R are true

Answer: d

31. Arrange the following works of Bronislaw Malinowski in the order in which they were published:

- a. A Scientific Theory of Culture
- b. Argonauts of the Western Pacific
- c. The Dynamics of Culture Change
- d. A Diary in the Strict Sense of the Term

i. 2 1 3 4

ii. 1 2 3 4

iii. 2 1 4 3

iv. 4 1 3 2

Answer: a

32. Identify the order in which the following concepts made their appearance:

- a. Evolutionism
- b. Diffusionism

- c. Structuralism
- d. Functionalism
- e.
  - i. Diffusionism – Evolutionism – Functionalism – Structuralism
  - ii. Diffusionism – Evolutionism – Structuralism – Functionalism
  - iii. Evolutionism – Diffusionism – Structuralism – Functionalism
  - iv. Evolutionism – Diffusionism – Functionalism – Structuralism

Answer: d

33. Arrange the following kin groups in an ascending order:

- a. Moiety
- b. Clan
- c. Phratry
- d. Lineage
- e.
  - i. Lineage – Clan – Phratry – Moiety
  - ii. Lineage – Clan – Moiety – Phratry
  - iii. Clan – Lineage – Moiety – Phratry
  - iv. Clan – Lineage – Phratry – Moiety

Answer: a

34. Arrange the following societies in an ascending order:

- a. Horticulturist – Forager – Pastoralist – Agriculturist
- b. Horticulturist – Forager – Agriculturist – Pastoralist
- c. Forager – Horticulturist – Agriculturist – Pastoralist
- d. Forager – Horticulturist – Pastoralist – Agriculturist

Answer: d

35. Arrange the following pioneers in an ascending order on the basis of their contributions:

- a. Hardy – Weinberg – Watson & Crick – Karry Mullis – Mendel
- b. Mendel – Hardy – Weinberg – Watson & Crick – Karry Mullis

- c. Watson & Crick – Hardy – Weinberg – Mendel – Karry Mullis
- d. Karry Mullis – Watson & Crick – Hardy – Weinberg – Mendel

Answer: b

36. Identify the correct sequence of the following in the descending order based on their genetic relatedness:

- a. Gibbon – Orang utan – Gorilla – Chimpanzee – Human
- b. Gorilla – Chimpanzee – Orang utan – Human – Gibbon
- c. Human – Chimpanzee – Gorilla – Orang utan – Gibbon
- d. Human – Gorilla – Chimpanzee – Orang utan – Gibbon

Answer: c

37. Identify the correct sequence of the following fossils in terms of their appearance on the Earth:

- a. Australopithecus – Homo habilis – Homo erectus – Neanderthal man – CroMagnon
- b. Homo habilis – Australopithecus – Homo erectus – Neanderthal man – CroMagnon
- c. Australopithecus – Neanderthal man – Homo habilis – CroMagnon – Homo erectus
- d. CroMagnon – Homo erectus – Neanderthal man – Homo habilis – Australopithecus

Answer: a

38. Arrange the following in the correct sequence:

- a. Cell membrane – Cytoplasm – Nucleus – Chromosome
- b. Chromosome – Nucleus – Cell membrane – Cytoplasm
- c. Cell membrane – Nucleus – Chromosome – Cytoplasm
- d. Cytoplasm – Cell membrane – Nucleus – Chromosome

Answer: a

39. Arrange the following pluvial periods of Africa in the correct sequence:

- a. KAGERAN – KAMASEAN – KANJEERAN – GAMBLEAN
- b. KAGERAN – KANJEERAN – KAMASEAN – GAMBLEAN
- c. KANJEERAN – KAMASEAN – GAMBLEAN – KAGERAN

d. KAMASEAN – KAGERAN – GAMBLEAN – KANJEERAN

Answer: a

40. Arrange the following prehistoric tool-making technologies in the correct sequence:

- a. Clactonian – Levalloisian – Stone hammer – Cylinder hammer
- b. Stone hammer – Cylinder hammer – Clactonian – Levalloisian
- c. Cylinder hammer – Levalloisian – Clactonian – Stone hammer
- d. Stone hammer – Clactonian – Cylinder hammer – Levalloisian

Answer: b

41. Match an item in List-I with an item in List-II. Use the codes given below:

List-I

- a. Little and Great tradition
- b. Universalisation and Parochialisation
- c. Sanskritisation and Dominant caste
- d. Folk-Urban continuum

List-II

- a. Robert Redfield
- b. MN Srinivas
- c. Mckim Marriott
- d. Milton Singer

    A    B    C    D    

a. 1 3 2 4

b. 3 2 4 1

c. 4 3 2 1

d. 2 3 1 4

Answer: c

42. Match an item in List-I with an item in List-II. Use the codes given below:

List-I

List-II

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- |                               |  |
|-------------------------------|--|
| a. 'The Girijan Movement'     | a. The Rajbanshis of North Bengal          |
| b. 'The Kamtapur Movement'    | b. The Jatapu and Savara of Andhra Pradesh |
| c. 'The Tana Bhagat Movement' | c. Rani Guidelo                            |
| d. 'The Zeliangrong Movement' | d. The Santhals of Chhotanagpur            |

**A B C D**

- a. 1 2 3 4
- b. 3 4 2 1
- c. 1 3 4 2
- d. 2 1 4 3

Answer: d

43. Match an item in List-I with an item in List-II. Use the codes given below:

List-I

- a. Primitive Polynesian Economy
- b. Traditional Exchange and Modern Markets
- c. Primitive and Peasant Economic System
- d. Economic Anthropology

List-II

- a. Melville Herskovits
- b. Raymond Firth
- c. Manning Nash
- d. Cyril S. Belshaw

**A B C D**

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- a. 2 1 4 3
- b. 1 2 3 4
- c. 2 4 3 1
- d. 3 2 4 1

Answer: c

44. Match an item in List-I with an item in List-II. Use the codes given below:

List-I

List-II

- |                              |                         |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| a. Genealogical Method       | a. GP Murdock           |
| b. Cross-cultural comparison | b. Bronislaw Malinowski |
| c. Participant Observation   | c. W. H. R. Rivers      |
| d. Extended-case method      | d. AL Epstein           |

**A B C D**

- a. 1 2 3 4
- b. 3 1 2 4
- c. 2 3 1 4
- d. 4 2 3 1

Answer: b

45. Match an item in List-I with an item in List-II. Use the codes given below:

List-I

- a. Inborn errors of metabolism
- b. Dosage compensation
- c. Chromosomal theory of inheritance
- d. One gene-One enzyme hypothesis

List-II

- a. Sutton & Boveri
- b. AE Garrod
- c. Beadle & Tatum
- d. Mary Lyon

**A B C D**

a. 3 1 2 4

b. 2 4 1 3

c. 2 1 4 3

d. 1 3 4 2

Answer: b

46. Match an item in List-I with an item in List-II. Use the codes given below:

List-I

- a. Goodall
- b. Fossey
- c. Strum
- d. Galdikas

List-II

- a. Orang utan
- b. Savanna baboon
- c. Chimpanzee
- d. Gorilla

**A B C D**

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- a. 3 2 1 4
- b. 4 1 2 3
- c. 3 4 2 1
- d. 4 3 1 2

Answer: c

47. Match an item in List-I with an item in List-II. Use the codes given below:

List-I

List-II

- |             |                     |
|-------------|---------------------|
| a. Lemur    | a. New world Monkey |
| b. Marmoset | b. Ape              |
| c. Langur   | c. Prosimian        |
| d. Gibbon   | d. Old world Monkey |

**A B C D**

- a. 3 1 4 2
- b. 3 2 4 1
- c. 2 4 1 3
- d. 4 1 2 3

Answer: a

48. Match an item in List-I with an item in List-II. Use the codes given below:



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List-I

- a. The Origin of Species
- b. Philosophic Zoologique
- c. Genetics & Origin of Species
- d. Systema Naturale

List-II

- a. Darwin
- b. Dobzhansky
- c. Linnaeus
- d. Lamarck

**A B C D**

- a. 1 3 4 2
- b. 1 4 3 2
- c. 1 4 2 3
- d. 2 1 3 4

Answer: c

49. Match an item in List-I with an item in List-II. Use the codes given below:

List-I

- a. The first human deliberate burials
- b. The first paintings, engravings, sculptures
- c. The shell-middens and kitchen middens
- d. Early domestication of plants and animals

List-II

- a. Upper Palaeolithic period
- b. Mesolithic period
- c. Neolithic period
- d. Middle Palaeolithic period

**A B C D**

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- a. 4 1 2 3
- b. 3 2 4 1
- c. 2 4 1 3
- d. 1 3 4 2

Answer: a

50. Match an item in List-I with an item in List-II. Use the codes given below:

List-I

- a. Palaeolithic period
- b. Protohistoric period
- c. Nuclear areas
- d. Agricultural Innovations

List-II

- a. Holocene period
- b. Emergence of Civilization
- c. Pleistocene period
- d. Agricultural Origins

**A B C D**

- a. 2 4 1 3
- b. 1 3 2 4
- c. 3 1 4 2
- d. 4 2 3 1

Answer: c

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