

2022
B.A./B.Sc.
Fourth Semester
CORE – 8
ANTHROPOLOGY
Course Code: ANC 4.11
(Theories of Culture & Society)

Total Mark: 70
Time: 3 hours

Pass Mark: 28

Answer any five questions from the following.

1. Critically examine Steward's view of neo-evolutionism. 14
2. Explain the concept of 'culture area' as an approach to the study of diffusion of culture. 14
3. Discuss Radcliffe-Brown's exposition of the theory of structural-functionalism. 14
4. Examine Ruth Benedict's illustration on how the 'genius of culture' influences the integration and formation of culture. 14
5. Critically examine Victor Turner's approach of symbols to maintenance of societies. 14
6. Write notes on the following: 7×2=14
(a) Unilinear evolution (b) Pan Egyptian school
7. Write notes on the following: 7×2=14
(a) Historical particularism (b) Modal personality
8. Write notes on the following: 7×2=14
(a) Purity and danger (b) Importance of theories