

Sr. No. of Question Paper: 8491 C

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Name of the Paper: ANHT 307-Theories of Culture and Society

Name of the Course: B.Sc. (H) Part II

Semester: III

Duration: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

**Instructions for Candidates:** Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Examine the relationship of culture and biology in the emergence of Homo sapiens.
2. Discuss the meaning of the term cultural evolution? Describe the recent changes in the evolutionary theory of culture?
3. Compare the contributions of Bronislaw Malinowski and Radcliffe-Brown in formulating a functional theory of culture?
4. With suitable examples elucidate the relationship between energy and culture evolution?
5. Explain the contributions of Clifford Geertz in interpretation of culture?
6. Elucidate the role of culture in social development?
7. Describe the main tenets of French structuralism in understanding of culture.
8. How are health and illness associated with a culture of a community? Can they be understood only as a physical or biological categories? Explain with examples.
9. Write notes on any **two** of the followings:
  - a) Culture Pattern
  - b) Culture Area
  - c) Gender and Culture
  - d) Margaret Mead