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Paper: ANTH 618 Fundamentals of Human Origins & Evolution



Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 75

Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- What do you mean by dating? Briefly discuss various types of radiometric dating methods.
- 2. Describe the fossil evidences of Australopithecines and discuss their phylogenetic relationships.
- 3. Discuss the geological time scale and its importance in studying human origins and evolution.
- 4. Briefly explain the origin and radiation of primates with emphasis on Miocene primates.
- 5. Describe the fossil evidences of Homo erectus finds from Asia and Africa.
- 6. Discuss the salient features of upper palaeolithic man with special reference to Grimaldi.
- 7. Who were the Neanderthaloids? Discuss their importance in emergence of present day modern humans.
- 8. Discuss the hominization process and its importance in palaeoanthropological studies.
- 9. Write short notes on any two of the following:
 - (a) Rhodesian Man
 - (b) Plio-Pleistocene climate
 - (c) Fossilization
 - (d) Homo habilis