

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)  
**BA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2019**  
(Third Semester)

Branch - **SOCIOLOGY**

**SOCIAL ANTHROPOLOGY**

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

**SECTION-A (20 Marks!)**

Answer **ALL** questions

**ALL** questions carry **EQUAL** marks (10 x 2 = 20)

- 1 Define 'Anthropology'.
- 2 State the meaning of cultural anthropology.
- 3 What do you understand by 'Kinship'?
- 4 What is Clan?
- 5 Explain 'Division of labour'.
- 6 State the concept of Pastoralism.
- 7 Define 'Religion'.
- 8 What is meant by Magic?
- 9 Define "Tribe".
- 10 Explain 'Assimilation'.

**SECTION - B (25 Marks!)**

Answer **ALL** Questions

**ALL** Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (5 x 5 = 25)

- 11 a Explain the nature of anthropology.  
OR  
b Highlight the scope of anthropology.
- 12 a Bring out the forms of family in tribal society.  
OR  
b Explain the various usage of kinship in primitive societies.
- 13 a Outline the features of tribal economy.  
OR  
b Highlight the features of shifting cultivation.
- 14 a Differentiate magic from science.  
OR  
b Bring out the functions of religion.
- 15 a Highlight the constitutional safeguards for the welfare of the tribal people.  
OR  
b Give an account of assimilation and isolation.

**SECTION - C (30 Marks)**

Answer any **THREE** Questions

**ALL** Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (3 x 10 = 30)

- 16 Discuss the various approaches in anthropology.
- 17 Describe the significance of clan and totemism in tribal society.
- 18 Critically analyse the economic life of Indian tribes.
- 19 Discuss in detail the features and forms of religion.
- 20 Examine the racial, linguistic and demographic features of Indian tribes.