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# SESSION PLAN

SESSIONS	CHAPTERS	TOPIC
<b>SESSION -1</b> <b>15 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Culture &amp; Society</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understanding Concept of Culture</li> <li>Characteristics of Culture given by Thinkers</li> <li>Culture's uniqueness to Human Beings</li> <li>Processes for Culture Change: Enculturation, Acculturation, Transculturation</li> <li>Ethnocentrism &amp; Cultural Relativism</li> <li>Cultural Relativism &amp; Human Rights</li> <li>Society &amp; Culture</li> <li>Social Institutions</li> <li>Social Groups</li> <li>Social Stratification</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -2</b> <b>16 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Marriage &amp; Family</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Definition and universality of marriage</li> <li>Types of marriage</li> <li>Marriage regulations</li> <li>Theories of Incest taboo</li> <li>Marriage payments</li> <li>Ways of acquiring mates in simple societies</li> <li>Definition and universality of family</li> <li>Types and functions of Family</li> </ul>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Perspectives to study family</li> <li>Impact of Urbanization, Industrialization and Feminist movement on Family</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -3</b> <b>17 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Kinship &amp; Economic Organization</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consanguinity and Affinity</li> <li>Types of descent</li> <li>Forms of Descent groups</li> <li>Kinship terminologies and behaviours</li> <li>Filiation and complementary filiation</li> <li>Descent and Alliance theory</li> <li>Scope of Economic Anthropology</li> <li>Formalist vs Substantivist approach</li> <li>Production, distribution and Exchange</li> <li>Modes of subsistence</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -4</b> <b>18 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Political organization and Religion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Evolution of Political organization</li> <li>Stateless vs State organization</li> <li>Power, authority and legitimacy</li> <li>Social control and its types</li> <li>Law and Justice in simple societies</li> <li>Approaches to study Religion</li> <li>Forms of Religion in primitive societies</li> <li>Monotheism and polytheism</li> <li>Religion, magic and science</li> <li>Magico-religious functionaries</li> </ul>

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<b>SESSION -5</b> <b>19 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Anthropological Theories: 01</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▣ Classical Evolutionism</li> <li>▣ Neo evolutionism</li> <li>▣ Diffusionism</li> <li>▣ Historical particularism</li> <li>▣ Functionalism</li> <li>▣ Structural functionalism</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -6</b> <b>20 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Anthropological Theories: 02</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▣ Structuralism</li> <li>▣ Culture and personality school</li> <li>▣ Cultural materialism</li> <li>▣ Symbolic and Interpretive theories</li> <li>▣ Cognitive theories</li> <li>▣ Post modernism in Anthropology</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -7</b> <b>22 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Research Methods and Language</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▣ Technique, method and methodology</li> <li>▣ Tools of data collection</li> <li>▣ Secondary sources of information</li> <li>▣ Analysis, interpretation and presentation of data</li> <li>▣ Nature and characteristics of language</li> <li>▣ Origin of language</li> <li>▣ Verbal and nonverbal communication</li> <li>▣ Social context of Language</li> <li>▣ Sapir-Worf hypothesis</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -8</b> <b>23 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Archaeology: 01</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▣ Principles of Prehistoric Archaeology</li> <li>▣ Relative and Absolute dating methods</li> <li>▣ Characteristics of Prehistoric culture of world and India</li> </ul>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Palaeolithic phase</li> <li>Mesolithic phase</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -9</b> <b>24 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Archaeology: 02</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Characteristics of Prehistoric culture of world and India</li> <li>Neolithic phase</li> <li>Chalcolithic phase</li> <li>Copper Bronze age</li> <li>Iron Age</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -10</b> <b>25 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Organic Evolution</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Biological and cultural factors in human evolution</li> <li>Theories of organic evolution</li> <li>Pre Darwinian, Darwinian and Post Darwinian</li> <li>Synthetic Theory of evolution</li> <li>Terms and concepts of evolutionary biology (Doll's rule, Cope's rule, Gause's rule, parallelism, convergence, adaptive radiation, and mosaic evolution)</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -11</b> <b>26 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Primatology &amp; Palaeoanthropology</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Characteristics of Primates</li> <li>Primate Adaptations</li> <li>Primate Behaviour</li> <li>Tertiary and Quaternary fossil primates</li> <li>Living major primates</li> <li>Comparative Anatomy of Man and Apes</li> <li>Skeletal changes due to erect posture</li> <li>Phylogenetic status, characteristics and geographical distribution of various fossils</li> </ul>

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<b>SESSION -12</b> <b>27 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Genetics - 1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Methods of Man family study</li> <li>Pedigree analysis</li> <li>Twin study, Foster child and co twin method</li> <li>Karyotype analysis</li> <li>Mendelian genetics in man family study</li> <li>Single factor and multi-factor</li> <li>Lethal and sublethal genes</li> <li>Polygenic inheritance</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -13</b> <b>29 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Genetics - 2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mendelian population and its features</li> <li>Hardy Weinberg law</li> <li>Evolutionary forces and its impact: Mutation, isolation, migration, selection, inbreeding and genetic drift</li> <li>Genetic load</li> <li>Genetic effect of consanguineous marriages</li> <li>Numerical and Structural chromosomal aberration</li> <li>Sex chromosomal aberrations</li> <li>Autosomal aberrations</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -14</b> <b>30 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Race, Biocultural Adaptation, health</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Race and racism</li> <li>Racial criteria</li> <li>Role of heredity and environment</li> <li>Racial differentiation and race crossing</li> <li>Genetic markers and their role</li> <li>Bio-cultural Adaptations</li> <li>Physiological response to environmental stress</li> </ul>

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<b>SESSION -15</b> <b>31 JULY, 2024</b>	<b>Growth and development, Demographic Theories and fertility</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▣ Stages of growth</li> <li>▣ Factors affecting growth and development</li> <li>▣ Ageing and senescence</li> <li>▣ Theories and observations</li> <li>▣ Human physique and somato-type</li> <li>▣ Methodologies for Growth studies</li> <li>▣ Demographic theories</li> <li>▣ Biological and social factors influencing fecundity and fertility</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -16</b> <b>01 AUGUST, 2024</b>	<b>Demographic profile and Indian social system, NMS and Sacred complex</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▣ Ethnic elements in Indian population</li> <li>▣ Linguistic elements in Indian population</li> <li>▣ Factors influencing structure and growth of Indian population</li> <li>▣ Indian traditional social system</li> <li>▣ Varnashram</li> <li>▣ Purushartha</li> <li>▣ Karma, Rina and Rebirth</li> <li>▣ Sacred complex and its relevance</li> <li>▣ NMS complex and its contemporary relevance</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -17</b> <b>02 AUGUST, 2024</b>	<b>Caste system and Impact of Religion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▣ Structure and characteristics of caste system in India</li> <li>▣ Varna and Jaati</li> <li>▣ Theories of origin of caste system</li> <li>▣ Dominant caste and its role</li> </ul>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▣ Jajmani system and its contemporary relevance</li> <li>▣ Tribe-Caste continuum</li> <li>▣ Impact of various religion on Indian society in general and Tribal population in particular</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -18</b> <b>03 AUGUST, 2024</b>	<b>Indian Villages and Process of Socio cultural change</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▣ Significance of Village study</li> <li>▣ Indian village as a social system</li> <li>▣ Changing pattern of settlement</li> <li>▣ Agrarian relations in Indian village</li> <li>▣ Impact of Globalization on Indian village</li> <li>▣ Sanskritization, Westernization and Modernization</li> <li>▣ Inter play of little and great traditions</li> <li>▣ Panchayati Raj and social change</li> <li>▣ Media and social change</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -19</b> <b>05 AUGUST, 2024</b>	<b>Tribal situation and problems, Tribal Administration and Forest policy</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▣ Biogenetic variability</li> <li>▣ Linguistic variations among tribes</li> <li>▣ Problems of Tribes: Land alienation, Poverty, Indebtedness etc</li> <li>▣ Developmental projects and their impact on tribal Displacement and problems of Rehabilitation</li> <li>▣ Development of Forest policy</li> </ul>



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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Impact of Urbanization and Industrialization</li> <li>Constitutional safeguards for SC and ST</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION -20</b> <b>06 AUGUST, 2024</b>	<b>Social change, Ethnicity, Tribe and Nation state, Role of Anthropology in Tribal development</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Impact of modern democratic Institution</li> <li>Welfare measures for Tribes</li> <li>Ethnicity and Ethnic conflicts</li> <li>Tribal unrests and regionalism</li> <li>Pseudo tribalism</li> <li>Tribe and Nation state</li> <li>PVTGs and their problems</li> <li>Role of NGOs in Tribal development</li> <li>Role of Anthropology in Tribal development</li> </ul>

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