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Q1(b)

Society and Culture.

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2015 · Anthropology GS 1 · 10 marks · The Nature of Society

2.2 The Nature of Society: Concept of Society; Society and Culture; Social Institution; Social groups; and Social stratification.

Facts & figures for this PYQ only.

Numbers move. Confirm the latest Budget, Economic Survey or census round. This sheet is for revision, not a substitute for the model answer.

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Tylor

1871 definition of culture as a complex whole acquired as a member of society.

Radcliffe-Brown

Social structure as actually existing relations of person to person.

Kroeber

Culture as superorganic, patterned beyond individual psychology.

Evans-Pritchard

Nuer work showed segmentary society carried by a cattle culture.

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