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Q5(b)

Bio-genetic variability of Indian tribes

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2016 · Anthropology GS 2 · 10 marks · Tribal situation in India

6.1 Tribal situation in India-Bio-genetic variability, linguistic and socio-economic characteristics of the tribal populations and their distribution.

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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Andaman Islanders

A genetically distinctive cluster, not a key to all Indian tribes.

H. H. Risley

Forced tribes into racial boxes that variability contradicts.

Language families

Four-family speech map that already predicts biological mix, not unity.

Sickle-cell

A local tribal health pattern that shows why one biology fails.

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