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Tribe as a colonial construct

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2016 · Anthropology GS 2 · 10 marks · Evolution of the Indian Culture and Civilization

1.1 Evolution of the Indian Culture and Civilization-Prehistoric (Palaeolithic, Mesolithic, Neolithic and Neolithic-Chalcolithic), Protohistoric (Indus Civilization). Pre-Harappan, Harappan and post-Harappan cultures. Contributions of the tribal cultures to Indian civilization.

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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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Colonial census

Enumerated tribe as a category opposite caste.

Criminal Tribes Act

Extreme construct that branded mobile groups as born criminals.

Scheduled Tribe

Constitutional reuse of the box for reservation and land shields.

G. S. Ghurye

Argued the colonial tribe was often a Hindu caste on the margin.

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