Question 1

Which of the following is NOT a characteristic of anthropology?

- a. it studies human societies
- b. it focuses only on prehistoric societies and fossil species
- c. it includes the study of human evolution and variation
- d. it is concerned with both biology and culture

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=434186

Question 2

While optimal foraging theory can provide a number of insights into foraging groups, what aspect of human society does optimal foraging theory arguably ignore?

- a. population size
- b. location
- c. genetics
- d. culture

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Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=434601

Question 3

The Tsembagas of Papua New Guinea practice a complex set of rituals concerning

- a. warfare
- b. food acquisition
- c. weather
- d. funeral rites

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=435253

Question 4

The change in violence and sexual activity in American film content since the 1960s is an example of

- a. intentional culture change
- b. unintentional culture change
- c. external culture change
- d. diffusion

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=434325

Question 5

Monotheistic religions are prevalent in societies that _____

- a. are tribal
- b. are egalitarian
- c. have a supreme ruler
- d. have ritual specialists

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=435248

Question 6

Which of the following is an element in the world-wide spread of agriculture?

- a. ability to infinitely increase carrying capacity in an area
- b. technological innovation
- c. population growth
- d. warfare

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=434654

Question 7

The _____ of Peru had a system of parallel descent with inheritance following parallel lines as well.

- a. Jivaro
- b. Inca
- c. Dinka
- d. Kwakiutl

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=434777

Question 8

Which is NOT a significant element in the economic system of the Nyanga of Central Africa?

- a. hunting
- b. gathering
- c. basket weaving
- d. farming

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=434661

Question 9

_____ are governments by god.

- a. Theocracies
- b. Priestly tyrannies
- c. Cults of personality
- d. Pantheons

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=435247

Question 10

Age is an important factor for children because _____

- a. they cannot understand their status
- b. they are more constrained than adults in behaviors they are allowed
- c. they must live at home
- d. they must always be accompanied by an adult

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=434533

Question 11

are societies in which people have differential access to valued resources, including land and property, social prestige, wealth, and political power.

- a. Ranked societies
- b. Egalitarian societies
- c. Socialist societies
- d. Stratified societies

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=434996

Question 12

Transvestism is defined as

- a. homosexuality
- b. gender confusion
- c. a mental disorder resulting in homophobia
- d. cross-dressing to look like someone of the opposite gender

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=434915

Question 13

Cultural pluralism is usually tolerated in Western nations as long as _____

- a. the ethnic groups do not attempt to amass significant political power
- b. the ethnic groups are large and self-sustaining without immigration
- c. the ethnic groups are productive members of the society
- d. the ethnic groups are from former colonies

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=435514

Question 14

The household unit in classical Greece and Rome was represented by

- a. special priests
- b. married male and female deities
- c. child deities
- d. kitchen goddesses

Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=435246

Question 15

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Throughout the world, most families are formed through what?
a. marriage
b. legal obligation
c. love and attraction
d. property sharing
Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=434829
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Question 16
The of oral narratives and written narrative share few, if any, common elements across cultures.
a. narrative structures
b. cadence
c. length
d. characters
Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=435364
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Question 17
Ranked pantheons of deities are most usually found in societies.
a. egalitarian
b. non-hierarchical
c. stateless
d. hierarchical
Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=435245
Question 18
All are true of the leaders of Trobriand dala EXCEPT which of the following?
a. Dala are usually the eldest male of the eldest lineage in the group.
b. Upon the death of a headman, the position is passed on to his eldest son.
c. Headmen allocate farmland to resident members of the dala.
d. Headmen perform ceremonial duties to protect and enhance the fertility of their land.
Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=434809
Question 19
Today, is illegal in India.
a. asking for or receiving dowries
b. offering a dowry
c. arranging a marriage
d. caste exogamous marriage
Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=434872
Question 20
In Brazil there is recognition of multiracial background compared to the United States.
a. no
b. less
c. greater
d. comparable
Answer: https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=435049