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## Pre-Test: Anthropological Perspective of the Self

### Instructions:

Answer the following questions to the best of your ability. This pre-test is designed to assess your current understanding of the anthropological perspective of the self and its subdisciplines.

1. **Multiple Choice:**

Which of the following is not one of the four main subdisciplines of anthropology?

- A) Cultural Anthropology
- B) Archaeological Anthropology
- C) Sociological Anthropology
- D) Linguistic Anthropology

2. **True or False:**

Ethnography and ethnology are two activities within cultural anthropology that study and interpret cultural diversity.

3. **Multiple Choice:**

Which subdiscipline of anthropology focuses on human evolution, genetics, and biological plasticity?

- A) Cultural Anthropology
- B) Archaeological Anthropology
- C) Biological Anthropology
- D) Linguistic Anthropology

4. **Short Answer:**

Define cultural anthropology.

5. **Multiple Choice:**

Which subdiscipline of anthropology uses material remains to understand past human behavior?

- A) Cultural Anthropology
- B) Archaeological Anthropology
- C) Biological Anthropology

D) Linguistic Anthropology

6. **True or False:**

Linguistic anthropology studies how language influences social life and changes over time.

7. **Multiple Choice:**

Enculturation is:

A) The study of ancient cultures through material remains.

B) The social process through which culture is learned and transmitted.

C) The biological evolution of humans.

D) The comparative study of different cultures.

8. **Short Answer:**

What is the main focus of archaeological anthropology?

9. **True or False:**

Biological anthropology is concerned only with the study of nonhuman primates.

10. **Multiple Choice:**

Which of the following best describes the concept of culture according to Geertz?

A) A set of inherited biological traits.

B) A system of inherited conceptions expressed in symbolic forms.

C) A process of genetic adaptation to the environment.

D) A collection of ancient artifacts and fossils.

11. **Short Answer:**

Explain the significance of symbols in cultural anthropology.

12. **True or False:**

Culture is a static and unchanging phenomenon.

13. **Multiple Choice:**

Which subdiscipline of anthropology would most likely study the social context of language use?

A) Cultural Anthropology

B) Archaeological Anthropology

C) Biological Anthropology

D) Linguistic Anthropology

14. **Short Answer:**

Describe the difference between ethnography and ethnology.

**15. True or False:**

Cultural adaptation refers to the biological changes in humans to cope with environmental challenges.

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