



**SOCIAL AND CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY
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PAPER 3**

Tuesday 13 November 2007 (morning)

1 hour

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Do not turn over this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Answer one question.

Answer **one** question. The answer must refer to **fundamental theoretical issues** and their application to specific and clearly identified **ethnographic illustrations**. Each question is worth [20 marks].

1. Why do some anthropologists favour interpretivist approaches?
 2. How can we understand poverty **or** racism **or** ethnicity in terms of structure and agency?
 3. Why do some anthropologists consider history important?
 4. Contrast the work of **two** anthropologists in terms of **one** of the following pairs:
 - cohesion and conflict
 - universal and particular
 - materialism and idealism.
 5. Analyse the work of **one** of the following anthropologists with reference to relevant fundamental theoretical issues:
 - Arjun Appadurai
 - Pierre Bourdieu
 - Mary Douglas
 - Clifford Geertz
 - Sherry Ortner
 - Marshall Sahlins.
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