

ANTHROPOLOGY



OGP 2027

OPTIONAL GUIDANCE PROGRAM

Answer Writing Based *Mentorship Program* to Cover Anthropology Optional Through **400+ Questions & Answers**

ForumIAS Anthropology Toppers are among India's Anthropology Toppers

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Program Highlights

- **Study Modules** covering ANTHROPOLOGY syllabus with **self-assessment worksheet**.
- **36 AWSM classes (Answer Writing Structure & Methodology)** that turn topics into probable questions & teach step wise answer framework with answer scripts.
- **36 DAWT mini test (Consist of 7 Questions)** to build exam-speed writing with evaluation, discussion, & model answers.
- **6 Revision Tests + 2 Full Length Tests** simulating UPSC pattern with evaluation, discussion, & model answers.
- **Comprehensive PYQ integration** through **classes, worksheets, Tests**.
- **Personalised mentorship** based on each **worksheet & test**.
- **Crisp & Concise** study material.

Who Should Join

those who...

- have **attempted** UPSC CSE with ANTHROPOLOGY Optional at least once.
- want to finish the entire ANTHROPOLOGY syllabus through disciplined, structured Answer Writing with right Guidance.
- seek strong **Conceptual clarity** and **depth** in ANTHROPOLOGY Optional and need time bound coverage of **PYQs** with **model answers**.
- are aiming for **300+ score** in ANTHROPOLOGY Optional

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ONLINE & OFFLINE

Program Details

1 Study Modules

Topic wise concise notes with self assessment worksheets covering entire syllabus of ANTHROPOLOGY.



2 36 AWSM Classes

Worksheet based classes convert topics into probable UPSC Questions and teach step by step answer writing with answer scripts. Personalised mentorship on each worksheet.



3 DAWT Mini Tests

Total 36 Mini Tests with evaluation discussion & model answers to build exam speed writing & consolidate what was learn in classes and worksheets.



4 Revision & Full Length Tests

6 Revision Tests & 2 Full Length Tests assess cumulative understanding and simulate actual UPSC pattern, includes evaluation, discussion, model answers.



5 PYQ Integration

Previous Year Questions are discussed in class, appear across worksheets and mini-tests with detailed model answers.



6 Personalised 1-1 Mentorship

6 Revision Tests & 2 Full Length Tests assess cumulative understanding and simulate actual UPSC pattern, includes evaluation, discussion, model answers.



7 Hybrid Mode

Program will be contact in both Offline and Online mode



Fees Structure

Course	Deliverables	Fees (for both Online & Offline)
Anthropology OGP	36 AWSM Classes + 36 DAWT + 2 FLT	Rs. 29,500/- (inclusive of all taxes)
Anthropology OGP Prime	36 AWSM Classes + 36 DAWT + 6 Revision tests + 2 FLT + 2 Optional Simulator	Rs. 32,500/- (inclusive of all taxes)

Concessions:

The program is available at a concession of **Rs. 3,500/- for Optional foundation students and GS foundation students**. The program is available at a concession of **Rs. 2,000/- for ForumIAS courses other than mentioned above**.

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Terms & Condition

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- Your test copies will be evaluated within 10 working days of copy submission.
- Copies must be submitted within three weeks of the test release for timely evaluation. We recommend that you stick to the timetable and write tests on designated days. The commitment of 10 working days evaluation is valid only for copies submitted in this time period.
- All fees once paid are non-refundable in nature. The course is also non-transferable in nature to another person.
- The course will be valid till **30 September, 2027**.
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ANTHROPOLOGY OGP SCHEDULE

S.no	DAY and DATE	TEST TYPE Code	TOPICS
PAPER 1			
1	6 July Monday	AWSM CLASS 1	UNIT 1.1,1.2,1.3 – Meaning, Scope & Development of Anthropology, Relationship with other disciplines, Main branches of Anthropology
	7 July Tuesday	(181101)	DAWT 1
2	10 July Friday	AWSM CLASS 2	UNIT 6 – Anthropological Theories Session 1 (Evolutionism, diffusionism, Historical Particularism,)
	11 July Saturday	(181102)	DAWT 2
3	14 July Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 3	UNIT 6 – Anthropological Theories Session 2 (Functionalism, Structural- Functionalism, Structuralism, Culture & Personality)
	15 July Wednesday	(181103)	DAWT 3
4	18 July Saturday	AWSM CLASS 4	UNIT 6 – Anthropological Theories Session 3 (Cultural Materialism, Symbolic & Interpretive, Cognitive, Post - Modernism)
	20 July Monday	(181104)	DAWT 4
5	23 July Thursday	AWSM CLASS 5	UNIT 2.1,2.2, 2.3 - Culture, Society, Marriage
	24 July Friday	(181105)	DAWT 5
6	27 July Monday	AWSM CLASS 6	UNIT 2.4 – 3: Family, Kinship, Economic Organization
	28 July Tuesday	(181106)	DAWT 6
7	29 July Wednesday	AWSM CLASS 7	UNIT 4 & 5 - Political Organization, Religion
	1 August Saturday	(181107)	DAWT 7
8	3 August Monday	AWSM CLASS 8	UNIT 7 & 8 – Language, Research Methods in Anthropology
	7 August Friday	(181108)	DAWT 8
	8 August Saturday	Revision Test HLT-1 (131209)	(UNIT 1.1 to 1.3, 2 to 5, 7 & 8) – Socio-Cultural Anthropology
9	11 August Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 9	UNIT 1.6 – Fossils (Phylogenetic Status, Characteristics & Geo. Distribution of Australopithecus, Homo erectus, Neanderthal Man, Rhodesian man, Homo Sapiens)
	12 August Wednesday	(181109)	DAWT 9
10	17 August Monday	AWSM CLASS 10	UNIT 1.8 A – Archaeological Anthropology – Principles of pre-historic archaeology (Paleolithic & Mesolithic Cultures, Dating Methods)
	18 August Tuesday	(181110)	DAWT 10
11	22 August Saturday	AWSM CLASS 11	UNIT 1.8 B – Neolithic Cultures Chalcolithic, Copper, Bronze, Iron Age Cultures
	23 August Sunday	(181111)	DAWT 11
	26 August Wednesday	Revision Test HLT-2 (131210)	(UNIT 1.6-1.8) – Archaeological Anthropology
12	27 August Thursday	AWSM CLASS 12	UNIT 1.4 – 1.7 – Human Evolution (Theories & Factors), Cell: DNA Replication, Protein Synthesis, Gene, Mutation, Cell Division
	30 August Sunday	(181112)	DAWT 12

13	1 September Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 13	UNIT 1.5 - Primates & their Characteristics
	2 September Wednesday	(181113)	DAWT 13
14	4 September Friday	AWSM CLASS 14	UNIT 9.1 – 9.2 – Human Genetics Session 1 (Methods to Study Genetic Principles, Polymorphism)
	5 September Saturday	(181114)	DAWT 14
15	8 September Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 15	UNIT 9.3 - 9.4 - Human Genetics Session 2 (Hardy Weinberg, Factors that bring down Frequency, Chromosomal, Abberations)
	9 September Wednesday	(181115)	DAWT 15
16	12 September Saturday	AWSM CLASS 16	UNIT 9.5 & 9.6 – Race & Racism (Genetic Markers)
	14 September Monday	(181116)	DAWT 16
17	17 September Thursday	AWSM CLASS 17	UNIT 9.7 – Ecological Anthropology
	18 September Friday	(181117)	DAWT 17
18	21 September Monday	AWSM CLASS 18	UNIT 9.8 – Epidemiological Anthropology
	22 September Tuesday	(181118)	DAWT 18
19	24 September Thursday	AWSM CLASS 19	UNIT 10, 11 – Human Growth & Development, Menarche & Menopause, DTT
	26 September Saturday	(181119)	DAWT 19
20	28 September Monday	AWSM CLASS 20	UNIT 12 – Applications of Anthropology
	29 September Tuesday	(181120)	DAWT 20
	1 October Thursday	Revision Test HLT-3 (131211)	(UNITS 9 – 12, UNIT 1.4, 1.5, 1.7) – Biological Anthropology
	3 October Saturday	FULL LENGTH TEST (131204)	FULL LENGTH TEST 1 (PAPER 1)
PAPER 2			
21	5 October Monday	AWSM CLASS 21	UNIT 1.1, 1.3 – Contribution of tribal cultures to Indian Civilization, Ethno-archaeology in India
	6 October Tuesday	(181121)	DAWT 21
22	9 October Friday	AWSM CLASS 22	UNIT 2 & (3.1 – 3.2) – Demographic Profile, Traditional features of Indian Social System, Caste System in India
	10 October Saturday	(181122)	DAWT 22
23	12 October Monday	AWSM CLASS 23	UNIT 3.3 & 3.4 – NMS Complex, Impact of Islam, Christianity, Buddhism, Jainism on Indian Society
	13 October Tuesday	(181123)	DAWT 23
24	15 October Thursday	AWSM CLASS 24	UNIT 4 – Emergence of Anthropology, Scholars in Indian Anthropology – Session 1
	16 October Friday	(181124)	DAWT 24
25	18 October Sunday	AWSM CLASS 25	UNIT 4 – Scholars in Indian Anthropology – Session 2
	22 October Thursday	(181125)	DAWT 25
	23 October Friday	Revision Test HLT-4 (131212)	(UNIT 1-4)
26	26 October Monday	AWSM CLASS 26	UNIT 5.1, 5.2 – Indian Village, Linguistic & Religious Minorities
	27 October Tuesday	(181126)	DAWT 26

27	30 October Friday	AWSM CLASS 27	UNIT 5.3 – Sanskritization, Modernization, little & great traditions
	31 October Saturday	(181127)	DAWT 27
28	3 November Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 28	UNIT 5.3 - Panchayati Raj & Social Change, Media & Social Change
	4 November Wednesday	(181128)	DAWT 28
29	6 November Friday	AWSM CLASS 29	UNIT 6.1 – Tribal Situation in India
	7 November Saturday	(181129)	DAWT 29
30	10 November Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 30	UNIT 6.2 – Tribal Problems & UNIT 6.3 – Impact of developmental projects on tribes
	11 November Wednesday	(181130)	DAWT 30
31	13 November Friday	AWSM CLASS 31	UNIT 7.1, 7.2 – Exploitation & Deprivation of SCs, STs, OBCs, Constitutional Safeguards, Social Change and contemporary tribal societies
	14 November Saturday	(181131)	DAWT 31
	15 November Sunday	Revision Test HLT-5 (131213)	(UNIT 5.1 – 7.2)
32	17 November Tuesday	AWSM CLASS 32	UNIT 7.3, 8.1 – Ethnicity, Impact of other religions on tribal societies
	18 November Wednesday	(181132)	DAWT 32
33	20 November Friday	AWSM CLASS 33	UNIT 8.2 - Tribe & Nation State
	21 November Saturday	(181133)	DAWT 33
34	23 November Monday	AWSM CLASS 34	UNIT 9.1 - Administration of tribal areas – policy & programs
	24 November Tuesday	(181134)	DAWT 34
35	26 November Thursday	AWSM CLASS 35	UNIT 9.2 – Role of Anthropology in tribal and rural development
	27 November Friday	(181135)	DAWT 35
36	30 November Monday	AWSM CLASS 36	UNIT 9.3 - Contributions of Anthropology in understanding communalism, regionalism, ethnic & political movements
	1 December Tuesday	(181136)	DAWT 36
37	3 December Thursday	Revision Test HLT-6 (131214)	(UNIT 7.3 – 9.3)
38	6 December Sunday	(131208)	FULL LENGTH TEST 2 (PAPER 2)
	Optional Simulators		FULL LENGTH TEST 1 (PAPER 1)
			FULL LENGTH TEST 2 (PAPER 2)