

1. CASTES in India are:

- a. different regions, like the States in the USA
- b. voluntary special interest groups
- c. social classes with social mobility, like in the USA
- d. endogamous social classes, the lowest being the Untouchables
- e. sequential levels similar to African age grades

2. Which is TRUE about curing by shamans?

- a. Patients get better only when their medicines actually have biological/physiological effects.
- b. Patients never get better.
- c. Patients get better only when their illnesses are psychosomatic; that is, not real but in their mind.
- d. shamans must remain cold stone sober and drug-free during the actual curing event
- e. Symbolic curing can work because it enhances the immune response, like the placebo effect

3. If people believe that a spirit possession has caused an illness, then they are likely to prescribe:

- A. a sucking cure
- B. an exorcism
- C. Herbs
- D. antibiotics
- E. a ceremony to honor ancestors.

4. Young warriors of the Great Plains Indians went on raids to steal horses because it was the only way to get them. Similarly, Yanomamo young men feel they must go raiding to get:

- a. women
- b. plantains
- c. machetes, axes, and metal pots.
- d. rights of passage
- e. cattle

5. Alliances between Yanomamo villages are traditionally characterized by:

- a. mutual trust
- b. monthly participation in joint religious festivals held at sacred shrines
- c. treaties written by the missionaries
- d. mutual distrust
- e. mutual aid in clearing land for gardens

6. Which was NOT an example of the anthropological study of art & culture in the textbook?

- A. Tattoos
- B. Legends
- C. Coffins in the shape of airplanes and automobiles
- D. Music
- E. Rock paintings of animals
- F. Da Vinci's *The Last Supper*
- G. Wait a minute, all of these and more are studied as art by anthropologists.

7. Which is FALSE?

- A. The traditional healers among the African pygmies are called *ngangas*
- B. Pygmies believe illnesses are caused by a combination of natural agents and witchcraft
- C. Pharmaceutical companies are trying to recover native knowledge of healing plants to use here.
- D. Many people in America use psychoactive drugs, but such drugs are unknown in most of the world
- E. Your immune system is working hardest when you are relaxed and happy.

8. Which is FALSE?

- A. Healing by shamans is a public event
- B. Yanomamo shamans take psychoactive drugs in order to contact the *hekura* spirits
- C. Myths can contain useful information, like how to build something or do something
- D. A sucking cure is used to remove magical objects from the body
- E. Your immune system is working hardest when you are in a panic: an adrenaline "Fight or Flee" state

9/10 Two Points Describe a Yanomamo raid: the planning, the raid itself, and the aftermath.

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BONUS The article on Drug Culture gives several reasons why the "War on Drugs" is a failure; tell me one of those reasons.