

Anthropology 1100
Midterm Exam Study Guide

Date: May 30, 2006 (In our regular room at our regular time)

Note: You are responsible for all material taught so far in the course. This includes material from the text book. Questions on the films and slide presentations will be included on the test. This sheet lists many of the terms and concepts we discussed during the first four weeks of term.

The exam will include multiple choice questions, fill-in-the-blanks, short answer questions, and longer answer questions. You will have one hour and thirty minutes to write the exam.

Exam Format:

- Section A: 15 multiple choice or fill-in-the-blank questions (2 points each for 30 points total)
- Section B: 5 definitions (2 sentences long) (3 points each for 15 points total)
- Section C: 3 short answers (half page) (5 points each for 15 points total)
- Section D: 1 longer answers (1 page) (10 points each for 10 points)

Exam is worth 70 points, or, 25% of your grade.

Films and Slide Presentations:

Trobriand Islanders of Papua New Guinea
Coming of Age
Hunting in a Modern World (Tahltans)
Ongka's Big Moka

Week 1: Introduction

archaeology
biological/physical anthropology
linguistic anthropology
cultural anthropology
applied anthropology
ethnography
ethnographer
ethnocentrism
cultural relativity – absolute, critical
culture – 6 characteristics

Week 2: Culture and Methods

field
fieldwork
class
race
gender
age
participant observation
interviewing
etic
emic
Margaret Mead
Historical particularism
Cultural evolution

Week 3: Economic Anthropology

Tahltans
mode of production
foraging
horticulture
pastoralism
agriculture
industrial mode
sustainability

Week 4: Consumption and Exchange

consumption
exchange
reciprocity – generalized, balanced,
negative
redistribution
market exchange
potlatch