ANT101 – Cultural Anthropology Chapter 3 Quiz Name:

1. \_\_\_ Early anthropologists who relied on travelers and missionaries for their fieldwork data were called:

A. armchair anthropologists. B. novices. C. native anthropologists. D. secondhand anthropologists.

2. \_\_\_ Lewis Henry Morgan and Edward Tylor were influenced deeply by:

a. Franz Boas. b. Charles Darwin. c. Bronislaw Malinowski. d. Margaret Mead.

3. \_\_\_ Which of the following was the core belief of Franz Boas?

a. That cultures are adapted to their own ecosystems

b. That all aspects of culture are symbolic and serve to create meaning

c. That cultures are products of their own histories

d. That cultures are composed of functional, interrelating parts

4. \_\_\_ The hallmark of American anthropological fieldwork methodology is:

a. ethnocentrism. b. participant observation. c. cultural relativism. d. ethnography. e. postmodernism.

5. \_\_\_ How is Malinowski’s approach to the study of cultures different from Boas’s?

a. Malinowski was an evolutionist and Boas was a critic of evolutionism.

b. Their approaches are similar, except that Franz Boas did not actually carry out fieldwork.

c. Boas focused on the study of child-rearing, while Malinowski focused on the study of history and body measurements.

d. Malinowski focused on the study of social institutions and function, while Boas focused on the study of history and adaptation.

6. \_\_\_ Anthropological interview techniques:

a. are always the same from field project to field project.

b. always involve the same processes and same steps of procedure.

c. are no longer used in contemporary fieldwork.

d. have been adapted from philosophy.

e. are highly varied and are situation-specific.

7. \_\_\_ Why did anthropology pay little attention to women prior to the 1970s?

a. Anthropologists assumed that men represented women’s voices.

b. Women and men live quite segregated lives in most societies.

c. The majority of practicing anthropologists was male and had little access to working with women in other societies.

d. Men’s roles were much more public and more easily studied.

e. All of these choices are correct.

8. \_\_\_ Informed consent involves all of the following except:

a. anthropologists must be involved in a dynamic discussion with participants in order to explain the significance of informed consent.

b. individuals should understand the risks and benefits inherent in the research.

c. participants must sign a contract with the anthropologist indicating that they approve of the research study.

d. participants must understand how the research data is likely to affect them.

e. individuals must be free to decide if they want to participate.

9. \_\_\_ The most important ethical responsibility in anthropological fieldwork is to protect the interests of the people whom you are studying.

A. True B. False

10. \_\_\_ In recent years, as a result of globalization and culture change, research methods in anthropology have changed.

A. True B. False