

AN 101: Focus Reading Group Assignments
Introduction to Anthropology (AN101)
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Directions:

- 1) Select and sign up for an article to review in what I term the "Anthropology Reader" or formally known as Applying Anthropology, an introductory Reader by Podolefsky and Brown, 8th ed.
- 2) Meet with group members and decide who will complete each task.
- 3) Prepare a summary of the article (1 page typed)
- 4) Prepare a biography of the author (1 paragraph, use internet sources)
- 5) Relate the article to the course by developing a list of questions the article answers, and a list of 5-6 questions the article raises; ones you thought of or future directions you think study ought to go. You may also formulate questions about the holes you saw in the article.

5) Written: All students must hand in this assignment by Tuesday, February 5, 2008

Oral: To get full credit for the written assignment you must also participate in helping your group lead the class discussion of your article.

Directions: Review 6 out of 7/ One must be by McElroy. Written reviews (as I described above), are due on the week of 2/16.

Readings from Anthropology Matters! by Shirly Federick

Chapter 1 Fieldwork challenges

Chapter 3 Using anthropology in biz

Chapter 4 Underlying reasons behind ethnic conflict

Chapter 6 Why do we push for the perfect body? What are the results?

Chapter 9 Examining the impact of missionism on indigenous cultures

Medical Anthropology by McElroy and Townsend

Chapter 1 Case Study

Chapter 10 Case Study

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