

## c2

Student: \_\_\_\_\_

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  - D.
  - E.
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  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
37. In the context of Buddhism, which of the following is true?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
38. Which of the following sexual practices is closely associated with China's traditional culture?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.

39. Ancient Greek civilization dates from 800 B.C.E. until 197 C.E when it was incorporated into the Roman Empire. The Greeks practiced a complex form of sexuality and love that:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
40. In ancient Greece, young teens had to undergo certain rituals to achieve masculinity and honor as well as to cultivate self-discipline and leadership. Which of the following is one of the rituals associated with this process?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
41. During the time of Emperor Augustus (63 B.C.E. to 14 C.E.), all sex with slaves and prostitutes, especially same-sex relationships, were outlawed in Rome. Which of the following is the primary reason behind this measure?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
42. During the period of 500 to 1500 C.E, which of the following was strictly labeled as "sodomy" under Christianity?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.

43. Why are Islam, Judaism, and Christianity referred to as the "Abrahamic" religions?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
44. One area related to beliefs about sexual pleasure in which the ancient Muslim East diverged from the ancient Christian West was that:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
45. The term chivalry associated with Christian knights connected to the Crusades mainly encourages:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
46. Which of the following instances primarily challenged the Roman Catholic Church and the power of clerics in the fourteenth century?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.

47. What was the primary reason behind the persecution of the Italian physicist Galileo Galilei?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
48. Which of the following was an important event of the 19<sup>th</sup> century?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
49. In the context of the Victorian Era, which of the following is true?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
50. In the late 19<sup>th</sup> century it was observed that men increasingly went to pubs, joined secret male societies or Christian purity movements in droves, seeking the solidarity of other men and a sense of a haven away from their home. Which of the following is the primary reason behind this trend?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.

51. In the 1930s and 1940s, massive migrations due to the Great Depression and then war impacted heavily on gender roles. Which of the following is one of the most prominent changes typically associated with this age?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
52. Sexual culture is best defined as:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
53. A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ is best defined as the standard of sexual behavior expected of people in a particular role, relationship, and situation.
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
54. People's expectations form the ideal blueprint of a sexual culture and are put into practice through \_\_\_\_\_.
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.

55. Sexual socialization is best defined as:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

56. Which of the following is the major factor behind the presence of diversity in sexual behavior across culture?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

57. The tendency of judging another groups behavior to be inferior when compared against the standards of the group one belongs to is referred to as:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

58. Which of the following is an example of an instance of cultural chauvinism?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

59. The belief that one's sexual culture is superior to others is specifically referred to as:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
60. Which of the following is a practice that one should adhere to so as to avoid being disrespectful toward other sexual cultures?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
61. In sexually approving cultures, young people are most likely to learn about sexuality:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
62. In the context of sexual socializing, one striking difference between sexually approving cultures and sexually disapproving cultures is that in the latter:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.

63. Sexual unlearning is best defined as the pattern of sexual socialization:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
64. During our childhood, we are not prohibited from running around nude. However as we grow up, we are taught that it is considered abnormal to be nude in public. This type of sexual socializing is specifically referred to as:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
65. Sexual unlearning is likely to be most common in societies that are:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
66. The religious practice of worshipping many gods is referred to as:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.

67. \_\_\_\_\_ are followers of a polytheistic religion.

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

68. The belief in one God is referred to as:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

69. Judaism and Islam are examples of:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

70. In general, compared to monotheistic religions, polytheistic religions are:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

71. In general, compared to polytheistic religions, monotheistic religions are:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

72. Whether a religion is polytheistic or monotheistic:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
73. Religious identity is best defined as:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
74. In the context of religious identity, which of the following is typically true?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
75. In the context of present day societies practicing Hinduism, which of the following is true?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
76. In the context of Buddhism, which of the following is true?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.

77. In the context of Judaism, which of the following is true?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
78. In the context of Islam, which of the following is true?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
79. In the context of present day societies practicing Christianity, which of the following is true?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
80. Hindu tradition is exceptional in its acceptance of:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
81. Hindu philosophy is based on the view that:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.

82. In the context of Hinduism, which of the following is one of the guidelines related to sex?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
83. In general, Buddhism:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
84. According to the Torah, Judaism's most holy text:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
85. Liberal Jewish traditions differ from Orthodox Jewish traditions in:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
86. The Quran, which Muslims regard as their blueprint for behavior, including sexual behavior, tells that:
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.

87. Which of the following factors has played the major role in keeping U.S. society conservative about sexuality?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
88. Which of the following is a symbolic boundary that divides the culture and Christian groups dramatically in the U.S.?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
89. Which of the following groups in the U.S. is most likely to admit that they have had same-sex relations?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.
90. Which of the following was an immediate outcome of the verdict of the Rowe versus Wade case?
- A.
  - B.
  - C.
  - D.
  - E.

91. Which of the following still remains almost universally condemned among all Christian groups?
- A.  
B.  
C.  
D.  
E.
92. Which of the following is the primary purpose of the United Church of Christ (UCC)?
- A.  
B.  
C.  
D.  
E.
93. Radical inclusion is best defined as a new sexual and cultural norm that specifically says:
- A.  
B.  
C.  
D.  
E.
94. The unique traits associated with human sexuality mainly come from the combination of three elements: \_\_\_\_\_, culture, and individuality.
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95. Culture gives people a sense of group cohesion, shared meaning and identity, and also establishes standards for acceptable behavior, called \_\_\_\_\_.
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96. \_\_\_\_\_, that gained much popularity in the 20<sup>th</sup> century, was based on the cultural idea that a man and woman are not just sex partners but also social and intellectual companions and equals for life.
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97. \_\_\_\_\_ is best defined as the self-identification by an individual as heterosexual, bisexual, or homosexual.
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98. The practice, which allows a man to have multiple wives at the same time, is referred to as \_\_\_\_\_.
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99. Of all the forms of sexual chauvinism, one of the most severe is when someone is labeled \_\_\_\_\_ meaning that their behavior is dysfunctional compared to the people who uphold the culture's norms
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100. In general, \_\_\_\_\_, compared to monotheistic religions, are more likely to be sex-approving than sex-disapproving.
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101. \_\_\_\_\_ means sharing practices of worship with others and belonging to a faith-based group, both of which create shared social experiences.
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102. \_\_\_\_\_ the morally upright and socially strict beliefs and practices of the Puritans, was a factor in how American society has framed the discussion about such topics as nudity, premarital sex, extramarital sex, virginity, and pornography.
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103. \_\_\_\_\_ is a new sexual and cultural norm, propagated by the UCC that says everyone has a right to be a member of a religious community, regardless of their color, gender, sexual identity, or anything else.
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104. Mention a few sexual traits unique to humans. Do these traits have a common origin?
105. Is there any similarity between human sexuality and that of the Bonobo chimpanzees? Give reasons to support your answer.
106. Elaborate on the ancient Greek sexual culture.

107. Why is the Victorian age, considered to be the most prudish age, seen as the beginning of the modern period?
108. What is a sexual norm? Explain with an example.
109. Explain sexual chauvinism with an appropriate example.

110. Give an example of how religious beliefs influences sexual behavior.
111. Elaborate on how Judaism has adapted to changing times.
112. How has sex become a symbolic boundary that divides people in the United States?

113.

Discuss how the United Church of Christ is contributing toward the sexual well-being of the society.

## c2 Key

1. The essence of our species can be passed on through evolution and procreation.  
  
**TRUE**  
  
*Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Medium  
Heading: The Sexual Triangle: Species, Culture, and Individual  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #1  
Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*
2. Adolescent male Bonobo chimpanzees leave their group to find mates and to create new patriarchal groups.  
  
**FALSE**  
  
*Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Easy  
Heading: Sexuality Among the Bonobo  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #2  
Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*
3. Homosexuality was an exclusive sexual practice in ancient Greece.  
  
**FALSE**  
  
*Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Easy  
Heading: A Brief History of Sex and Civilizations  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #3  
Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*
4. Early Islamic civilization professed values of male sexual honor, and female virginity before marriage.  
  
**TRUE**  
  
*Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Easy  
Heading: Islamic Civilizations  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #4  
Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*
5. In the 19<sup>th</sup> century, as the first women's emancipation movement gathered momentum, children came to be deemed as sexual creatures in their own right.  
  
**FALSE**  
  
*Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Medium  
Heading: Western Europe from the Crusades to the 19th Century  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #5*

6. Sexual cultures function today as a way of both helping people to adapt to their environments and controlling their social relationships.
- TRUE**
- Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Medium  
Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #6  
Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*
7. A sexual norm remains constant across culture.
- FALSE**
- Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Medium  
Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #7  
Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*
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- FALSE**
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Difficulty: Medium  
Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #8  
Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*
9. The practice of placing behavior in context is known as cultural relativism.
- TRUE**
- Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Easy  
Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #9  
Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*
10. Sexual chauvinism has a positive affect on sexual well-being.
- FALSE**
- Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Medium  
Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #10  
Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*
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- TRUE**
- Blooms: Understand*

12. Sexual unlearning is less common in societies that undergo rapid change.

**FALSE**

Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Medium  
Heading: Sexual Unlearning  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #12  
Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms

13. A core belief of most world religions is that human sexuality is a product of human design.

**FALSE**

Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Easy  
Heading: Sexuality and the Great World Religions  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #13  
Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions

14. Homosexuality is not tabooed in Buddhism and the general public is often encouraged to get involved in same-sex relationships.

**FALSE**

Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Easy  
Heading: Sex in the World Religions  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #14  
Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions

15. Early Judaic law makes it clear that a husband and wife should consider sex to be a pleasurable activity.

**FALSE**

Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Easy  
Heading: Judaism  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #15  
Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions

16. In Turkey and Morocco, it is seen that the Muslim population treats men and women equally.

**TRUE**

Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Easy  
Heading: Islam  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #16  
Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions

17. The Puritan society in the U.S. enjoyed mutual sexual pleasure in their intimate relationships and marriages.

**TRUE**

*Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #17*

*Topic: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

18. At present, all Christian groups in the U.S. are supportive of women holding high positions such as that of the clergy.

**FALSE**

*Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #18*

*Topic: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

19. Encouraging people to respect sexual and gender diversity is part of the UCC's mission.

**TRUE**

*Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Religion and Sexual Well-Being*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #19*

*Topic: Religion and Sexual Well-Being*

20. Creating a social network of like-minded friends and family helps people to reconcile their beliefs with their sexual individuality and well-being.

**TRUE**

*Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Religion and Sexual Well-Being*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #20*

*Topic: Religion and Sexual Well-Being*

21. Which of the following is one of the unique traits typically associated with human sexuality?

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: The Sexual Triangle: Species, Culture, and Individual*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #21*

*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

22. The unique traits related to human sexuality such as indulging in sexual activity for recreation, creating rules and beliefs around sex, are mainly associated with three elements. Which of the following is one of these basic elements?

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Hard*

*Heading: The Sexual Triangle: Species, Culture, and Individual  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #22  
Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

23. The unique traits related to human sexuality come from the combination of three elements: our species, \_\_\_\_\_, and individuality.

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: The Sexual Triangle: Species, Culture, and Individual  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #23  
Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

24. Which of the following is a unique trait associated with the Bonobo chimpanzees?

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: Sexuality Among the Bonobo  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #24  
Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

25. In the context of sexual behavior, which of the following is true of the Bonobo chimpanzees?

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Hard*  
*Heading: Sexuality Among the Bonobo*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #25*  
*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

26. Which of the following Bonobo sexual behaviors closely resembles that of humans?

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Hard*  
*Heading: Sexuality Among the Bonobo*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #26*  
*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

27. Which of the following is one of the factors that differentiate humans from Bonobos?

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sexuality Among the Bonobo*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #27*  
*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

28. In the context of Bonobo chimpanzees, their indulgence in sex is likely to be highest:

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sexuality Among the Bonobo*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #28*  
*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

29. Which of the following best defines the estrus period?

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Sexuality Among the Bonobo*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #29*  
*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

30. Which of the following is true of the estrus period in humans?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.**
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sexuality Among the Bonobo*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #30*  
*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

31.

Pair bonding is best defined as:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.**

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Human Sexual Nature as Expressed Through Culture*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #31*

*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

32.

Language and culture has:

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Hard*

*Heading: Human Sexual Nature as Expressed Through Culture*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #32*

*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

33.

\_\_\_\_\_ specifically refers to the phenomenon of females wanting to mate with the person who will provide strong genes for their offspring.

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Human Sexual Nature as Expressed Through Culture*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #33*

*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

34. Cave paintings, carvings, statues, and tools of the age between 30,000 and 40,000 years ago provide evidence that in the ancient age:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.**
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Prehistoric Sex and Communication*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #34*  
*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

35. Prehistoric art directly connects sex with:

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Prehistoric Sex and Communication*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #35*  
*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

36. In prehistoric India, where Hinduism had a strong hold:

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Asian Civilizations*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #36*  
*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

37. In the context of Buddhism, which of the following is true?

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Hard  
Heading: Asian Civilizations  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #37  
Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

38. Which of the following sexual practices is closely associated with China's traditional culture?

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Easy  
Heading: Asian Civilizations  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #38  
Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

39. Ancient Greek civilization dates from 800 B.C.E. until 197 C.E when it was incorporated into the Roman Empire. The Greeks practiced a complex form of sexuality and love that:

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Medium  
Heading: Ancient Greece, Rome, and Christianity  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #39  
Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

40.

In ancient Greece, young teens had to undergo certain rituals to achieve masculinity and honor as well as to cultivate self-discipline and leadership. Which of the following is one of the rituals associated with this process?

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: Ancient Greece, Rome, and Christianity*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #40*

*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

41.

During the time of Emperor Augustus (63 B.C.E. to 14 C.E.), all sex with slaves and prostitutes, especially same-sex relationships, were outlawed in Rome. Which of the following is the primary reason behind this measure?

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Hard*

*Heading: Ancient Greece, Rome, and Christianity*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #41*

*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

42.

During the period of 500 to 1500 C.E, which of the following was strictly labeled as "sodomy" under Christianity?

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Hard*

*Heading: Ancient Greece, Rome, and Christianity*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #42*

*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

43. Why are Islam, Judaism, and Christianity referred to as the "Abrahamic" religions?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Hard  
Heading: Islamic Civilizations  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #43  
Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

44. One area related to beliefs about sexual pleasure in which the ancient Muslim East diverged from the ancient Christian West was that:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Medium  
Heading: Islamic Civilizations  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #44  
Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

45. The term chivalry associated with Christian knights connected to the Crusades mainly encourages:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember  
Difficulty: Easy  
Heading: Western Europe from the Crusades to the 19th Century  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #45  
Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

46. Which of the following instances primarily challenged the Roman Catholic Church and the power of clerics in the fourteenth century?

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: Western Europe from the Crusades to the 19th Century*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #46*

*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

47. What was the primary reason behind the persecution of the Italian physicist Galileo Galilei?

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: Western Europe from the Crusades to the 19th Century*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #47*

*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

48. Which of the following was an important event of the 19<sup>th</sup> century?

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Western Europe from the Crusades to the 19th Century*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #48*

*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

49. In the context of the Victorian Era, which of the following is true?

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: The Victorian Era and Sexual Identity*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #49*  
*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

50. In the late 19<sup>th</sup> century it was observed that men increasingly went to pubs, joined secret male societies or Christian purity movements in droves, seeking the solidarity of other men and a sense of a haven away from their home. Which of the following is the primary reason behind this trend?

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Hard*  
*Heading: The Victorian Era and Sexual Identity*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #50*  
*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

51. In the 1930s and 1940s, massive migrations due to the Great Depression and then war impacted heavily on gender roles. Which of the following is one of the most prominent changes typically associated with this age?

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: 20th-Century Sexuality*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #51*  
*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

52.

Sexual culture is best defined as:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.**

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*

*Herdt - Chapter 02 #52*

*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

53.

A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ is best defined as the standard of sexual behavior expected of people in a particular role, relationship, and situation.

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*

*Herdt - Chapter 02 #53*

*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

54.

People's expectations form the ideal blueprint of a sexual culture and are put into practice through \_\_\_\_\_.

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Hard*

*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*

*Herdt - Chapter 02 #54*

*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

55. Sexual socialization is best defined as:

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*  
*Herdt - Chapter 02 #55*  
*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

56. Which of the following is the major factor behind the presence of diversity in sexual behavior across culture?

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Hard*  
*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*  
*Herdt - Chapter 02 #56*  
*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

57. The tendency of judging another groups behavior to be inferior when compared against the standards of the group one belongs to is referred to as:

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*  
*Herdt - Chapter 02 #57*  
*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

58. Which of the following is an example of an instance of cultural chauvinism?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.**
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Hard*  
*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #58*  
*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

59. The belief that one's sexual culture is superior to others is specifically referred to as:

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #59*  
*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

60. Which of the following is a practice that one should adhere to so as to avoid being disrespectful toward other sexual cultures?

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #60*  
*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

61. In sexually approving cultures, young people are most likely to learn about sexuality:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.**
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sex-Approving and Sex-Disapproving Cultures*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #61*  
*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

62. In the context of sexual socializing, one striking difference between sexually approving cultures and sexually disapproving cultures is that in the latter:

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Hard*  
*Heading: Sex-Approving and Sex-Disapproving Cultures*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #62*  
*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

63. Sexual unlearning is best defined as the pattern of sexual socialization:

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sexual Unlearning*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #63*  
*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

64. During our childhood, we are not prohibited from running around nude. However as we grow up, we are taught that it is considered abnormal to be nude in public. This type of sexual socializing is specifically referred to as:

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Apply*  
*Difficulty: Hard*  
*Heading: Sexual Unlearning*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #64*  
*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

65. Sexual unlearning is likely to be most common in societies that are:

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sexual Unlearning*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #65*  
*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

66. The religious practice of worshipping many gods is referred to as:

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Sex, Religion, and Reality*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #66*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

67. \_\_\_\_\_ are followers of a polytheistic religion.

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Sex, Religion, and Reality*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #67*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

68. The belief in one God is referred to as:

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Sex, Religion, and Reality*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #68*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

69. Judaism and Islam are examples of:

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Sex, Religion, and Reality*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #69*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

70. In general, compared to monotheistic religions, polytheistic religions are:

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sex, Religion, and Reality*

71. In general, compared to polytheistic religions, monotheistic religions are:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.**

Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Medium  
Heading: Sex, Religion, and Reality  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #71  
Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions

72. Whether a religion is polytheistic or monotheistic:

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Medium  
Heading: Sex, Religion, and Reality  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #72  
Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions

73. Religious identity is best defined as:

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

Blooms: Understand  
Difficulty: Medium  
Heading: Sex, Religion, and Reality  
Herdt - Chapter 02 #73  
Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions

74. In the context of religious identity, which of the following is typically true?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.**
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sex, Religion, and Reality*  
*Herdt - Chapter 02 #74*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

75. In the context of present day societies practicing Hinduism, which of the following is true?

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*  
*Herdt - Chapter 02 #75*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

76. In the context of Buddhism, which of the following is true?

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*  
*Herdt - Chapter 02 #76*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

77. In the context of Judaism, which of the following is true?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.**
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #77*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

78. In the context of Islam, which of the following is true?

- A.
- B.
- C.**
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #78*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

79. In the context of present day societies practicing Christianity, which of the following is true?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.**

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #79*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

80. Hindu tradition is exceptional in its acceptance of:

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Hard*  
*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #80*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

81. Hindu philosophy is based on the view that:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.**
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #81*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

82. In the context of Hinduism, which of the following is one of the guidelines related to sex?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.**

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #82*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

83. In general, Buddhism:

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.**
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Medium*  
*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*

84. According to the Torah, Judaism's most holy text:

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #84*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

85. Liberal Jewish traditions differ from Orthodox Jewish traditions in:

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Hard*  
*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #85*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

86. The Quran, which Muslims regard as their blueprint for behavior, including sexual behavior, tells that:

- A.
- B.**
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #86*  
*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

87. Which of the following factors has played the major role in keeping U.S. society conservative about sexuality?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #87*

*Topic: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

88. Which of the following is a symbolic boundary that divides the culture and Christian groups dramatically in the U.S.?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Hard*

*Heading: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #88*

*Topic: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

89. Which of the following groups in the U.S. is most likely to admit that they have had same-sex relations?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Hard*

*Heading: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #89*

*Topic: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

90. Which of the following was an immediate outcome of the verdict of the Rowe versus Wade case?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #90*

*Topic: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

91. Which of the following still remains almost universally condemned among all Christian groups?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #91*

*Topic: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

92. Which of the following is the primary purpose of the United Church of Christ (UCC)?

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Religion and Sexual Well-Being*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #92*

*Topic: Religion and Sexual Well-Being*

93. Radical inclusion is best defined as a new sexual and cultural norm that specifically says:

- A.**
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Religion and Sexual Well-Being*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #93*  
*Topic: Religion and Sexual Well-Being*

94. The unique traits associated with human sexuality mainly come from the combination of three elements: \_\_\_\_\_, culture, and individuality.

**species**

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: The Sexual Triangle: Species, Culture, and Individual*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #94*  
*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

95. Culture gives people a sense of group cohesion, shared meaning and identity, and also establishes standards for acceptable behavior, called \_\_\_\_\_.

**norms**

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: Human Sexual Nature as Expressed Through Culture*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #95*  
*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

96. \_\_\_\_\_, that gained much popularity in the 20<sup>th</sup> century, was based on the cultural idea that a man and woman are not just sex partners but also social and intellectual companions and equals for life.

**Companionate marriage**

*Blooms: Remember*  
*Difficulty: Easy*  
*Heading: 20th-Century Sexuality*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #96*  
*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

97. \_\_\_\_\_ is best defined as the self-identification by an individual as heterosexual, bisexual, or homosexual.

**Sexual identity**

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Sex-Approving and Sex-Disapproving Cultures*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #97*

*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

98. The practice, which allows a man to have multiple wives at the same time, is referred to as \_\_\_\_\_.

**polygamy**

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #98*

*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

99. Of all the forms of sexual chauvinism, one of the most severe is when someone is labeled \_\_\_\_\_ meaning that their behavior is dysfunctional compared to the people who uphold the culture's norms

**abnormal**

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #99*

*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

100. In general, \_\_\_\_\_, compared to monotheistic religions, are more likely to be sex-approving than sex-disapproving.

**polytheistic religions**

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Sex, Religion, and Reality*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #100*

*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

101. \_\_\_\_\_ means sharing practices of worship with others and belonging to a faith-based group, both of which create shared social experiences.

**Organized religion**

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Sex, Religion, and Reality*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #101*

*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

102. \_\_\_\_\_ the morally upright and socially strict beliefs and practices of the Puritans, was a factor in how American society has framed the discussion about such topics as nudity, premarital sex, extramarital sex, virginity, and pornography.

### **Puritanism**

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #102*

*Topic: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

103. \_\_\_\_\_ is a new sexual and cultural norm, propagated by the UCC that says everyone has a right to be a member of a religious community, regardless of their color, gender, sexual identity, or anything else.

### **Radical inclusion**

*Blooms: Remember*

*Difficulty: Easy*

*Heading: Religion and Sexual Well-Being*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #103*

*Topic: Religion and Sexual Well-Being*

104. Mention a few sexual traits unique to humans. Do these traits have a common origin?

Sexuality is a common denominator among all humans and the human sexual experience has unique aspects. For example, no other species pursues sex for fun and pleasure, as well as for procreation. Humans are also unique in the whole universe in creating rules and beliefs around sex that have become the foundation of culture, individuality, and religion. Emotional bonding, which may occur when people look into each other's faces during sexual intercourse, leading to lifelong adult relationships, is yet another distinctive aspect of human sexuality. These unique traits come from the combination of three elements: our species, culture, and individuality. The three elements intersect with each other as a result of millions of years of evolution of our species, hundreds of generations of the development of culture, and the uniqueness of each individual.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: The Sexual Triangle: Species, Culture, and Individual*

105.

Is there any similarity between human sexuality and that of the Bonobo chimpanzees? Give reasons to support your answer.

Yes, there are quite a few similarities between human sexuality and that of the Bonobo chimpanzees.

Chimpanzees are the species most like humans, sharing more than 98% of our genes, and scientists believe that the sexual behavior of the Bonobo chimps is most like human sexual behavior. Unlike other lower primate species, the female Bonobo is sexually active and attractive to mates year round. Like in humans, sexual pleasure is a larger motivator for sex among the Bonobo than is procreation. Sexuality among the Bonobo creates intense social bonding and greater diversity of sexual behaviors compared to other species. Some other similarity between humans and Bonobos are: Bonobo females appear to have emotional and physiological responses that closely resemble human orgasm; Bonobo sexual behaviors include the only nonhuman examples of face-to-face genital sex, tongue kissing, and oral sex known in the wild; They also engage in manual sex, rubbing genitals, grinning and squealing as if in delight, and sexual behavior between individuals of the same sex is common.

*Blooms: Understand*  
*Difficulty: Hard*  
*Heading: Ancient Greece, Rome, and Christianity*  
*Herd - Chapter 02 #105*  
*Topic: Human Sexual Nature in Context*

Ancient Greek civilization dates from 800 B.C.E. until 197 C.E when it was incorporated into the Roman Empire. The Greeks practiced a complex form of sexuality and love that included sexual pleasure but tempered it with restraint. Their sexual culture was ideally democratic, but male power was a significant element of their tradition. Too much sex was considered bad for health, but in general, sex was a natural, positive function of human life in Ancient Greece. The Greeks believed in many gods, a concept they borrowed from Ancient Egypt, a civilization dating back to about 3100 B.C.E. Greek religion included the important idea that the gods, including their ruler Zeus, were believed to be highly sexual and engaged in all kinds of sexual exploits. Zeus could take human or animal form, he engaged in sexual interactions with women and boys, and he produced human offspring. Not surprisingly, then, the Greeks accepted same-sex relations, but because all Greeks had to marry, homosexuality was not an exclusive sexual practice for them. Young men in their late teens had sexual relations with older males to achieve masculinity and honor as well as to cultivate self-discipline and leadership. Married men could have extra-marital relationships with younger males who were in their late teens. Typically, these relationships involved sex, love, and mentoring to make the youths into proud free citizens.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: Ancient Greece, Rome, and Christianity*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #106*

*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

Why is the Victorian age, considered to be the most prudish age, seen as the beginning of the modern period?

The Victorian era is known to be prudish. During the Victorian era, the accepted view was that sex should be private, hidden from and emotionally suppressed in children, and never mentioned in polite society. The genders were highly polarized and this was expressed in male and female sexuality. However, toward the end of the 19<sup>th</sup> century, as the first women's emancipation movement gathered momentum, women began to search for a more holistic, meaningful sense of sexual well-being that would also include pleasure and a larger role in society. Children, once deemed to be sexual creatures in their own right, were now regarded as entirely sexually innocent and in need of protection to keep them that way. Men were expected to be sexually aggressive, to have manual jobs, and to express what people called very natural and innate "sex drives. Such modern attitudes motivated potential conflicts for human sexual nature. For example, women and children had to deny all sexuality, and men's sexuality was believed to be a conflict between good and evil, a struggle between the pure or good side, and the lustful, animal-like sexual side. From the new forms of sexuality created in the 19th century, including notions of sexual degeneration that were condemned, rose new positive ideas. The most important new concept was sexual identity, defined as the self-identification by an individual as heterosexual, bisexual, or homosexual, which came into existence during this period. The concept of homosexuality as a distinctive sexual orientation of individuals attracted to others of the same gender emerged first, followed by the invention of the concept of heterosexuality as an identity. Also during the Victorian era, a new norm redefined the concepts of production and consumption: the heterosexual couple. Prior to this time, marriage was largely a political contract, and husband and wife lived with the extended family of the man, typically in small villages. The idea of a long-term romantic sexual partnership in marriage began taking shape as society industrialized and people moved to the cities. New concepts of

companionship and gender equality for women also emerged at this time. Romantic love between couples and the concept of individual choice in sex and marriage became popular. In other words, sexuality was being modernized. Thus the Victorian era in a way laid the foundation of the modern period.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Hard*

*Heading: The Victorian Era and Sexual Identity*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #107*

*Topic: Sex Since the Beginning of Time*

108. What is a sexual norm? Explain with an example.

A sexual norm is the standard of sexual behavior expected of people in a particular role, relationship, and situation. Within a particular culture, there can be many different sexual norms for different types of people, such as males versus females, and children versus adults. An example would be the sexual norm governing who can kiss or hold hands in public, who is allowed to date, who is allowed to have premarital sex, and who is forbidden to have sex of any kind.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #108*

*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

109. Explain sexual chauvinism with an appropriate example.

Sexual chauvinism is the belief that one's sexual culture is superior to others. For example, in some cultures, adolescents may be allowed to indulge in premarital sex. Sexual chauvinism occurs when individuals of this culture look down upon another culture which prohibits premarital sex.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: Sexual Norms and Sexual Socialization*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #109*

*Topic: Sexual Cultures and Norms*

110.

Give an example of how religious beliefs influences sexual behavior.

Let us take the case of Buddhism. Buddhism advocates intense self-effort toward greater consciousness, and is generally tolerant of many forms of sexuality. It combines qualities of being practical, scientific, psychological, and egalitarian that are reflected in its sexual norms. In the Buddhist faith, sex is viewed positively, in moderation, like everything else in life. Mutual pleasures between spouses are expected. Pre-marital sex is discouraged because it falls outside the context of doing no harm to the self or others, including the possibility of unintended pregnancy. It can also create false promises to others and represents loss of self-control. Divorce is regarded as a secular matter and is not prohibited, but because divorce disrupts families, people are expected to marry for life.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: Sex in the World Religions*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #110*

*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

111.

Elaborate on how Judaism has adapted to changing times.

Early Judaism was tolerant in some ways, but it considered certain forms of sexual behavior, including homosexuality, wrong and tabooed. As Judaism adapted to changing times, some of its earlier norms also changed. For example, one branch of Judaism has become more accepting of diverse sexual techniques, such as oral sex, and also of equality for women.

As the Jewish tradition has evolved, differences in religious practices have created two main branches: Orthodox and Reform or Liberal. The former group conforms to the Torah more strictly than the Reform group. The latter group has implemented reforms, including less stringent dietary rules, recognition of women as Rabbis, and greater acceptance of sexual pleasure. Also, some Reform Jewish congregations welcome all people regardless of sexual orientation.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Hard*

*Heading: Judaism*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #111*

*Topic: Sexuality and the Great World Religions*

112.

How has sex become a symbolic boundary that divides people in the United States?

Sex has become a symbolic boundary that divides people in the United States based on what their religion regards as "good" versus "bad" sexual attitudes and behaviors. One such symbolic boundary that divides the culture and Christian groups dramatically is the concept of homosexuality. When it comes to homosexuality, many Christian groups continue to disapprove or even condemn gay and lesbian people, though U.S. public opinion has dramatically increased support for issues such as same-sex marriage, and it is no longer illegal, as it once was, to engage in adult same-sex relationships.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Hard*

*Heading: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #112*

113.

Discuss how the United Church of Christ is contributing toward the sexual well-being of the society.

The United Church of Christ (UCC) has taken the lead in how to discuss with church members what it means to be sexual and attain sexual well-being in the context of their faith. In fact, the UCC clearly states that respecting sexual and gender diversity is part of its mission to help society increase its positive acceptance of sexuality. This church is one that rejects sexual chauvinism and promotes what they call "radical inclusion". Radical inclusion is a new sexual and cultural norm that says everyone has a right to be a member of a religious community, regardless of their color, gender, sexual identity, or anything else.

*Blooms: Understand*

*Difficulty: Medium*

*Heading: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

*Herd - Chapter 02 #113*

*Topic: Spirituality and Sexual Behavior in the United States*

## c2 Summary