Annotated Bibliography Assignment #2-150 points

One of your assignments this semester in Sci 2 will be to write a research paper on the topic of “Science in Africa”. You will be able to choose from three research sub categories to write the paper. You are going to begin your work on the paper now by choosing your research topic area and writing an annotated bibliography.

Once you’ve chosen your topic, you’ll start researching the topic by looking up articles from peer review sources as you did with annotated bibliography 1. Afterward you will write a second Annotated Bibliography. This Annotated Bibliography must be developed from a review and write up of 4 peer reviewed journal articles and must be cited (written) in APA format. Your task is to choose 1 sub category from the research areas listed below.

Science in Africa paper research categories:
Sub1 - Human Origins (genetics, fossils, evolutionary linkages, etc)
Sub 2 - Health Issues (hunger, poverty, diseases (except HIV/AID’s), clean water)
Sub 3 - Sustainability (environment, access to clean water, impact of global warming, habitat, natural resources, etc.)

Assignment
1. Choose 1 category from the 3 topic areas above as the topic for your research paper.
2. Find 4 peer-reviewed journal articles from your chosen category to read.
3. Using your selected articles, write your annotated bibliography.

What to cover in the Annotation:
For the purpose of this annotated bibliography assignment, we are asking you to provide specific information about the research discussed in your articles. When writing your annotation, you must cover the following points:

- **What was studied?** What was/were the subject(s) of the study? (e.g. individuals, diseases, environmental hazards, etc.)
- **What transpired in the study?** How was the topic studied?
- **What were the results (findings) and conclusions of the study?** What did the researchers learn or discover and what did they conclude from their findings?

**Summary/conclusion:** Afterward we'd like you to include a "Synthesis page". In one page compare and contrast the studies/articles you read. Answer in your synthesis:

- **How do the findings and conclusions of the researcher(s) compare to contrast to the findings and conclusions each other?** Do they agree or disagree? Do they focus on different aspects of the problem or issue? Synthesize and summarize all 4 articles into a one page write up. Do not forget to use APA citation when referring to specific ideas or quotes.