

Eruption of Permanent Teeth Among The Gallong of Arunachal Pradesh

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ABSTRACT In the present study, an attempt has been made to describe the eruption of permanent teeth in the Gallong children of Arunachal Pradesh, India. A total of 690 children of both sexes were orally examined. Median age at eruption for each tooth is calculated, using Profit transformation of Fisher and Yates (1957). It is found that all permanent teeth erupt between the median age of 6.7 and 11.90 years in girls and 6.35 and 12.67 years in boys. When compared with boys, girls show earlier eruption of all maxillary and mandibular teeth in both sides of the jaws. The entire permanent dentition shows that the first mandibular molar, followed by the first maxillary molar, erupt at the earliest for both sexes.