

**Ba/Soc-101**

**2015**

( 1st Semester )

**SOCIOLOGY**

Paper No. : SOC-101

**( Introduction to Sociology )**

*Full Marks : 70*

*Pass Marks : 45%*

*Time : 3 hours*

( PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE )

( Marks : 45 )

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions .*

1. (a) What is Sociology? Explain the origin and development of Sociology. 3+6=9

*Or*

- (b) Explain the significance of Sociology. 9

2. (a) Discuss the relationship between Sociology and Political Science. 9

*Or*

- (b) "Sociology and Social Anthropology are one and the same." Explain.

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3. (a) Define Society. Explain the main characteristics of society.  $3+6=9$

Or

- (b) What is Social Organization? How is it different from Community?  $3+6=9$

4. (a) Define Family. Describe the functions of family.  $3+6=9$

Or

- (b) What is Kinship? Discuss the degree of kinship.  $3+6=9$

5. (a) Explain the meaning and nature of Social Change. 9

Or

- (b) Elaborate how technological and demographic factors led to Social Change.  $4\frac{1}{2}+4\frac{1}{2}=9$

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( PART : A—OBJECTIVE )

( Marks : 25 )

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**SECTION—I**

( Marks : 10 )

Put a Tick (✓) mark against the correct answer in the brackets provided : 1×10=10

1. Sociology emerged as a discipline in the

(a) 17th century ( )

(b) 18th century ( )

(c) 19th century ( )

(d) 20th century ( )

2. The book, *System of Positive Philosophy* is written by

(a) E. Leach ( )

(b) Max Weber ( )

(c) P. E. Park ( )

(d) Comte ( )

3. Sociologists make use of historical data in their studies giving rise to

(a) Sociology ( )

(b) History ( )

(c) Social History ( )

(d) Historical Sociology ( )

4. "Sociology has its main roots in Politics and Philosophy of History." Who said this?

(a) G. E. Howard ( )

(b) Toynbee ( )

(c) Ginsberg ( )

(d) Karl Marx ( )

5. Which among the following is not the element of social system?

(a) Belief ( )

(b) Sentiment ( )

(c) Norms ( )

(d) Slaves ( )

6. Who has propounded the theory of cultural lag?

(a) Ogburn ( )

(b) Bogardus ( )

(c) Weber ( )

(d) Comte ( )

7. Polygyny is a form of marriage in which a man is married to

(a) a woman ( )

(b) several women ( )

(c) a man ( )

(d) None of the above ( )

8. The kinship usage which gives special role to the maternal uncle is called

- (a) amitate ( )
- (b) couvade ( )
- (c) avunculate ( )
- (d) teknonymy ( )

9. Who said, "Social change is simply a change in the human relationship"?

- (a) Kingsley Davis ( )
- (b) James Frazer ( )
- (c) Vilfredo Pareto ( )
- (d) MacIver ( )

10. Karl Marx is an advocate of

- (a) evolutionary theory of change ( )
- (b) functional theory of change ( )
- (c) conflict theory of change ( )
- (d) structural theory of change ( )

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SECTION—II

( Marks : 5 )

Indicate *True (T)* or *False (F)* by putting a Tick (✓) mark :

1×5=5

1. Sociology has a long past but a short history.

( T / F )

2. Society is dynamic and not static.

( T / F )

3. Affinal kinship is a relationship based on blood.

( T / F )

4. Social change means progressive change only.

( T / F )

5. Functionalist theory is also known as equilibrium theory.

( T / F )

SECTION—III

( Marks : 10 )

Write short answers (any five) : 2×5=10

1. What is the scope of Sociology?



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2. Explain any two elements of culture.

3. What is social structure?

4. What is hypogamy?

5. What is animism?

6. Briefly discuss the conflict of social change.

7. Discuss the cultural factor of social change.

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