

FIRST SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JANUARY 2013

(CCSS)

Sociology**SO 1C 01—PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY**

(2011 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

Section A*Answer all twelve questions.**Each question carries 4 weightage.***I. A. Write the correct answer from the given options**

1. The Nature of sociology is :

(a) Scientific.

(b) Humanistic.

(c) Cultural.

(d) General.

2. Which of the following is not a element of community ?

(a) Locality.

(b) Definite locality.

(c) Abstract.

(d) Smaller in size.

3. The concept 'sacred' means :

(a) Unholy.

(b) Holy.

(c) Belief.

(d) Salvation.

4. Who asserts "Socialization is a process of learning that enables the learner to perform social roles"?

(a) Dubey.

(b) Harry M. Johnson.

(c) Srinivas.

(d) Durkheim.

B. Fill in the blanks :

•5. _____ has divided sociology into social statics and social dynamics.

6. Exogamy is a form of

7. Groups which serve as point of comparisons are called _____ group.

8. Only man is born and brought up in a _____ environment.

C. Answer the following in a

9. Who is known as the founding father of sociology ?
10. A family with husband and wife is called as :
11. Manusmirthi prescribes.
12. The difference between material and non-material culture is referred as :

(12 x 3 = 36 weightage)

Section B

*Answer all nine questions.
Each question carries 1 weightage.*

II. Short answer type questions :

13. Define Sociology.
14. Clarify the concept 'Society'.
15. State the meaning of community.
16. Define Institution.
17. Give the meaning of Endogamy.
18. What is patriarchal family ?
19. What does profane refer to ?
20. Define social group.
21. What are the agencies of socialisation process ?

(9 x 1 = 9 weightage)

Section C

*Answer any five questions.
Each question carries 2 weightage.*

III. Short essay or paragraph questions

22. Elucidate the relevance of sociology.
23. Distinguish between society and community.
24. Write the major characteristics of association.
25. Outline the features of matriarchal family.
26. Elucidate the social functions of religion.
27. Write a short note on primary group.
28. Explain the relationship between culture and personality.

(5 x 2 = 10 weightage)

Section D

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Each question carries **4** weightage.*

IV. Essay questions :

29. Describe the characteristics of society.
30. Examine the changing functions of family in India.
31. Elucidate the various stages of socialisation process.

(2 x 4 = 8 weightage)