

**FIRST SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JANUARY 2013**

(CCSS)

History

HY 11301—METHODOLOGY AND PERSPECTIVES OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

## Section A

*Objective Type Questions.**Answer **all** the questions.*

1. \_\_\_\_\_ was the birth place of social sciences.
2. Who said : "Man is a social animal" ?
3. Who propounded the theory of divine right of kingship ?
4. The term history is derived from the Latin word \_\_\_\_\_
5. Who was the founder of sociology as a separate discipline ?

Match the following (6-9)

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| 6. Ranke _____            | <i>Scienza nouva.</i>               |
| Herder _____              | – 'History of the Popes'.           |
| 8. Giamattista Vico _____ | Philosophy of History.              |
| 9. Hegel _____            | – 'One More Philosophy of History'. |
10. What is the opposite of objectivity ?
  11. Point out the Vedic Text that first referred about caste system.
  12. \_\_\_\_\_ was the harbinger of the Romantic Movement in Germany.

(12 x  $\frac{1}{4}$  = 3 weightage)

## Section B (Short Notes)

*Answer **all** the questions.*

13. The concept of social science.
14. Auguste Comte.
15. Max Webber.
16. Adam Smith.
17. Thomas Carlyle.
18. Simmel.
19. Arthur Young.

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20. Anthropology.
21. *Tharavad*.

(9 x 1 = 9 weight)

### Section C (Short Essays)

*Answer any five of the following.*

22. Point out the background of English Revolution.
23. What are the basic principles of social sciences ?
24. What is empirical method ?
25. What is the difference between culture and civilization ?
26. Examine the relevance of the study of social sciences.
27. Point out the interrelationship between history and politics.
28. Bring out the features of colonial history.

(5 x 2 = 10 weightage)

### Section D (Long Essays)

*Answer any two of the following.*

29. Examine the contribution of Thomas Hobbes and John Locke for the development of the concept social sciences.
30. Why History is called the Mother of all Social Sciences ?
31. Evaluate the social change brought about by the French Revolution.

(2 x 4 = 8 weightage)