

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)

BA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2025  
(Sixth Semester)

Branch – SOCIOLOGY

**SOCIOLOGY OF CHANGE & DEVELOPMENT**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 50 Marks

**SECTION-A (5 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks (5 x 1 = 5)

- 1 Which is the source of change in Society? \_\_\_\_\_  
(i) Social movement (ii) Social behaviour  
(iii) Collective behaviour (iv) Social control
- 2 What is the meaning of Liberalization of economy? \_\_\_\_\_  
(i) Market friendly state (ii) Controlled by private sector  
(iii) Deregulation of licenses (iv) All the above
- 3 Who has proposed World system theory? \_\_\_\_\_  
(i) Skinner (ii) Immanuel Kant  
(iii) Mc Clelland (iv) Immanuel Wallersteine
- 4 Which of the following was NOT an issue to be addressed under Sustainable Development Goals?  
(i) Child mortality (ii) Human Rights  
(iii) Environmental sustainability (iv) Primary Education
- 5 Which of the following indicators is NOT used to calculate Human Development Index (HDI)?  
(i) Life Expectancy (ii) Education  
(iii) Social Inequality (iv) Per Capita Income

**SECTION - B (15 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 3 = 15)

6. a. Explain the subject matters of Sociology of Development.  
(OR)  
b. Narrate the characteristics of welfare state.
7. a. Explain the concept of Modernization.  
(OR)  
b. Explain McClelland's Achievement motive Economic Growth.
8. a. Describe the ideas and views of Dependency School.  
(OR)  
b. Explain the salient features of underdevelopment.
9. a. Sketch out the objectives of Employment planning.  
(OR)  
b. Narrate the development of IT sectors in recent days.
10. a. Examine the impact of New Economic Policy on Development.  
(OR)  
b. What is E-Governance? Explain-its unique characteristics.

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**SECTION -C (30 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(5 x 6 = 30)

- 11 a. Describe in detail about the agencies and scope of development.  
(OR)  
b. Differentiate the concepts Growth, progress and Empowerment.
- 12 a. Elucidate Lipset's ideas on Economic Development and Democracy.  
(OR)  
b. Examine Huntington's views on Third World Countries.
- 13 a. Bring out Cardoso's Methodology and its significance.  
(OR)  
b. Critically evaluate the features of World System Theory.
- 14 a. Enumerate the role of HDI on Agrarian and Rural Development.  
(OR)  
b. Elaborate in detail on Sustainable Development Goals.
- 15 a. Explicate the significance of Special Economic Zones in India.  
(OR)  
b. Describe the Gandhian Model of Development.

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