

**PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)**

**BA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2026  
(Second Semester)**

Branch - **SOCIOLOGY**

**GENERAL SOCIOLOGY – II**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

**SECTION-A (10 Marks)**

Answer **ALL** questions

**ALL** questions carry **EQUAL** marks

(10 × 1 = 10)

| Module No. | Question No. | Question                                                                                                                     | K Level | CO  |
|------------|--------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|-----|
| 1          | 1            | Family is a basic _____ institution.<br>(i) Political (ii) Economic<br>(iii) Social (iv) Religious                           | K1      | CO1 |
|            | 2            | Exogamy means marriage _____ one's group.<br>(i) Within (ii) Outside<br>(iii) Between siblings (iv) Within family            | K2      | CO1 |
| 2          | 3            | Social interaction takes place between _____.<br>(i) Animals (ii) Individuals<br>(iii) Machines (iv) Objects                 | K1      | CO2 |
|            | 4            | Cooperation is called _____ social process.<br>(i) Dis-associative (ii) Negative<br>(iii) Associative (iv) Competitive       | K2      | CO2 |
| 3          | 5            | Caste is a type of social _____.<br>(i) Control<br>(ii) Change<br>(iii) Stratification<br>(iv) Interaction                   | K1      | CO3 |
|            | 6            | Class system is mainly based on _____ status.<br>(i) Birth<br>(ii) Religion<br>(iii) Economic<br>(iv) Political              | K2      | CO3 |
| 4          | 7            | Social change refers to change in _____.<br>(i) Culture and society<br>(ii) Individual only<br>(iii) Animals<br>(iv) Climate | K1      | CO4 |
|            | 8            | Evolutionary theory explains social change as _____.<br>(i) Sudden (ii) Cyclic<br>(iii) Gradual<br>(iv) Accidental           | K2      | CO4 |
| 5          | 9            | Law is an example of _____ social control.<br>(i) Informal<br>(ii) Disorder<br>(iii) Social order<br>(iv) Competition        | K1      | CO5 |
|            | 10           | Customs help in maintaining _____ in society.<br>(i) Conflict<br>(ii) Disorder<br>(iii) Social order<br>(iv) Competition     | K2      | CO5 |

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**SECTION - B (35 Marks)**Answer **ALL** questions**ALL** questions carry **EQUAL** Marks (5 × 7 = 35)

| Module No. | Question No. | Question                                                          | K Level | CO  |
|------------|--------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|-----|
| 1          | 11.a.        | Discuss the meaning and characteristics of family.                | K2      | CO3 |
|            |              | (OR)                                                              |         |     |
|            | 11.b.        | List out the types of family based on structure and authority.    |         |     |
| 2          | 12.a.        | Explain cooperation and accommodation as social processes.        | K2      | CO3 |
|            |              | (OR)                                                              |         |     |
|            | 12.b.        | Illustrate competition and conflict as social processes.          |         |     |
| 3          | 13.a.        | Discuss the meaning and characteristics of social stratification. | K3      | CO3 |
|            |              | (OR)                                                              |         |     |
|            | 13.b.        | Define how caste as a system of social stratification.            |         |     |
| 4          | 14.a.        | Discuss the factors responsible for social change.                | K3      | CO4 |
|            |              | (OR)                                                              |         |     |
|            | 14.b.        | Write the nature and characteristics of social change.            |         |     |
| 5          | 15.a.        | Examine the importance of social control in society.              | K4      | CO5 |
|            |              | (OR)                                                              |         |     |
|            | 15.b.        | Analyse formal and informal social control.                       |         |     |

**SECTION -C (30 Marks)**Answer **ANY THREE** questions**ALL** questions carry **EQUAL** Marks (3 × 10 = 30)

| Module No. | Question No. | Question                                                             | K Level | CO  |
|------------|--------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|-----|
| 1          | 16           | Describe the meaning, functions and types of family.                 | K1      | CO1 |
| 2          | 17           | Explain the associative and dissociative social processes.           | K2      | CO2 |
| 3          | 18           | Elaborate the types of social stratification with suitable examples. | K3      | CO3 |
| 4          | 19           | Critically explain the theories of social change.                    | K3      | CO4 |
| 5          | 20           | Analyse the types of social control with examples.                   | K4      | CO5 |

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