

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)

BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2019
(First Semester)

Branch -**PSYCHOLOGY**

ELEMENTS OF SOCIOLOGY

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION-A (10 Marks)

Answer **ALL** questions

ALL questions carry **EQUAL** marks (10 x 1 = 10)

- 1 When the individual understand himself as social animal?
 - (i) When he understands himself as an individual
 - (ii) When he enters into the institution of marriage
 - (iii) When he enters into social relationships
 - (iv) When he become a member of a political party
- 2 The subject matter of sociology primarily focuses on
 - (i) social relationships
 - (ii) culture and society
 - (iii) community
 - (iv) social change
- 3 Which among the following is called as Association?
 - (i) Industry
 - (ii) Government
 - (iii) Family
 - (iv) Society
- 4 According to some sociologist, the society exists only when
 - (i) The members know each other and posses common interests
 - (ii) The group becomes an organized institution
 - (iii) The unstructured group becomes structured
 - (iv) The individual identifies himself as a member of group
- 5 Food preparation and eating habits are largely determined by
 - (i) Taboos
 - (ii) Cultural norms
 - (iii) Economic condition
 - (iv) Availability

Social control is a part of

 - (i) Social structure
 - (ii) Social behaviour
 - (iii) Social relationships
 - (iv) Socialization
- 7 The purpose of the agents of social control is
 - (i) Exploitative, motivated by social interest
 - (ii) Putting efforts to regulate behaviour in accordance to custom
 - (iii) Creative or constructive based upon individual benefit
 - (iv) To establish social norms
- 8 Which of the following means of social control grow themselves in society?
 - (i) Formal means
 - (ii) Negative means
 - (iii) Indirect means
 - (iv) Informal means
- 9 Culture classified into
 - (i) Utilitarian and Non-utilitarian
 - (ii) Material and Non-materials
 - (iii) Equipped and Non-equipped
 - (iv) Philosophical and Non-philosophical
- 10 The later phase of the super organic culture is termed as
 - (i) Culture
 - (ii) Advancement of technoloev

SECTION - B (35 Marks)

Answer **ALL** Questions

ALL Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (5 x 7 = 35)

- 11 a Explain the nature of Sociology.
OR
b Narrate the development of Sociology.
- 12 a Describe the difference between institution and association.
OR
b Bring out the characteristics of community.
- 13 a Describe the different stages of socialization.
OR
b Analyze the factors influencing faulty socialization.
- 14 a Explain the importance of social control with illustration.
OR
b Explain informal means of social control with suitable examples.
- 15 a Bring out the components and function of culture.
OR
b Explain the nature of social change.

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

Answer any **THREE** Questions

ALL Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (3 x 10 = 30)

- 16 Define Sociology and examine the relationship of Sociology and Psychology.
- 17 Highlight the types of status and its relationship with role.
- 18 Discuss the importance and types of Socialization.
- 19 'Imposing social order is to maintain equilibrium of Society' - Elucidate with suitable illustration.
- 20 Define culture and discuss the cultural processes with examples.

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