

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)
BA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2017
(Fourth Semester)

Branch- SOCIOLOGY

SOCIAL DEMOGRAPHY

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

SECTION-A (20 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks (10x2 = 20)

- 1 Who is father of demography? Write few sentences about his contributions.
- 2 What are the things comes under 'Vital events' in demography?
- 3 Define Demographic Transition.
- 4 Write down the two assumptions of Malthusian theory of Population.
- 5 Which census year considered as great divide in India? Why?
- 6 Put forth the determinant factors of population distribution in India.
- 7 Illustrate the concepts - 'Immigration and Emigration'.
- 8 What is meant by Crude Birth Rate?
- 9 Delineate the concept 'Population Pyramid'?
- 10 Give the meaning of Pro-natal population policy.

SECTION - B (25 Marks!)

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (5x5 = 25)

- 11 a Differentiate demo graphy and population studies.
OR
- * b Write s short note on national sample survey on India. .
- 12 a Elucidate the Premalthusian theories of population.
OR
- b Give a account on biological theories of population.
- 13 a Note down the importance of Studying population growth and distribution.
OR
- b Explain the recent trends in world population growth.
- 14 a Distinguish fertility and fecundity.
OR
- b Explicate the causes and consequences of infant mortality in India.
- 15 a - Identify the limitation of family welfare program in India.
OR
- b Give a short note on the progress of literacy and educational attainment in India.

SECTION - C (30 Marks!)

Answer any THREE Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (3x10 = 30)

- 16 Discuss the nature and scope of social demography.
- 17 Describe optimum population theory.
- 18 Write an essay on population distribution in different status of India.
- 19 Elaborate Everett Lee's Conceptual framework for migration analysis.
- 20 What is meant by population structure? Discuss the sex and age structure of India's Pooulation.