

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

Branch- **SOCIOLOGY**

URBAN SOCIOLOGY

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

SECTION-A (20 Marks)

Answer **ALL** questions

ALL questions carry **EQUAL** marks (10 x 2 = 20)

- 1 Define Urban sociology.
- 2 Give any two factors responsible for Urbanization.
- 3 Meaning of Centralization.
- 4 Point out any two relationship between Rural and Urban.
- 5 Meaning of Urbanism.
- 6 Define Slum.
- 7 Point out any two element of urban ecology.
- 8 Mention any two characteristics of urban society.
- 9 What is urban renewal?
- 10 Meaning of urban fringe.

SECTION - B (25 Marks)

Answer **ALL** Questions

ALL Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (5 x 5 = 25)

- 11 a Write a brief note on importance of urban sociology.
OR
b Give a brief note on characteristics of urban society.
- 12 a Write short note on element of urban ecology.
OR
b Give a brief note on concentric zone theory.
- 13 a Write a note on urban neighborhood.
OR
b Give a note on rural and urban fringe.
- 14 a Elucidate Louis Wirth's definition of city.
OR
b Write short note on urbanization as a way of life.
- 15 a Write a note on urban transport.
OR
b Explain briefly the nature of slums in India.

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

Answer any **THREE** Questions

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

- 16 Critically examine the urbanization in India and its impact.
- 17 Describe the urban ecological process.
- 18 Elucidate urban residential pattern and its related problems with suitable example.
- 19 Write an essay on Simmel's view of modern culture.
- 20 Give a detailed note on urban social problem with suitable example.