

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)

BA DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2022  
(First Semester)

Branch – SOCIOLOGY

GENERAL SOCIOLOGY - I

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 50 Marks

SECTION-A (5 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(5 x 1 = 5)

1. Kroeber considered Sociology and \_\_\_\_\_ as twin sisters.  
(i) Anthropology (ii) Political Science  
(iii) Psychology (iv) Economics
2. Who wrote the book *The Social Contract*?  
(i) Thomas Hobbes (ii) John Locke  
(iii) J. J. Rousseau (iv) Plato
3. In the socialization process, learning social roles is termed as \_\_\_\_\_ which is more significant.  
(i) Role set (ii) role taking  
(iii) role behaviour (iv) role learning
4. The concept of cultural lag was given by \_\_\_\_\_.  
(i) E. B. Tylor (ii) Ralph Linton  
(iii) W. G. Sumner (iv) W. F. Ogburn
5. What socialization happens when there is an instance of radical change in the social role?  
(i) Development Socialization (ii) Anticipatory Socialization  
(iii) Re- Socialization (iv) primary Socialization

SECTION - B (15 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks

(5 x 3 = 15)

6. a) What do you mean by Sociology?  
(OR)  
b) Examine the uses of Sociology.
7. a) Define Society.  
(OR)  
b) Outline the elements of the Community.
8. a) Summarize the interrelationships between roles and social status.  
(OR)  
b) Mention the features of in-group and out-group.
9. a) State the definition of Culture.  
(OR)  
b) Briefly explain the concept of Ethnocentrism.

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10. a) Narrate the importance of Socialization.  
(OR)  
b) Describe the problems of faulty Socialization.

**SECTION -C (30 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(5 x 6 = 30)

11. a) Trace the origin and development of Sociology.  
(OR)  
b) Examine the relationship of Sociology with other Social Sciences.
12. a) Analyse the theories of the origin of Society.  
(OR)  
b) Examine the relationship between Individual and Society with examples.
13. a) Discuss the types of Social Statuses with suitable illustrations.  
(OR)  
b) Examine the importance of Social Groups.
14. a) Highlight the characteristics and functions of Culture.  
(OR)  
b) Elucidate the characteristics of Civilization.
15. a) Analyse the agencies of Socialization.  
(OR)  
b) Point out the influence of Heredity and Environment on Personality.

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