

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)

BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 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 (10x1 = 10)

- 1 When did the term 'Sociology' coined?
(i) 1819 • (ii) 1829
(iii) 1839 (iv) 1849
- 2 Who defined a fundamental aim of sociology is to discover structural social facts?
(i) Max Weber (ii) Emile Durkheim
(iii) Karl Marx (iv) Talcott Parsons
- 3 The term society is derived from the _____ word.
(i) French 00 Greek
(iii) Spanish (iv) Latin
Which one is primary institution?
(i) Religion (ii) Education
(iii) Law (iv) Constitution
- 5 Label the feeling, 'When a boy develops the feeling of jealousy towards father and love towards mother?
(i) Electrex complex (ii) Electra complex
(iii) Oedipus complex (iv) Oedipal complex
- 6 Identify the incorrect statement from the following statements with regard to socialization
(i) It is a process of inducting individual into the social world
(ii) It is a process of social learning.
(iii) It is a process of intermittent.
(iv) It is a process of continues throughout life
- 7 Find the informal means of social control agent
(i) Custom (ii) Police
(iii) Court (iv) Constitution
- 8 State the social control mechanism that uses physical force to stop a work or an action
(i) Public opinion (ii) Propaganda
(iii) Coercion (iv) Concision
- 9 Indicate the material culture object
(i) Norms (ii) Values
(iii) Habits (iv) Implements
- 10 Which one is not a correct statement for social change?
(i) It is a subjective term (ii) It is an objective term
(iii) It may be planned (iv) It may be unplanned

SECTION - B (35 Marks)

Answer **ALL** Questions

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

- 11 a Narrate the scope of sociology.
OR
b Is sociology a science? Justify your answer with suitable points.
- 12 a Define Institution. Bring out its functions in detail.
OR
b What do you mean status? Discuss its nature in detail.
- 13 a Explain various types of socialization with suitable examples.
OR
b Bring out the importance of socialization.
- 14 a Discuss the role and function of propaganda as a social control agent.
OR
b Elucidate the importance of folkways and mores in the social control mechanism.
- 15 a Point out the components of culture in detail.
OR
b Describe the characteristics of social change.

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

Answer any **THREE** Questions

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

- 16 Define sociology and elaborate the relationship between sociology and psychology.
- 17 What do you mean by social group? Differentiate primary and secondary groups in detail.
- 18 Give the meaning for the word socialization and enumerate the various agencies of socialization in detail.
- 19 Analyze the need and importance of social control in the modern era.
- 20 Define social change? Examine various factors of social change.

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