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19 (Sem-1) SOCI 1-3

2015

SOCIOLOGY

Paper : 1-3

Full Marks : 80

Time : Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

Answer all questions.

1. Complete the sentences : 1×10=10

(i) Sociology is considered to be a _____ science. (abstract/concrete)

(ii) The _____ school of thought conceives of Sociology as a synthesis of social science. (Specialistic/Synthetic)

(iii) Caste system is _____ system. (Open/Closed)

(iv) The social object of education is to complete the _____ process. (Integration/Socialisation)

Contd.

(v) Movement of an individual or group from one position or status to that of another is called _____. (social mobility/social stratification)

(vi) Fatherhood is an example of _____ status. (Ascribed/Achieved)

(vii) _____ is the oldest form of social stratification. (social class/slavery)

(viii) The form of marriage in which one man is married to more than one woman is known as _____. (Polygyny/Polyandry)

(ix) _____ is a tentative statement, the validity of which remains to be tested. (Hypothesis/Sample)

(x) _____ is the last step in Social Research (Report Writing/Research Design)

2. Write short notes on : $2 \times 5 = 10$

(i) Point out *two* characteristics of community.

(ii) Point out *two* differences between Political Science and Sociology.

(iii) Write *two* functions of Religion.

(iv) Write *two* causes of social change.

(v) Write *two* methods of data collection.

3. (i) Define Sociology. Discuss the nature of sociology. 12

OR

(ii) What are the causes that led to the emergence of sociology in the west? 12

4. (i) What do you mean by Norms? Discuss the relationship between Norms and Values. 12

OR

(ii) What is Association? Discuss the difference between Community and Association. 12

5. (i) Discuss the economic institution prevalent in different types of societies. 12

OR

(ii) What is Political Institution ? What are the elements of Political Institution ? Discuss. 12

6. (i) What is Social Stratification ? What are the characteristics of social stratification ? Discuss. 12

OR

(ii) What is Social Action ? What are the different types of social action ? Discuss. 12

7. (i) What is Social Research ? What are the steps in social research ? Discuss. 12

OR

(ii) Discuss questionnaire as a method of data collection highlighting its merits and demerits. 12