

CENTRE FOR DISTANCE EDUCATION

Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh

Session 2017-2018

M.A. (Previous)

SOCIOLOGY

INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY

(SOM-401)

ASSIGNMENT

Maximum Marks: 25

a) Answer any two questions.

1. How Sociology is different from commonsense knowledge.
2. What is Hypergamy and Hypogamy.
3. Write a note on Symbolic interaction.
4. Discuss the various theory of Socialization.

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SOCIOLOGY OF INDIA

(SOM-402)

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Maximum Marks: 25

a) Answer any two questions.

1. Describe Radhakamal Mukherjee's contribution in Sociology.
2. Examine the various facets of caste in social stratification.
3. Discuss the Changing Character of Indian Village System
4. What is the policy of the Government on reservation for SCs, STs, and OBCs?

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CLASSICAL & MODERN SOCIOLOGICAL THINKERS

(SOM-403)

ASSIGNMENT

Maximum Marks: 25

a) Answer any two questions.

1. Write a note on Spencer's contribution of social evolution.
2. What do you understand by social action?
3. Discuss the concept of pattern variables with suitable examples.
4. Define and outline the major characteristics of Ethnology discussed by Garfinkel.

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SOCIAL MOVEMENT IN INDIA

(SOM-404)

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Maximum Marks: 25

a) Answer any two questions.

1. How classical theories like Durkheim and Weber has analyzed social movement, discuss with suitable example?
2. What were the causes and consequences of Naxalite Movement in India?
3. Discuss the achievement of Jharkhand Movements.
4. Critically examine the role of political parties and leaders in social movement.

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SOCIAL STRATIFICATION

(SOM-405)

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Maximum Marks: 25

a) Answer any two questions.

1. Neo-Weberian theory provides a better explanation of social stratification than other theories of stratification. Discuss.
2. Briefly explain the role of Legislation, Constitution and Amendments as factors of social mobility.
3. Explain the factors that go into the making of a dominant caste.
4. Write a note on Indian Middle Class.
