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Subject- SOCIOLOGY

Question Paper No. :

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Total Time: 03.00 Hours.

Total Marks: 100

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. OPENING AND CHECKING OF THE QUESTION-BOOKLET

Break open the seal of the Question-Booklet only when the announcement is made by the Invigilator. After breaking the seal and before attempting the questions, student should immediately check for:

- a) The number of the printed page in the Question-Booklet is the same as mentioned on the cover page of the Booklet and
- b) Any printing error in the Booklet pages, if any.
Any discrepancy or error should be brought to the notice of the Invigilator who will then replace the Booklet. No additional time will be given for this.

2. No student, without the permission of the Superintendent or the Invigilator concerned, is to leave his/ her seat or the Examination Room.

3. FILLING UP THE REQUIRED INFORMATION ON QUESTION-BOOKLET AND ANSWER SHEET

After breaking open the seal and checking the Booklet, student should:

- a) Fill up the **Question Paper No.** and **Question Paper Code** (mentioned on the cover of Question-Booklet) in the space provided on the First Answer Sheet.
- b) Fill up his/her Roll Number on the First Answer Sheet and on each Supplementary Answer Sheet, if taken.
- c) Student should mention the total number of **Supplementary Answer Sheet**, if taken, in the space provided on the First Answer Sheet and also fill up the Serial Number mentioned on each **Supplementary Answer Sheet** along with his/her Roll Number in the register maintained by the Invigilator. Student must tie all the Answer Sheets with the thread provided by the Invigilator.

4. INSTRUCTIONS ABOUT QUESTION PAPER

This Question Paper is divided into three Sections – A, B and C. All Sections are compulsory. Attempt all Sections as per instructions.

- a) Section A contains 8 questions which are very short carrying 3 marks each in approximately 30-40 words.
- b) Section B contains 10 questions which are short carrying 4 marks each in approximately 80-100 words.
- 3) Section C contains 6 questions which are long carrying 6 marks each in approximately 140-150 words

5. Student found in possession of Cellular Phone / Mobile Phone / Pager or any other Communication Device and/or any Book/Note whether using or not, will be liable to be debarred for taking examination(s) either permanently or for specified period or/and dealt with as per law or/and ordinance of the School/SERI according to the nature of offence, or/and he/she may be proceeded against and shall be liable for prosecution under the relevant provision of the Statutory Law.

THE ANSWER SHEET IS TO BE RETURNED ON COMPLETION OF THE TEST

This Question Paper MUST be attached with Answer Sheet

SECTION A

Total number of questions: 8

Marks allocated to each question: 3

Total marks: 24

- Question 1.** What is the meaning of dependency ratio?
- Question 2.** What are the three forms of capital on which social inequality is based?
- Question 3.** State the two factors which encourage regionalism.
- Question 4.** What are the criteria for forming community identity?
- Question 5.** Give the meaning of Sanskritisation.
- Question 6.** What do you understand by the term decentralized democracy?
- Question 7.** How have 'matrix events' taken place in the rural society?
- Question 8.** What is the meaning of Globalization?

SECTION B

Total number of questions: 10

Marks allocated to each question: 4

Total marks: 40

- Question 9.** Explain the regional variations of low child sex ratio in India.
- Question 10.** Trade and Commerce operated through Caste and Kinship networks in India. Discuss.
- Question 11.** Explain Commodification as feature of capitalism.
- Question 12.** Could the RTI be a means of forcing the state to respond to the people of India? Elaborate.

OR

Describe with example the grass-root democratic functioning in tribal areas.

- Question 13.** Elaborate on three aspects of change in Colonial India as stated by Satish Saberwal.
- Question 14.** Explain circulation of labours.

OR

Discuss the changes that have emerged in Indian industries after globalization and liberalization.

Question 15. Describe the Theory of Demographic Transition. Why is the transition period associated with population explosion?

Question 16. According to Alfred Gill, the market has significance much beyond its economic functions. Explain.

OR

Do you think westernisation is one of the reasons for generation conflict?

Question 17. Explain the concept of competing interest with examples.

Question 18. Is inequality a hurdle in the working of a democratic country? Explain.

SECTION C

Total number of questions: 6	Marks allocated to each question: 6	Total marks: 36
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Question 19. Globalisation affects different sections of people differently. Discuss.

OR

Highlight the main social aspects of the process of Urbanisation.

Question 20. Analyse the success and failures of the family planning programme.

OR

Compare and contrast Sanskritisation and Westernisation as processes of social change in Indian Society.

Question 21. What are the rules and regulations that caste system imposes on its members?

OR

Provide evidence to support the view that tribes are not primitive communities living in isolation.

Question 22. Delineate the structural tensions faced by men and women in matrilineal system.

OR

Discuss how the market has significance much beyond economic functions.

Question 23. How industrialization led to de-industrialisation in some sectors of Indian Society?

OR

Explain the economic policy of Liberalisation.

Question 24. Discuss the ways that strengthened the institution of caste in India under colonial rule.

OR

Trace the changes that have been occurring in the Newspaper Industry.

END OF THE QUESTION PAPER