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BACHELOR'S DEGREE (C.B.C.S) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2024  
2023 ADMISSIONS REGULAR  
SEMESTER II - CORE COURSE SOCIOLOGY  
SO2C02B23 - Foundations of Sociology

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

Part A

I. Answer any Ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks

(10x2=20)

1. Name the revolutions which led to the emergence of Sociology.
2. Examine the major focus areas of Sociology according to the Specialistic School?
3. Describe Sociological Theory?
4. Examine the different sources of change.
5. Describe revolutionary social change. Give an example.
6. Identify the two main agencies of socialization for college students in Ernakulam.
7. If social order is to be maintained as it is, should the 'I' or 'Me' be more powerful? Give your reasons.
8. Define deviance.
9. Distinguish between associative and dissociative processes.
10. What are secondary groups? Give example of any two secondary groups.
11. What are ethos and eidos of culture?
12. What is a culture complex?

Part B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 5 marks

(6x5=30)

13. Explain the contributions of any two Indian sociologists.
14. Discuss the major characteristics of social change.
15. Examine the significance of Social Institutions? Briefly explain the important social institutions.
16. Define social institution. Describe any one of the basic institutions found in society.
17. Discuss the importance of play and game stage in the development of the self as proposed by Mead.
18. Examine the ways in which the social media influences the process of socialization today.
19. Can a person develop a 'self' without society? Critically examine.
20. Examine the characteristics of culture.
21. From a sociological perspective, is it correct to say 'That person has no culture'? Give reasons.

Part C

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 15 marks

(2x15=30)

22. Trace the historical factors behind the development of Sociology in Europe.
23. Examine the benefits of the Sociological perspective. Explain how the Sociological imagination and Sociological consciousness create Sociological perspective among Sociology students.
24. Discuss in detail the elements and various forms of deviance.
25. Describe in detail the different classifications of culture with special reference to the concept of culture lag.

