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BACHELOR'S DEGREE (C.B.C.S) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024 2022 ADMISSIONS REGULAR SEMESTER V. CORE COURSE (SOCIOLOGY)

SEMESTER V - CORE COURSE (SOCIOLOGY) SO5B09B18 - Sociology of Culture

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 80

Part A

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

(10x2=20)

- 1. Give examples for tangible and intangible aspects of culture?
- 2. What is comparative method?
- 3. What do you mean by Non- material culture?
- 4. What is cultural transmission?
- 5. What do you mean by cultural change?
- Mention few geographical factors that leads to cultural change.
- 7. Define xenocentrism.
- 8. What do you mean by doubly compound society?
- 9. What is Savagery?
- 10. What is Animism?
- 11. Define Globalisation.
- 12. What is Global village?

Part B

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

(6x5=30)

- 13. 'Culture is learned and shared' Explain.
- 14. Discuss the relationship between culture and society.
- 15. Explain with an example how to conduct an ethnographic study.
- 16. Differentiate between sub culture and counter culture.
- 17. What do you mean by cultural relativism? How do you relate it with your life?
- 18. Explain cultural diffusion with examples.
- 19. Explain the perspectives of V.Gordon Childe on Culture evolution.
- 20. Explain the 'patterns of culture' by Ruth Benedict.
- 21. Discuss Global culture and its impacts on society.

Part C

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

(2x15=30)

- 22. What do you know about your culture? Explain.
- 23. Why does cultural relativism supposedly make us more tolerant of other cultures? Discuss.
- 24. Briefly explain the theoretical perspectives on Evolutionism and Neo evolutionism of culture.
- 25. Explain the role played by globalisation for the emergence of various trends in culture.