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**B .A DEGREE (CBCSS) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2015
SECOND SEMESTER - CORE COURSE - SOCIOLOGY
SOC 2ES - THE ESSENCE OF SOCIOLOGY**

Time: 3 Hours

MaximumMarks: 80

Part A

Answer *all* questions in one sentence. (Each question carries 1 mark)

1. Gesselschaft
2. Material Culture
3. Sociological Imagination
4. Social Interaction
5. Ingroup
6. Micro Sociology
7. Ethnocentrism
8. Positive Deviance
9. Membership Group
10. Social Control

(10x1=10 marks)

Part B

**Answer any *eight* of the following in not more than 50 words each.
Each question carries two marks.**

11. What are the differences between Primary and Secondary Groups?
12. Identify the types of Sociological Questions
13. What are the characteristics of Society?
14. State Education as an agent of Social Control
15. Define Social Status
16. What is Retreatism as a form of Social Deviance?
17. What do you know about Macro Sociology?
18. What are the major Formal agencies of Social Control?

19. What are the various types of Social Interaction?
20. What is a Reference Group?
21. How do you distinguish between Society and Community?
22. Identify the social characteristics of Culture

(8x2=16 marks)

Part C

**Answer any six of the following in not more than 200 words each.
Each question carries 4 marks.**

23. Find out the differences between material and non material culture
24. How do you distinguish between Crowd and Mob?
25. Explain the characteristics of Social Institutions
26. Examine the role of Sociological Consciousness in bringing transitions in human society
27. What are the social significance/ functions of Culture?
28. What are the functions of Primary Groups?
29. Explain the social properties of deviance
30. Describe the practical significance of Sociology in identifying and solving the issues of human society
31. Distinguish between Social Groups and Social Institutions

(6x4=24 marks)

Part D

**Answer any two of the following in not more than 500 words each.
Each question carries 15 marks.**

32. Examine the role of non material elements of culture in determining the destiny of human society
33. Examine how informal agencies of social control bring out changes in society
34. Define Social Structure and identify its major elements.
35. What is culture. Identify the major elements of culture.

(15x2=30 marks)

