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SOCIOLOGY

New Regulation (w.e.f 2017-18) and

New Syllabus (w.e.f. 2018-19)

Full Marks – 70   Time – Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

Answer Question No. 1 and any *four* from the rest.

1.   Answer the following by choosing the correct option :   (10 × 1 = 10)

   (i)   Who said that sociology is the study of society, that is, of the web or tissue of human Inter-action and inter-relations?

      (a)   Ginsberg   (b)   Max Weber

      (c)   Young and Mack

   (ii)   Which of the following is a feature of community?

      (a)   Community is the total organization of social life with an unlimited area

      (b)   Community is not the smallest territorial group that can embrace all aspects of social life

      (c)   Community is a human population living within a limited geographic area and carrying on a common inter-dependent life

   (iii)   Who said that society includes not only the political relations by which men are bound together but the whole range of human relations and collective activities?

      (a)   Parsons   (b)   G.D.M. Cole

      (c)   J.F. Cuber

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(iv) Which of the following is not a feature of association?

   (a) Association exits within community

   (b) Association is partial

   (c) Association is marked by both cooperation and conflict

(v) Who said that family is the biological social unit composed of husband, wife and children?

   (a) Eliott and Merrill   (b) Summer and Keller

   (c) Burgess and Locke

(vi) Which of the following years was declared as International Women Year by The United Nations?

   (a) 1965   (b) 1975

   (c) 1955

(vii) Lay-off and retrenchment are not industrial disputes because

   (a) Their reasons are connected with trade depression

   (b) Their reasons are connected with industrial unrest

   (c) Their reasons are connected with industrial conflicts

(viii) Which of the following is not a feature of strike?

   (a) Collective stoppage of work

   (b) A joint action of a section of workers

   (c) Plurality of the workmen

(ix) Which of the following is an intra-mutual activity of trade unions?

   (a) To arrange legal assistance to the workers

   (b) To foster a spirit of co-operation and friendly relation

   (c) To get a proper place in the administration of the industry

(x) Which of the following is a true statement?

   (a) March 8, is observed as Women's Day in our country every year

   (b) May 8, is observed as Women's Day in our country every year

   (c) July 8, is observed as Women's Day in our country every

2. (a) Define culture. How does culture differ from civilization? Discuss.   2+5=7

   (b) Distinguish between association and institution. "Associations are things, institutions are modes and ways. We are born and live in associations." Explain.   3+5=8

3. (a) What do you mean by social change? Explain the various factors responsible for social change. 2+5=7

   (b) Discuss the reasons for rise in crimes against women in the society and give suggestions to mitigate them. 5+3=8

4. (a) Discuss the various shortcomings of human resource development in India and give suggestions to remove them. 5+3=8

   (b) Give your arguments for and against the reservation policy for SCs and Backward classes. 7

5. (a) What is industrial disputes? Discuss five noneconomic causes of industrial disputes. 3+5=8

   (b) What is conciliation? Discuss how industrial disputes can be resolved by the conciliation method. 2+5=7

6. (a) Define trade union. Discuss briefly the various functions of trade unions. 2+5=7

   (b) What do you mean by workers, participation in management? Explain the various objectives of workers' participation in management. 3+5=8

7. Write short notes on any three of the following : 3×5=15

   (a) Forms of family

   (b) Strike and lock-out

   (c) Ways to develop human resources

   (d) Scope of sociology

   (e) Population and standard of living.

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