

**BA LLB
FIRST SEMESTER
SOCIOLOGY-I:
INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY
BLB – 103**

[USE OMR FOR OBJECTIVE PART]

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Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Time: 30 min.

[Objective]

Marks: 20

$1 \times 20 = 20$

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1. Who coined the term Sociology?
 - a. Max Weber
 - b. Herbert Spencer
 - c. Auguste Comte
 - d. Emile Durkheim
2. According to Max Weber, social stratification is based on:
 - a. Only economic factors
 - b. Gender and Ethnicity
 - c. Caste
 - d. Class, Status, and Power
3. Power that is regarded as legitimate by the people is called-
 - a. Influence
 - b. Authority
 - c. Coercion
 - d. Force
4. The process by which individuals learn the norms and values of society is called:
 - a. Assimilation
 - b. Institutionalization
 - c. Socialization
 - d. Communication
5. The idea of "sociological imagination" was introduced:
 - a. C. Wright Mills
 - b. Anthony Giddens
 - c. Peter Berger
 - d. Robert K. Merton
6. The process of thinking about society systematically and critically is known as:
 - a. Thinking Sociologically
 - b. Cultural thinking
 - c. Thinking scientifically
 - d. Philosophical thinking
7. In matrilineal societies, descent is traced through:
 - a. Father
 - b. Both parents
 - c. Mother
 - d. None of the above
8. Who wrote the book "Social Control"?
 - a. E.A. Ross
 - b. Traysi Hirchi
 - c. Norbert
 - d. R.K. Merton
9. Which of the following is not a social institution?
 - a. Family
 - b. Economy
 - c. Education
 - d. Geography

10. A society's transition from a hunter-gatherer to an agricultural stage is an example of:
 - a. Revolutionary change
 - b. Evolutionary change
 - c. Cyclic change
 - d. Planned change
11. Kinship refers to:
 - a. Religious institutions
 - b. Economic cooperation
 - c. Blood relations and marriage ties
 - d. Political alliances
12. Which of the following is an example of formal social control?
 - a. Peer pressure
 - b. Praising
 - c. Shaming
 - d. Visa restrictions
13. Organisations that attempt to influence government policies are called-----
 - a. Interest groups
 - b. Political parties
 - c. Pressure groups
 - d. none
14. Sociology emerged as a distinct discipline in the:
 - a. 16th century
 - b. 18th century
 - c. 17th century
 - d. 19th century
15. Who authored the book Caste and Race in India?
 - a. Irawati Karve
 - b. S C Dube
 - c. D P Mukherjee
 - d. G S Ghurye
16. Marriage is regarded as:
 - a. Only a religious ceremony
 - b. A personal choice without social sanction
 - c. A socially approved sexual union
 - d. A temporary arrangement
17. Who is regarded as the father of Indian Sociology?
 - a. M.N. Srinivas
 - b. G.S. Ghurye
 - c. Hardiman
 - d. B.R. Ambedkar
18. What is the sociological explanation of deviance?
 - a. Any illegal action
 - b. Action punished by the legal system
 - c. Behaviour that violates social norms
 - d. It affirms cultural norms and values
19. What are the three dimensions of social stratification as referred to by Weber?
 - a. Class, caste & estate
 - b. Occupation, Hierarchy & income level
 - c. Class, ethnicity & gender
 - d. Power, Prestige & Property
20. A group characterised by intimate, face-to-face association is
 - a. Secondary Group
 - b. Formal Group
 - c. Primary Group
 - d. Reference Group

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(Descriptive)

Time : 2 hrs. 30 min.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

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| 1. Trace the historical development of Sociology in India from the colonial period to the post-independence period. | 10 |
| 2. Discuss the role of family, kinship, and marriage in maintaining social order. Explain their significance in shaping individual identity and community life, with suitable examples. | 5+5=10 |
| 3. Explain the various perspectives given by sociologists in studying Indian Society. | 10 |
| 4. Discuss the meaning, nature and factors of social change. | 10 |
| 5. Explain the scope and significance of Sociology. | 10 |
| 6. Discuss the meaning, nature and forms of Social Control in relevance to today's context. | 5+5=10 |
| 7. Describe the relationship of Sociology with other social sciences. | 10 |
| 8. Discuss the concept of social stratification and mention its different forms found in society. | 4+6=10 |

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