

SOCIOLOGY
B.A. III Semester
Examination to be held in the years 2015, 2016 and 2017

Course No. : SO-301 (Theory)

Duration: 3 hrs.

Credit : 4

Title : Foundations of Sociological Thought

Total Marks : 100

Theory Examination: 80

Internal Assessment: 20

Objectives:

- To acquaint the students with the history of Sociological theories.
- To make the students understand the contribution of pioneers of Sociology.

Unit I The Pioneers: Comte- Positivism.

1.1 Comte-Positivism

1.2 Spencer- Social Darwinism

Unit II The Classical Tradition: Durkheim.

2.1 Division of Labor

2.2 Suicide

2.3 Religion

Unit III Classical Tradition: Weber

3.1 Social Action

3.2 Ideal Types

3.3 The Protestant Ethic and Spirit of Capitalism

3.4 Authority types

Unit IV Classical Tradition: Karl Marx

4.1 Materialistic Conception of History

4.2 Class Struggle

4.3 Alienation

Unit V Neo Classical tradition:

Parsons:

5.1 AGIL

5.2 Social System

5.3 Pattern Variables

Merton

5.4 Functional Analysis

5.2 Functional Paradigm

Note for paper setting:

The question paper for each course will consist of two sections, viz, A and B.

Section A will consist of 10 long answer type questions, two from each unit with internal choice. Each question will be of 10 marks. The candidate will be required to answer 5 questions, one from each unit. Total weightage will be of $10 \times 5 = 50$. The length of each answer should be of 500 words approximately.

Section B will consist of 10 short answer type questions, two from each unit with internal choice. Each question will be of 6 marks. The candidate will be required to answer 5 questions,

one from each unit. Total weightage will be of $6 \times 5 = 30$. The length of each answer shall be of 150 words approximately.

Distribution of Internal Assessment (Total Marks: 20)

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| (i) | Class Test | : | 10 marks | |
| (ii) | Two Written Assignments /
Project reports | : | 10 marks | (05 marks each) |

Books Prescribed:

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| 1. | Ritzer | : | Sociological theory. |
| 2. | Max Weber | : | The Protestant Ethic & the Spirit of Capitalism. |
| 3. | Emile Durkheim | : | The Rules of Sociological Method. |
| 4. | Emile Durkheim | : | The Division of Labour in society. |
| 5. | Emile Durkheim | : | Suicide. |
| 6. | Robert K. Merton | : | Social Theory & Social Structure. |
| 7. | Francis Abraham | : | Sociological Theory. |
| 8. | Abraham & Morgan | : | Sociological Thought. |
| 9. | Coser | : | Master's of Sociological Thought. |
| 10. | Talcott Parsons | : | Structure of social action. |
| 11. | J. H. Turner | : | The Structure of Sociological Theory. |
| 12. | Raymond Aron | : | Main currents in Sociological Thought Vol. I & II |
| 13. | Fletcher | : | Making of Sociology |

SOCIOLOGY
B.A. IV Semester
Examination to be held in the years 2015, 2016 and 2017

Course No. : SO-401 (Theory)

Duration: 3 hrs.

Credit : 4

Title : Indian Society- Issues and problems

Total Marks : 100

Theory Examination: 80

Internal Assessment: 20

Objectives:

- To acquaint the students with the distinctive features of the Indian society;
- To make the students understand the issues & the social problems of Indian Society .

UNIT – I Basics (Concepts & approaches)

- 1.1 Concept and characteristics of social problems
- 1.2 Rural and urban social problems
- 1.3 Approaches to social problems
- 1.4 Social problems and social change in India.

UNIT – II Structural

- 2.1 Poverty
- 2.2 Inequality of caste and gender.
- 2.3 Disharmony – Religious and Regional.
- 2.4 Disharmony – Backward Classes and Dalits

UNIT – III Familial

- 3.1 Dowry
- 3.2 Divorce
- 3.3 Domestic violence
- 3.4 Child abuse and Youth unrest

UNIT-IV Developmental

- 4.1 Regional disparities
- 4.2 Displacement
- 4.3 Ecological degradation and environmental pollution
- 4.4 Terrorism

UNIT – V Disorganizational

- 5.1 Crime and Delinquency
- 5.2 Drug Addiction
- 5.3 Alcoholism
- 5.4 Corruption

Note for paper setting:

The question paper for each course will consist of two sections, viz, A and B.

Section A will consist of 10 long answer type questions, two from each unit with internal choice. Each question will be of 10 marks. The candidate will be required to answer 5 questions, one from each unit. Total weightage will be of $10 \times 5 = 50$. The length of each answer should be of 500 words approximately.

Section B will consist of 10 short answer type questions, two from each unit with internal choice. Each question will be of 6 marks. The candidate will be required to answer 5 questions,

one from each unit. Total weightage will be of $6 \times 5 = 30$. The length of each answer shall be of 150 words approximately.

Distribution of Internal Assessment (Total Marks: 20)

(i)	Class Test	:	10 marks	
(ii)	Two Written Assignments / Project reports	:	10 marks	(05 marks each)

Books Prescribed:

1.	Ram Ahuja	:	Social Problems in India.
2.	Ram Ahuja	:	Society in India.
3.	B. Kuppuswamy	:	Social change in India.
4.	Howard S. Becker	:	Social Problems A Modern Approach.
5.	Merton & Nisbet (eds.)	:	Contemporary Social Problems.
6.	Attarchand	:	Poverty And Underdevelopment: New Challenges.
7.	M.N. Srinivas	:	Social Change in Modern India.
8.	Veena Das(ed)	:	Mirrors of Violence: Communities, Riots and Survivors in South Asia.

SOCIOLOGY
B.A. V-Semester
Examination to be held in the years 2015, 2016 and 2017

Course No. : SO-501 (Theory)

Duration: 3 hrs.

Credit : 4

Title : Social Research

Total Marks : 100

Theory Examination: 80

Internal Assessment: 20

Objectives:

- To acquaint the students with different components of Social Research
- To train the students to enable them to pursue research in future career.

UNIT – I Social Research

- 1.1 Meaning, objectives and significance of research
- 1.2 Steps in Research Process
- 1.3 Hypothesis
- 1.4 Concept of Objectivity
- 1.5 Methodology

UNIT- II Types Of Research

- 2.1 Basic and Applied
- 2.2 Exploratory
- 2.3 Descriptive
- 2.4 Experimental

UNIT – III Sampling Design

- 3.1 Meaning and Significance of Sampling
- 3.2 Probability sampling—Simple random , Complex—cluster, systematic and stratified.
- 3.3 Non- Probability sampling—accidental, quota and purposive sampling

UNIT – IV Tools And Techniques Of Data Selection

- 4.1 Social Survey – (Data—primary and secondary)
- 4.2 Observation—participatory and non- participatory
- 4.3 Interview and its types
- 4.4 Schedule and questionnaire

UNIT – V Basic Statistics:

- 5.1 Meaning of Central tendency: Mean, Median, Mode
- 5.2 Presentation of data: Graphs and Histograms.

Note for paper setting:

The question paper for each course will consist of two sections, viz, A and B.

Section A will consist of 10 long answer type questions, two from each unit with internal choice. Each question will be of 10 marks. The candidate will be required to answer 5 questions, one from each unit. Total weightage will be of $10 \times 5 = 50$. The length of each answer should be of 500 words approximately.

Section B will consist of 10 short answer type questions, two from each unit with internal choice. Each question will be of 6 marks. The candidate will be required to answer 5 questions, one from each unit. Total weightage will be of $6 \times 5 = 30$. The length of each answer shall be of 150 words approximately.

Distribution of Internal Assessment (Total Marks: 20)

(i)	Class Test	:	10 marks	
(ii)	Two Written Assignments / Project reports	:	10 marks	(05 marks each)

Books Prescribed:

1.	F.N. Kerlinger	:	Methods & Issues in Social Research.
2.	K. Bailey	:	Methods of Social Research.
3.	Goode and Hatt	:	Methods in Social Research.
4.	P.V. Young	:	Scientific Social Surveys & Research
5.	Cohen & Nagel	:	An Introduction to Logic and Scientific Method.
6.	Kothari	:	Research Methods.
7.	Jaspal Singh	:	Introduction to Social Research.
8.	Ram Ahuja	:	Research Methodology
9.	S.P.Gupta	:	Statistical Methods

SOCIOLOGY
B.A. VI-Semester
Examination to be held in the years 2015, 2016 and 2017

Course No. : SO-601 (Theory)

Duration: 3 hrs.

Credit : 4

Title : Social Change and Development in India

Total Marks : 100

Theory Examination: 80

Internal Assessment: 20

Objectives:

- To familiarize the students of sociology about the social change & development in India.
- To make them understand different processes and dimensions of Social Change
- To acquaint them with various development schemes of Social development in India

Unit-I Modernization Of Indian Tradition

- 1.1 Indian Social Values: Traditional & Modern
- 1.2 Phases of Modernization in post independent India
- 1.3 Modernization and Resilience of tradition
- 1.4 Factors and forces : Education, legislation and mass media

Unit-II Processes of Change

- 2.1 Sanskritization
- 2.2 Westernization
- 2.3 Secularization
- 2.4 Social Movements and Mobilization

Unit-III Changes In The System Of Social Stratification

- 3.1 Meaning and Characteristic of Stratification.
- 3.2 Changing dimensions of caste structure
- 3.3 Changing dimensions of class structure
- 3.4 Changing dimensions of power structure

Unit-IV Changes In Family, Marriage And Kinship

- 4.1 Changes in the family system – (from joint to nuclear)
- 4.2 Family in the urban and industrial setting
- 4.3 Changing marriage pattern
- 4.4 Regional valuation kinship system

Unit-V Social Development In India

- 5.1 Development schemes for Scheduled Castes/Backward classes
- 5.2 Development schemes for Scheduled Tribes
- 5.3 Development schemes for women
- 5.4 Development schemes for children

Note for paper setting:

The question paper for each course will consist of two sections, viz, A and B.

Section A will consist of 10 long answer type questions, two from each unit with internal choice. Each question will be of 10 marks. The candidate will be required to answer 5 questions, one from each unit. Total weightage will be of $10 \times 5 = 50$. The length of each answer should be of 500 words approximately.

Section B will consist of 10 short answer type questions, two from each unit with internal choice. Each question will be of 6 marks. The candidate will be required to answer 5 questions, one from each unit. Total weightage will be of $6 \times 5 = 30$. The length of each answer shall be of 150 words approximately.

Distribution of Internal Assessment (Total Marks: 20)

(i)	Class Test	:	10 marks	
(ii)	Two Written Assignments / Project reports	:	10 marks	(05 marks each)

Books Prescribed:

1.	Ram Ahuja	:	Society in India.
2.	Yogendra Singh	:	Modernization of Indian Tradition.
3.	Kuppuswamy	:	Social Change in India
4.	G.R. Madan	:	Theoretical Sociology
5.	MacIver & Page	:	Society
6.	Yogender Singh	:	Social Change in India.
7.	M.S.A. Rao	:	Social Movements & Social Transformation.
8.	Rajender Pandey	:	Sociology