

# SOCIOLOGY

(Maximum Marks: 70)

(Time allowed: Three hours)

(Candidates are allowed additional 15 minutes for **only** reading the paper.

They must **NOT** start writing during this time.)

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Answer **Question 1** from **Part I** and **five** questions from **Part II**.

The intended marks for questions or parts of questions are given in brackets [ ].

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## PART I (20 Marks)

Answer **all** questions.

### Question 1

Answer briefly each of the following questions:

[10×2]

- (i) Distinguish between *Exogamy* and *Endogamy*.
  - (ii) What is meant by *Avunculocal form of residence*?
  - (iii) Explain the theory of *Animism*.
  - (iv) Differentiate between *Levirate* and *Sororate*.
  - (v) Define *urbanisation*.
  - (vi) What is meant by *Mass Media*?
  - (vii) Define the term *Ethnocentrism*.
  - (viii) What is meant by *domestic violence*?
  - (ix) Explain the term *Brahmanisation*.
  - (x) Define *Kinship*.
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**PART II (50 Marks)**

*Answer any five questions.*

**Question 2**

- (a) Discuss the differences between *polygyny* and *polyandry* as forms of marriage. [5]
- (b) Define *religion*. Discuss religious beliefs and religious rituals. [5]

**Question 3**

- (a) Discuss *any five* government policies for the upliftment of tribals. [5]
- (b) Briefly discuss *any five* types of families. [5]

**Question 4**

- (a) Explain the concept of fundamentalism. Examine the role of state in dealing with this problem. [5]
- (b) Examine Telangana Movement as one of the urban-ethnic movements. [5]

**Question 5**

- (a) 'Jajmani system is a caste based system.' Examine this statement with reference to rural India. [5]
- (b) Make a comparative study of Joking relationships and Avoidance relationships in Kinship usages. [5]

**Question 6**

- (a) What is a *Political organisation*? What role does it play in bringing about change in society? [5]
- (b) Define *gender bias*. Examine its consequences for both, men and women. [5]

**Question 7**

- (a) Make a comparative analysis between *caste* and *class*. [5]
- (b) What is meant by *prejudice*? Elaborate on *any four* causes of prejudice. [5]

**Question 8**

- (a) What is RTE? Discuss *any four* of its implications. [5]
- (b) Define *social movements*. Explain *any four* reasons that lead to social movements. [5]

**Question 9**

- (a) Examine the *two* types of Kinship. [5]
- (b) Briefly discuss the role of traditional markets in rural India. [5]