

Department of Sociology

BA Honours Model questions

Semester 2

CC- 3 Introduction to Sociology II

Objective answer type questions. 2/3 marks

1. What are 'functional needs'?
2. What is 'surplus value'?
3. Name a book written by Levi Strauss.
4. Who wrote the book 'Structuralism: An Introduction'?
5. Who introduced the term 'sui generis'?
6. What is social structure according to A. R. Radcliffe Brown.
7. According to Cooley, what is the 'looking glass self'?
8. What is egoistic suicide?
9. What are the different types of social union according to Hobhouse?
10. Who wrote the book 'Mind, Self and Society'?

Long answer type questions.

5 marks questions

1. Bring out the main assumptions of the Functionalist Perspective in Sociology.
2. Discuss A. R. Radcliffe Brown's Social Structure.
3. What are the main ideas in Durkheim's Division of Labour in Society?
4. Briefly elucidate the important role of interaction in the formation of the concept of Self according to Mead.
5. Differentiate between 'Military' and 'Industrial' societies.
6. Marx's theory of class conflict.
7. Giddens views on interactionism as a way of understanding society.
8. Explain structuralism as a sociological perspective.

10 marks questions

1. Durkheim's theory of Suicide and bring out how the degree of an individual's social integration and regulation determines suicide.
2. Write a note on Marxist feminism and how it views women's oppression in society.
3. a note on Comte's 'Law of Three Stages'.
4. Critically analyse Dahrendorf's theory of class conflict.
5. Elaborate on Weber's fourfold typology of social action.

CC- 4 Sociology of India II

Short Answer Type Questions 2 marks questions.

1. Define Nationalism.
2. Who introduced the concept of Sarvodaya?
3. What do you mean by an open society?
4. Define social change.
5. What is an Indological study?
6. What is a pluralistic society?
7. Define Class.
8. Who wrote the book 'Dalit Identity and Politics'?
9. Define secularism.
10. What is ethnography?

Long Answer Questions

5 marks questions

1. Define caste system. Bring out the important feature of caste system in India.
2. Who introduced the concept of Sanskritization? How does it lead to social mobility?
3. Discuss the importance of Ethnographic Approach.
4. Critically examine the Movement
5. Discuss the problem of communalism in India.

10 Marks questions

1. a note on Gram Swaraj as given by Gandhiji.
2. Discuss Ambedkar's views on caste and untouchability.
3. Discuss the importance of secularism in India.
4. Write a note on the Tebagma Movement.
5. What do you understand by 'Middle Class Phenomenon'?