

Semester-II
Open Elective Paper- -16SOC01
Understanding Sociology

Maximum Marks: 100
Theory: 80
Internal Assessment: 20
Time : 3 Hours

Course Code	Course Outcomes
CO1	Students would understand the basic terms and concepts frequently used in sociology.
CO2	It will enhance students' understanding of basic terminology in sociology.
CO3	Students will know how processes of societal change bring transformation in society.
CO4	It will expose students to emerging new concepts in enhancement of domain of sociology.

Note:

- a) **Nine question would be set in all.**
- b) **Question No. fifth shall be based on the entire syllabus and would be compulsory. It would contain eight short answer questions of two marks each.**
- c) **There would be two questions (16 marks each) from each of the four units.**
- d) **The candidate would be required to attempt four questions (one compulsory and other four questions selecting one from each unit).**

Unit-I

Sociology: Meaning and Definition, Beginning and Growth of Sociology; The Scope of Sociology; Relationship with History, Anthropology, Economics.

Unit-II

Society: Types of society; Community and its characteristics; Social Groups and their types; Social Control: Functions and forms.

Unit-III

Social Stratification: Its characteristics and Bases; Social Mobility: Meaning and its types, Socialization: Stages and agencies of socialization; Social Change: Meaning and factors.

Unit-IV

Family: concept, forms and changing pattern of families; Marriage: concept and forms; Kinship: terminology, usages and incest.

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Semester-III
Open Elective Paper- -16SOCO2
Indian Society

Maximum Marks: 100
Theory: 80
Internal Assessment: 20
Time : 3 Hours

Course Code	Course Outcomes
CO1	Students would understand how society has evolved and its socio-cultural dimensions of unity in diversity.
CO2	It will enhance students' understanding of Caste, Class and Gender as bases of Social Stratification.
CO3	Students will know how processes of social change bring transformation in society.
CO4	It will expose students to emerging societal issues such as women status in society and adverse sex ratio.

Note:

- a) **Nine question would be set in all.**
- b) **Question No. fifth shall be based on the entire syllabus and would be compulsory. It would contain eight short answer questions of two marks each.**
- c) **There would be two questions (16 marks each) from each of the four units.**
- d) **The candidate would be required to attempt four questions (one compulsory and other four questions selecting one from each unit).**

Unit – I

Indian Society: Evolution of Indian Society: Socio- Cultural Dimensions; Unity in Diversity: Cultural, Linguistic, Religious and Tribal.

Unit – II

Social Stratification: Social Differentiation and Stratification. Forms of Stratification: Caste, Class and Gender.

Unit – III

Social Change: Development and Social Change, Processes of Change: Sanskritization, Westernization and globalization.

Unit – IV

Contemporary Issues: Status of Women: Demographic, Social, Cultural, Economic and Political Dimensions; Adverse Sex Ratio: Causes and Consequences.

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