

FIRST YEAR B.P.E. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JUNE 2014**08****Sociology****Paper IV - SOCIOLOGY
(2010 - 2012 Admission)****Time : Three Hours****Maximum : 75 Marks**

Answer any five questions of which three questions should be from Part A and two questions should be from Part B, including question No. 8 which is compulsory.

Part A

1. Caste and class are the two major types of stratification. Substantiate the statement by explaining their characteristics (15)
2. (a) State Whether the following statements are true or false.
 - (i) The methods used by sociology are not scientific.
 - (ii) Krober pointed out that sociology and anthropology are twin sisters.
 - (iii) Prejudice is not based on facts.
 - (iv) Parliament is the final authority for making laws in India.
 - (v) The judges of the Supreme Court are appointed by the President.
 (b) Differentiate between crowd and public.
 (c) Write a short note on Directive principles. (3 x 5)
3. (a) Define customs. Bring out its nature.
 (b) "Change is the law of the nature" – Discuss.
 (c) What are the changes taken place in the caste system? (3 x 5)
4. (a) Examine how significant is heredity in the development of personality?
 (b) Briefly explain how the parliament is constituted and how does it exercise power?
 (c) Bring out the nature and scope of sports sociology. (3 x 5)
5. (a) Differentiate between social organization and social disorganization.
 (b) Write a short note on the struggle of Indian independence.
 (c) What are the functions of marriage? (3 x 5)

Part B

6. Explain the local self government system in india. (15)
7. (a) Match the column

A	B
i. Constitution	Human nature
ii. Socialization	Social institution
iii. Class	Social disorganization
iv. Marriage	Stratification
v. Communal conflict	Rule of law

- (b) Bring out the changes in the functions of family.
(c) What are the functions of the Executive? (3 x 5)
8. Write very short notes on any five of the following.
(Answer any Five)
- (a) Analyse the influence of sports on society.
(b) Write a short note on the system of judiciary in India.
(c) Define family. What are its major types?
(d) What are the agencies of socialization?
(e) Write a short note on culture.
(f) Briefly explain the classification of social groups.
(g) Define society. What are its features.
(h) Examine sports as a product of culture.

(5 x 3)
