

RMLNLU

September, 2012

LLB/ SEM-I/12-13/MT/Socio.-I

TIME: 1½ HOURS

Sociology - I

Max. Marks: 60

Answer *all* the questions.

Figures in the margin indicate the marks.

(Section A)

(1 x 20)

1. Are we prisoners of socialization? Comment on the statement.

Or

Critically comment on the 'functional perspective' of social stratification.

(Section B)

(5 x 4)

2. Explain the concept of "Cultural Shock".
3. Differentiates between "In Group, Out Group and Reference Group".
4. What do you understand by "Id and Superego"?
5. What do you understand by "Ethnocentrism and Xenocentrism"?
6. What do you mean by "Social Class"?

(Section C)

(10 x 2)

7. Answer the correct choice, answer as the need be
- i. Which one of the following is associated with Comte?
a. Primitive Communism b. Theology c. Capitalism d. Socialism
- ii. Durkheim talks about mechanical solidarity and organic solidarity. **(True/ False)**
- iii. According to Marx, all cultural phenomena are determined by a society's economy. **(True/ False)**
- iv. Conflict theorists emphasize that multinationals exploit local worker to maximize profits. **(True/False)**
- v. A system that denies opportunities for upward mobility is caste system. **(True/ False)**
- vi. A level of stratum of people whose statuses are fixed for their lifetime is known as class system. **(True/ False)**
- vii. In this sociologist's hierarchy of sciences, sociology was the "queen" and its practitioners "scientist-priests."
a. Auguste Comte b. Émile Durkheim c. Herbert Spencer d. Harriet Martineau
- viii. Which sociological perspective holds that if an aspect of social life does not contribute to a society's stability or survival it will not be passed on from one generation to the next?
a. Conflict Perspective b. Interactionist Perspective c. Functionalist Perspective d. None
- ix. One function that a university serves is to delay people's entry into the job market. This is an example of what kind of function?
a. Dysfunction b. Manifest Function c. Latent Function d. Conflict Function
- x. While social scientists see the family, school, and work as agents of socialization, they do not recognize the State as an agent of socialization. **(True/False)**
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