

**TDC Odd Semester Exam., 2020
held in July, 2021**

SOCIOLOGY

(Pass)

(1st Semester)

Course No. : SOCP-101

(Introduction to Sociology)

Full Marks : 50

Pass Marks : 17

Time : 2 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

Answer **five** questions, taking **one** from each Unit

UNIT—I

1. (a) What is sociology? From which words did sociology derive? In which year sociology was established? 2+2+1=5
- (b) Discuss the relationship between sociology and anthropology. 5

2. (a) "Sociology is a science." Justify. 5
- (b) Point out the similarities and differences between history and sociology. 5

UNIT—II

3. (a) "Sociology is a study of social action." Discuss. 5
- (b) Point out the subject matter of sociology. 5
4. (a) Define sociology in the words of founding father. 5
- (b) Discuss the scope of sociology. 5

UNIT—III

5. (a) What is society? Point out any three characteristics of society. 2+3=5
- (b) Write a short note on association. 5
6. (a) Discuss social structure in brief. 5
- (b) Write in brief about the relationship between status and role. 5

UNIT—IV

7. (a) Define primary group. Point out its characteristics. 5
(b) Write in brief about reference group with suitable example. 5
8. (a) Discuss the characteristics of secondary group. 5
(b) Write in brief about in-group and out-group with suitable examples. 5

UNIT—V

9. (a) Write a note on structural method. 5
(b) Differentiate between functional method and conflict method. 5
10. (a) Who are the key protagonists of functional method? Write in brief about functional method. 2+3=5
(b) Write in brief about Marxist method. 5

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