

CSM : 14

SOCIOLOGY

PAPER - I

Time Allowed : 3 hours

Full Marks : 100

Marks for each question is indicated against it.

Attempt any 5 (five) questions taking not more than 3 (three) questions from each Part.

PART A

1. Define Sociology. Explain the factors responsible for its emergence in 1839. (7+13=20)
2. Define Cultural lag. Describe the various elements of culture. (7+13=20)
3. Define kinship. Discuss with examples the types of kinship and the rules of descent. (6+7+7=20)
4. What is social stratification? Examine in detail the Weberian theory of social stratification. (5+15=20)

PART B

5. Critically analyze Weber's theory on 'Protestant ethics and the spirit of capitalism'. (20)
6. Write a note on Observation as a technique of data collection. (20)
7. Elaborate the concept of bureaucracy and its role in democratic society. (20)
8. What is Social Change? What are the basic characteristics of Social Change. (7+13=20)

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