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Part III - Paper I - INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 100

PART - A

Define the following terms in not more than 30 words. Each question carries 3 marks

- 1. Medical Sociology
- 2. Gender
- 3. Social Interaction
- 4. Social stratification
- 5. Social Class
- 6. Society
- 7. Sociology
- 8. Socialisation
- 9. Organization
- 10. Role

 $(10 \times 3 = 30 \text{ Marks})$

PART - B

Answer any five questions in not more than 300 words each. Each question carries 6 marks.

- 11 Examine the characteristics of culture.
- 12. Define Social Gerontology.
- 13. Examine different types of status and their Characteristics.
- 14. Bring out the characteristics of Social structure.
- 15. Discuss the origin and growth of sociology.
- 16. Bring out the differences between society and community.
- 17. Examine the difference between caste and class.
- 18. Discuss the characteristics of primary group.

 $(5 \times 6 = 30 \text{ Marks})$

PART - C

Answer any two questions in not more than 1500 words each. Each question carries 20 marks.

- 19. Discuss the significance of sociology in modern world.
- 20. Examine the nature of socialisation process and its stages and agencies.
- 21. Critically examine the changing dimensions of caste in contemporary society.
- 22. Examine the needs and different agencies of social control.

 $(2 \times 20 = 40 \text{ Marks})$