

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIOLOGY

SIXTH SEMESTER – APRIL 2016

SO 6606 – URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Date: 18-04-2016

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00-12:00

PART - A

Answer **ALL** questions in about 30 words each:

(10x2=20 Marks)

1. Define Urban Development.
2. What are the characteristics of a city?
3. Mention any two features of urbanization.
4. Distinguish between increase in urban population due to urban growth and migration.
5. What is urbanization?
6. Define Slum.
7. Mention any two causes of housing problems in cities of India.
8. What are the objectives of urban planning?
9. Define small and medium towns.
10. What is the role of HUDCO in urban areas?

PART - B

Answer **FIVE** questions in about 300 words each:

(5x8=40 marks)

11. Discuss the nature of the study of urban development.
12. Explain the characteristics of urban social structure.
13. What ails the urban transportation in India?
14. What are the advantages of small and medium towns?
15. Explain the water problem in Indian cities.
16. What are the goals of JNURM?
17. Discuss the training programmes of UCD personnel.

PART - C

Answer **TWO** questions in about 1200 words each:

(2x20=40 marks)

18. Write an essay on "Urbanism as a way of life."
19. Characterize the process of urbanization in ancient and medieval India.
20. Enumerate the causes of slums in India. Suggest some approaches to manage the problem of slums in Indian cities.
21. Discuss the composition and role of any urban administrative body.

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