

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



B.A.DEGREE EXAMINATION –SOCIOLOGY

SECOND SEMESTER – APRIL 2019

SO 2502– SOCIAL DEMOGRAPHY

Date: 03-04-2019

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 01:00-04:00

PART –A

Answer ALL questions in about 30 words each:

(10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

1. Define social demography.
2. Mention any two demographic survey's in India.
3. What is vital registration?
4. Mention the types of census.
5. What is a positive check on population?
6. What are the four stages of demographic transition?
7. What are the three main population processes?
8. Define migration.
9. What is population policy?
10. Write a note on family planning programmes in India.

PART –B

Answer any FIVE questions in about 300 words each:

(5 x 8 = 40 Marks)

11. Explain the importance of the study of social demography.
12. Delineate the importance of sample surveys.
13. Examine the diet theory of Thomas Double Day.
14. What type of information can be derived from population pyramids?
15. Highlight the push and pull factors of migration.
16. Write a note on fertility influencing population policies.
17. Explicate the social factors influencing fertility.

PART – C

Answer any TWO questions in about 1200 words each:

(2 x 20 = 40 Marks)

18. Write an essay on the nature and scope of social demography.
19. Discuss the theory of demographic transition.
20. Elaborate on the consequences of migration.
21. Discuss the challenges in implementing India's Population Programme.
