

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034**U.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – ALLIED****FIRST SEMESTER – APRIL 2023****USO 1301 – CONTEMPORARY INDIAN SOCIAL PROBLEMS**

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Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

SECTION A**Answer ALL the questions**

1.	Fill in the blanks	(5 x 1 = 5)		
a)	A social condition that disrupts or damages a society is called a _____.	K1	CO1	
b)	_____ is a situation in which more people are doing work than actually required.	K1	CO1	
c)	_____ is a condition where household income is below a level to maintain basic living standards.	K1	CO1	
d)	_____ is an illegal act involving the exchange of something of value, such as money, with the purpose of influencing the behavior of public officials.	K1	CO1	
e)	_____ refers to excessive use of a drug in a way that is detrimental to self, society or both.	K1	CO1	
2.	True or False	(5 x 1 = 5)		
a)	Educational unemployment is caused by trade cycles at regular intervals.			
b)	Food for work programme aims at enhancing food security through wage employment.	K1	CO1	
c)	Bruises, lacerations and bite marks are behavioural signs of physical abuse in children.	K1	CO1	
d)	Alcoholism is a disease caused by chronic, compulsive drinking.	K1	CO1	
e)	Prevention of money Laundering Act was passed in 2002.	K1	CO1	
3.	Match the following	(5 x 1 = 5)		
a)	Low height for age - Altruistic Suicide	K2	CO1	
b)	High Integration - Corruption	K2	CO1	
c)	Frictional unemployment - Disease	K2	CO1	
d)	Bribery - Stunting		CO1	
e)	Alcoholism - Improper adjustment of supply and demand of labour	K2	CO1	
4.	Write a short note on the following:	(5 x 1 = 5)		
a)	Honour killing	K2	CO1	
b)	Technological Unemployment	K2	CO1	
c)	Favouritism	K2	CO1	
d)	Child Sexual Abuse	K2	CO1	
e)	Drug Dependence	K2	CO1	

SECTION B**Answer any TWO of the following in 600 words****(2 x 10 = 20)**

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| 5) | Formulate the characteristics of social problems. | K3 | CO2 |
| 6) | Highlight the impact of unemployment. | K3 | CO2 |
| 7) | Elucidate the social and economic causes of poverty. | K3 | CO2 |
| 8) | Explain the causes and effects of child labour. | K3 | CO2 |

SECTION C**Answer any TWO of the following in 600 words****(2 x 10 = 20)**

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| 9) | Identify the various forms of malnutrition. | K4 | CO3 |
| 10) | Is suicide a social problem? Substantiate. | K4 | CO3 |
| 11) | Explain the various stages of alcoholism. | K4 | CO3 |
| 12) | Illustrate any four types of unemployment. | K4 | CO3 |

SECTION D**Answer any ONE of the following in 1000 words****(1 x 20 = 20)**

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| 13) | Identify the causes and indicators of physical abuse on children. | K5 | CO4 |
| 14) | Examine the causes and types of suicide. | K5 | CO4 |

SECTION E**Answer any ONE of the following in 1000 words****(1 x 20 = 20)**

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| 15) | What is honour killing? Analyze its causes and suggest measures to eradicate it. | K6 | CO5 |
| 16) | Examine the major scandals and scams and its causes in India. As a student what measures would you suggest to fight corruption? | K6 | CO5 |
