

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIOLOGY

FIRST SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2018

16/18PSO1MC04 – INDIAN SOCIETY STRUCTURE AND PROCESS

Date: 29-10-2018

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 01:00-04:00

Part – A

Answer ALL the questions in about 30 words each:

(10 x 2 = 20)

1. What is Indological approach?
2. What is Homo Hierarchicus?
3. Mention any two rules of marriage.
4. Differentiate extended family from joint family.
5. Define jati.
6. Write a note on Panchayati raj.
7. Explain health disparity in India with an example.
8. What is parochialism?
9. Mention any two social legislations in India that brought social change.
10. State the difference between industrialization and urbanization.

Part – B

Answer any FIVE questions of the following in about 300 words each:

(5 x 8 = 40)

11. Write a short note on Dialectic approach.
12. Explain Ranajit Guha's contribution to subaltern perspective.
13. Suggest measures to eradicate dowry in the light of Dowry Prohibition Act.
14. Elaborate the debates on the changing nature of family in India.
15. Explain the factors responsible for changes in caste system.
16. Write a short note on the impact of globalization on Indian society.
17. Discuss the inter relationship of caste and class in Indian politics.

Part – C

Answer any TWO questions of the following in about 1200 words each:

(20 x 2 = 40)

18. Illustrate the structural-functional approach to the study of Indian society.
19. Write an essay on India's reservation policy and its implications.
20. Explain the changing role of caste and its continuing relevance in contemporary India.
21. Critically examine the historical relationship of education and modernization in India.

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