



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIOLOGY

THIRD SEMESTER – APRIL 2024

USO 3501 – CLASSICAL SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY

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Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 01:00 PM - 04:00 PM

SECTION A - K1 (CO1)

	Answer ALL the Questions		(10 x 1 = 10)
1.	Define		
a)	Positivism		
b)	Alienation		
c)	Suicide		
d)	Ideal types		
e)	Mind		
2.	Fill in the blanks		
a)	Comte's works reflects the influence of-----.		
b)	The worth of products produced by the labour power is-----.		
c)	The sense of unity among individuals or groups is called-----.		
d)	The system of organisation characterised by formal rules is -----.		
e)	The mind refers to an individual's----- processes.		
	SECTION A - K2 (CO1)		
	Answer ALL the Questions		(10 x 1 = 10)
3.	Match the following		
a)	Paris Manuscript	Durkheim	
b)	Totemism	Max Weber	
c)	Protestant Ethics	Mead	
d)	Self	Comte	
e)	Theological Stage	Karl Marx	
4.	True or False		
a)	Social dynamics indicates the forces responsible to social change.		
b)	Capitalist system leads to a sense of belonging of labourers.		
c)	Ideal types are similarities and deviations in empirical cases.		
d)	Altruistic suicide is the result of individual's moral turmoil.		
e)	The philosophy of acts refers to the principles of individual's actions and decisions.		
	SECTION B - K3 (CO2)		
	Answer any TWO of the following in 600 words each.		(2 x 10 = 20)
5.	Explain Comte's intellectual revolution.		
6.	Illustrate the features of dialectical materialism.		
7.	Outline the types of social solidarity.		
8.	Summarize on Mead's thoughts on Mind and Self.		

SECTION C – K4 (CO3)**Answer any TWO of the following in 600 words each.****(2 x 10 = 20)**

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| 9. | Analyse the impact of French Revolution in modern society. |
| 10. | Evaluate Marx's view on religion. |
| 11. | Highlight the importance of social solidarity and collective conscience. |
| 12. | Differentiate charismatic and rational legal authority. |

SECTION D – K5 (CO4)**Answer any ONE of the following in 1000 words****(1 x 20 = 20)**

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| 13. | Evaluate the division of labour in society. |
| 14. | Examine the importance of Durkheimian analysis of suicide. |

SECTION E – K6 (CO5)**Answer any ONE of the following in 1000 words****(1 x 20 = 20)**

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| 15. | Critique Durkheim's work on elementary forms of religious life. |
| 16. | Summarise Mead's conception of society. |
