



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 600 034

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIOLOGY
FIFTH SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2024
SO 5503 – POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY



Date: 14-11-2024

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00 am-12:00 pm

SECTION A

Answer ANY FOUR of the following

4 x 10 = 40 Marks

1. Explain the emergence of Political Sociology.
2. Examine the types of authority by Weber.
3. Analyse the contributions of Karl Marx to Political Sociology.
4. Identify and explain the reasons for political apathy.
5. Explain the functions of political parties.
6. Classify and explain the types of pressure groups.
7. Assess the meaning and dimensions of political culture.
8. Analyse the determinants of political participation.

SECTION B

Answer ANY THREE of the following

3 x 20 = 60 Marks

9. Examine the nature and scope of Political Sociology.
10. Evaluate the characteristics and different perspectives of power.
11. Elaborate the agencies of political socialization and their significance.
12. Critically analyse the party system in India.
13. Examine Aristotle's classification of political systems.
14. Explain democracy and its challenges in India
