



# LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 600 034

**M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIOLOGY**

**FIRST SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2024**

**PSO1MC01 – PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY**



Date: 08-11-2024

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Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 01:00 pm-04:00 pm

## SECTION A – K1 (CO1)

**Answer ALL the questions**

**(5 x 1 = 5)**

### 1 True or False

- Spencer referred to the increase in the rate of social evolutionary progress as “compound accumulation.”
- Role set is a complement of role relationships in which persons are involved by virtue of occupying a particular status.
- Ivan Illich regards schools as repressive institutions which indoctrinate pupils, smother creativity and imagination.
- Induced modernization entails modeling a country’s organizations, institutions and value orientations after those of Western countries.
- Social stratification involves a hierarchy of social groups.

## SECTION A – K2 (CO1)

**Answer ALL the questions**

**(5 x 1 = 5)**

### 2 Match the following

- |                             |                   |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| a) Personal trouble         | - Pierre Bourdieu |
| b) Habitus                  | - William Safran  |
| c) Opium of the masses      | - Everett Rogers  |
| d) Diffusion of innovations | - Karl Marx       |
| e) Diaspora                 | - C.W. Mills      |

## SECTION B – K3 (CO2)

**Answer any THREE of the following in 400 words each.**

**(3 x 10 = 30)**

- Identify and explain the views of Comte on society.
- Illustrate your understanding of ethnocentrism and cultural relativism.
- Determine the views of Paul Willis on education system.
- Demonstrate your understanding of social structure in detail.
- Explain the views of Roger on diffusion with examples.

## SECTION C – K4 (CO3)

**Answer any TWO of the following in 600 words each.**

**(2 x 12.5 = 25)**

- Demonstrate your understanding of habitus and field.
- Highlight the significance of role and status.
- Infer how Bauman’s ideas of modernity influences his argument about the utility of sociology.

11	Examine the role played by social institutions in reinforcing the existing power structures.
<b>SECTION D – K5 (CO4)</b>	
	<b>Answer any ONE of the following in 800 words (1 x 15 = 15)</b>
12	Explain the patterns of social change with suitable examples.
13	Interpret religion from a Marxist perspective.
<b>SECTION E – K6 (CO5)</b>	
	<b>Answer any ONE of the following in 1000 words (1 x 20 = 20)</b>
14	Elaborate on ‘Sociological Imagination’ from the works of Wright Mills.
15	Discuss the parallels between mass incarceration and Jim Crow as analysed by Michelle Alexander.

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