



**LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034**

**B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIOLOGY**

**SIXTH SEMESTER – APRIL 2016**

**SO 6603 - RURAL SOCIOLOGY**

Date: 15-04-2016  
Time: 09:00-12:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

**PART – A**

**Answer all questions in about 30 words each:**

**(10x2=20 Marks)**

1. What is rural society?
2. Define rural sociology.
3. Indicate any two characteristics of rural society.
4. Mention any two differences between rural and urban society.
5. What is sanskritization?
6. What is meant by jajmani system?
7. What is panchayat raj?
8. List out any two problems affecting rural economy?
9. Mention any two factors of migration from rural to urban society
10. What are the causes of illiteracy in Rural India?

**PART – B**

**Answer any five of the following in about 300 words each:**

**(5x8=40 Marks)**

11. Elucidate the nature of Rural sociology
12. What are the types of villages? Give examples.
13. Write a short note on village settlement patterns.
14. Give an account of rural politics.
15. Highlight the functions of family in rural society.
16. Bring out the causes of rural unemployment.
17. Trace out the sanitation problems in rural society.

**PART – C**

**Answer any two of the following in about 1200 words each:**

**(2x20=40 Marks)**

18. Elucidate the importance of rural sociology.
19. Analyse the impact of caste system in rural India.
20. Elaborate the functions of rural economy.
21. Analyse the causes and consequences of Rural poverty and indebtedness.

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