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Max. : 100 Marks

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SECTION A – K1 (CO1)

Answer ALL the questions

(5 x 1 = 5)

1 State True or False.

- In a capitalist society, paid work is a crucial element in identity formation.
- The management of emotions for commercial purposes is called emotional labour.
- Alienation does not vary with technologies of production.
- The primary objective of the human relations school was to fragment and simplify tasks.
- Union rights were totally secure during the era of capitalist industrialisation.

SECTION A – K2 (CO1)

Answer ALL the questions

(5 x 1 = 5)

2 Match the following.

- Max Weber - Deskilling
- Antonio Gramsci - Protestant work ethic
- Sylvia Federici - New-rich middle class
- C J Fuller - Counter-Hegemony
- Henry Bravermann - Wages against housework

SECTION B – K3 (CO2)

Answer any THREE of the following in 400 words each.

(3 x 10 = 30)

- Trace the transformation of human labour through history.
- Write an account of the labour processes under welfare capitalism.
- Evaluate the rise of IT professionals as a new-rich middle class.
- Discuss the precarious nature of informal work.
- Assess the unequal and gendered division of domestic labour.

SECTION C – K4 (CO3)

Answer any TWO of the following in 600 words each.

(2 x 12.5 = 25)

- Analyze the types of alienation.
- Illustrate the features of Fordism in service sector.
- Evaluate the demand for wages for household work by women.
- Demonstrate how Jonathan Parry analyzes unionization in central India using Marxist concepts.

SECTION D – K5 (CO4)

Answer any ONE of the following in 800 words

(1 x 15 = 15)

- Summarize the historical changes in production process and social organization as analyzed by Marx.
- Elaborate on your understanding of emotional labour.

SECTION E – K6 (CO5)

Answer any ONE of the following in 1000 words

(1 x 20 = 20)

- Summarize Blauner's research on alienation in work under modern capitalism.
- Evaluate the organisation of industrial work in Fordist and Post-Fordist era.
