

**UNIVERSITIES OF BIHAR**

**Curriculum Under CBCS for 2 Year (Four Semester) Post Graduate Course in Sociology  
(To be effective from 2018-19)**

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M.A. SOCIOLOGY, CBCS BASED (SEMESTER  
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EXAMINATIONS**

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**M.A.(Sociology)**  
**Semester-I**

**Compulsory Paper - I**  
**PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions-All questions to be answered  
10 × 2 = 20 marks

(Questions shall be picked up from the whole syllabus preferably two questions from each unit.)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions-Four to be answered

( Questions shall be picked up from the whole syllabus preferably one question from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Five long answer Questions-Three Questions

to be answered (Questions shall be picked up from the whole syllabus preferably one question from each unit) Marks 3X10 = 30

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

- Sociology: Definition, Nature and Scope and Recent trends of development; Sociological Perspectives.

**Unit - II**

- a) Social Group : Concept, Classification and Reference group.  
b) Status and Role : Concept, Types and interrelation between Status & Roles,

Norms & Values - Concept, types and interrelation between Norms and Values.

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### Unit - III

- a) Social Stratification: Concept, Bases, Forms and Theories (Marx, Max Weber, Davis and Moore)
- b) Social Interaction in everyday life.

### Unit - IV

Structural-functional perspectives in Sociology: Social system; Social structure, Concept, Structural aspect & functional problems of the social System, Pattern variables; Function: concept & types.

### Unit - V

Socialization - Concept, Stages, Process; Theories: Freud, Mead, Cooley; Agencies of Socialization.

#### Essential Readings

- > Sociology : A Giddens
- > Sociology : A Systematic Introduction - H.M. Johnson
- > Sociology : Themes & Perspectives - M. Halalambos.
- > Social Theory and Social Structure - R.K. Merton
- > lekt'kkL= सिंघन - नरेश कुमार सिंघी एवं सुषमल नरेशवाणी
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- > lekt'kkL= समाजशास्त्र एवं सिंघन - डॉ. जयदीप प्रसाद सिंघ
- > समाजशास्त्र के सिंघन - डॉ. जयदीप प्रसाद सिंघ

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**Semester-I**

**Compulsory Paper - 3  
CLASSICAL SOCIOLOGY**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10 × 2 = 20 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3 × 10 = 30 marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

**Duration of Examination : 3 Hours**

**Maximum Marks: 100**

**Theory: 70**

**Internal Assessment: 30**

**Unit - I**

**Historical socio - economic background of the emergence of Sociology**

Impact of Industrial revolution and of new mode of production on society and economy.

The enlightenment and its impact on thinking and reasoning.

A brief review of Enlightenment thought with special reference to St. Simon and Comte.

**Unit - II**

**Auguste Comte**

Contribution to the subject matter of Sociology: Positivism, Social Statics and Social Dynamics.

**Emile Durkheim**

Emile Durkheim: Intellectual background.

Theory of Division of labour and Social solidarity.

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Theory of suicide: Suicide rate, Types of suicide, Problem of integration of the individual with society.

Theory of Religion: Nature of religion-sacred and profane, Religious rituals- their types, social role of religious beliefs and rituals.

Contribution to the methodology of Sociology- (Rules of Sociological method).

### Unit - III

#### Karl Marx

Karl Marx: Intellectual Background.

Marxian Dialectical materialism as a philosophical perspective of change and its laws.

Marx's theory of social change

Materialistic interpretation of history: As a perspective of explaining transformation of human society through different stages. Economic determinism. Mode of production and social structure. Base and super structure.

Marx's analysis of emergence and development of capitalism in terms of laws of increasing accumulation and concentration of capital and of increasing misery, alienation.

Emergence of classes and class conflict. Proletariat revolution and future of capitalism. Classless society.

### Unit - IV

#### Max Weber

Max Weber: Intellectual background.

Theory of social action, Nature & types of social actions

Analysis of modern capitalism. Protestant ethic and emergence of capitalism

Theory of Authority- Authority and power, Types of authority and bases of their legitimacy.

Theory of Bureaucracy

Concepts of status, class and power

Contribution to the methodology of social science- Distinctive nature of social realities because of meanings attached to them- Sociology as an interpretative science.

Concepts of verstehen and ideal types.

### Unit - V

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### Vilfredo Pareto

Vilfredo Pareto: Intellectual background

Contribution to the methodology- logico- experimental method

Classification of logical and non-logical actions, Explanation of non-logical actions in terms of his theory of Residues and Derivations, Classification of Residues and Derivations.

Theory of social change- Elites and masses. Types of elites, their classification, circulation of Elites.

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- Hughes, John A., Martin, Peter, J. and Sharrock, W.E., Understanding Classical Sociology: Marx, Weber and Durkheim. London: Sage Publications, Whole Book, 1995.
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- Weber, Max The Theory of Social & Economic Organization, Glencoe, Free Press, 1947.
- Zeitlin, Irving M., Ideology and the Development of Sociological Theory. New Delhi, Prentice Hall, 1971.
- समाजिक विचार धारा — R.N. Mukherjee
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- Avineri, S., The Social and Political Thought of Karl Marx. London, Cambridge University Press, 1970.
- Durkheim, E., The Division of Labour in Society, Illinois, Free Press of Glencoe, 1960.
- Marx, K. and F.Engels, The Manifesto of the Communist Party, Moscow, Progress Publishers, 1971.
- Weber, Max, Protestant Ethic and the Spirit of Capitalism, London, Allen & Unwin, 1965.

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**Semester-I**

**Compulsory Paper - 3**

**PERSPECTIVE IN INDIAN SOCIOLOGY**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10 x 2 = 20 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Questions from each Unit) 4 x 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3 x 10 = 30 marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

Colonial and Nationalist Perspectives  
Modernization and Development of Indian Society.

**Unit - II**

Theoretical Perspectives - Indological [G.S. Ghurye, L. Dumont]

Structural Functional - [M.N.Srinivas, S.C. Dube]

Marxian [D.P. Mukherjee, A.R. Desai]

**Unit - III**

Synthesis of Textual and Field Views- [Irawati Karve, A.M.Shah]

Civilizational- [N. K. Bose, Surajit Sinha]

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#### Unit – IV

Current Issues of Indian Society - Ethnicity and identities, Communalism, Language and regionalism, Problems of Poverty and Environment.

#### Unit – V

Current Challenges of Indian Society - Indianisation/Indigenization, contextualisation, Challenges of Globalization.

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- Ahmad, Imtiaz, 'For a Sociology of India' Contribution to Indian Sociology 6: 172-178, 1972.
- Desai, A.R. Social Background of Indian Nationalism, Bombay, Popular Prakashan, 1976.
- D'Souza, P.R.(ed), Contemporary India-Transition, New Delhi: Sage, 2000.
- Dhanagare, D.N. Themes and Perspectives in Indian Sociology, Jaipur, Rawat, 1993.
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- Reddy P.S. and Gangadhar V (eds.) Indian Society: Continuity, Change and development, New Delhi, Commonwealth Publishers, 2004.

#### FURTHER READINGS:

- Dube, S.C, The Indian Village, London Macmillan, 1965.
- Das, Veena (ed.) Handbook of Indian Sociology, New Delhi, Oxford University Press, 2004.
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- Ghurye, G.S., Caste and Class in India, Bombay, Popular Book Depot, 1957.
- Jacob K.K. and T.M. Dak (eds.), Social Development: A Compendium, Inst. of Social Development, 2001.
- Mukherji, P.N. and Songupta (ed.), Indignity and Universality in Social Science: A South Asian Response, New Delhi, Sage, 2004.
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**Semester-I**

**Compulsory Paper - 4**  
**RURAL SOCIOLOGY**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions  $10 \times 2 = 20$  marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit)  $4 \times 5 = 20$  marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five  $3 \times 10 = 30$  marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100  
Theory: 70  
Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

Introduction to Rural Sociology: Definition, Origin of Rural Sociology, Scope of Rural Sociology. Importance of the study of rural Sociology.

**Unit - II**

Rural- Urban Dichotomy, Rural- Urban continuum, Village Studies in India.

**Unit - III**

Rural Social Structure: Caste and Class in Rural Set up, Inter Caste Relations and Jajmani System, Changing Trends of Rural Caste Structure. Rural Family and its changing pattern.

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#### Unit - IV

Rural Economy; Rural Poverty, Land Reforms, Green Revolution and its Impact.

#### Unit - V

Rural Political Structure: Rural Power Structure; Emerging pattern of Rural Leadership, Rural Leadership and Factionalism.

#### Essential Readings:

- Ahluwat S.R. (1988), *Green Revolution and Agriculture Labour*, Delhi : Deep and Deep Publication.
- Beteille, A. (1974), *Studies in Agrarian Social Structure*, Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Beteille, A. (1992), *Essays in Comparative Sociology*, Delhi: Oxford University Press.
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- Darling, M.L. (1978), *Punjab Peasant in Prosperity and Debt*, Delhi, Rana Partap Bagh.
- Dube, S.C.(1955), *Indian Village*, London : Routledge and Kegan Paul.
- Doshi, S.L. and P.C.Jain (1999), *Rural Sociology*, Jaipur : Rawat Publication.
- Frankle Francine (1971), *India's Green Revolution : Economic Gains and Political Costs*, Princeton University Press.
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- Sharma, K.L. (1997), **Rural Society in India**, Jaipur : Rawat Publication.
- Thorner, Daniel and Alice, Thorner (1962), **Land and Labour in India**, Bombay : Asia Publication.
- Wiser, William H. (1936), **The Hindu Jajmani System**, Lucknow Publishing House, Lucknow.

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**Semester-I**

**AECC-I (Ability Enhancing Compulsory Elective)**

**Maximum Marks: 100**

**Environmental Sustainability (3 Credit ) &**

**Swachhha Bharat Abhiyan Activities (2 Credit )**

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**Semester-II**

**Compulsory Paper - 5**

**RESEARCH METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10 × 2 = 20 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3 × 10 = 30 marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

**Schools of Epistemology:**

Empiricism, Positivism, Interpretative, Emerging methodological issues.

**Sociology as a Science:**

Science and Scientific approach, Nature of social phenomena, Objectivity.

**Unit - II**

**Conceptual Foundations of Research:**

Concept, Fact, Hypothesis, Theory: Theory construction.

Research Design: Exploratory, Descriptive, Experimental.

Sampling - Basic Sampling Issues, Probability sampling & Non-Probability sampling.

**Unit - III**

Data Sources - Primary Data, Secondary Data

Methods & Techniques of Data collection- Questionnaire, Interview, Schedule.

Observation, Case study method.

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### Unit - IV

Qualitative Vs Quantitative Research:

Measurement-Levels, Problems (Reliability and validity)

Scaling Techniques- Thurstone, Likert, Guttman & Bogardus

### Unit - V

Statistics in Social Research- Measures of central tendency (Mean, Median and Mode), Measures of Dispersion, Standard deviation, Quartile deviation, Spearman correlation, Pearson's R, Chi square.

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Bailey, K. D. Methods of Social Research, New York, The Free Press, 1997.

Blalock, H.M. Social Statistics, New York, McGraw Hill Company, 1979.

Denzin, Norman K., The Research Act: A Theoretical Introduction to Sociological Methods, New York, McGraw Hill, 1978.

Goode, W.J. and Hatt P.K., Methods In Social Research, New York, McGraw Hill, 1952.

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**Semester-II**

**Compulsory Paper - 8**

**SOCIOLOGY OF POPULATION STUDIES**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10 × 2 = 20 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3 × 10 = 30 marks  
(One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100  
Theory: 70  
Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

- > Social Demography : Meaning, Scope and Significance
- > Theories of Population : Malthusian, Optimism and Demographic Transition

**Unit - II**

- > Demographic Processes in India:
  - (a) Fertility : Social cultural determinants, measurement and consequences.
  - (b) Mortality : Determinants, measurement and consequences. Infant mortality.
  - (c) Migration : Nature, Causes and Consequences.

**Unit - III**

- > Population Growth and Composition in India:
  - (a) Trends of population growth
  - (b) Distribution and density of population

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- (c) Composition of Population: Age, Sex, Marital status, Educational, Religious and Ethnic.

Unit - IV

- Population and Economic Development in India :  
(a) Causes and consequences of Population explosion.  
(b) Population as constraint and source of development.

Unit - V

- Programme and Policy of Population control in India:  
(a) History of family welfare.  
(b) Philosophy, principles and need of population policy  
(c) Measures and Programmes of Family Planning (Welfare)

Essential Readings:

- India's Population Problems - S.N. Agrawal  
➤ Demographic Diversity in India - A. Bose  
➤ An Introduction to Social Demography - M.K. Peeni  
➤ Demography and Population Problem - R. Sharma  
➤ Demography and Population Studies - O.S. Srivastava  
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**Semester-II**

**Compulsory Paper - 1**

**GENDER AND SOCIETY**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10 × 2 = 20 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3 × 10 = 30 marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

Gender: Concept, Gender Role Development; Theoretical Perspectives on gender role: Biological; Socio - Cultural and the symbolic Interactionist Approach to gender roles.

**Unit - II**

Feminism, Theories of Feminism: Liberal; Radical; Socialist and Post Modernist.

**Unit - III**

Gender Inequality; Violence against women; Feminist movements.

**Unit - IV**

Gender Construction; Sexual behaviour as an aspect of gender role; Gender and social stratification in contemporary India; Gender as social structure.

**Unit - V**

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Women Empowerment: Policies, Programmes, Legislations and their impact on the status of women in contemporary Indian Society.

- Ref: 1. Spode & Valentine; the Kaleidoscope of Gender; Sage Publications.  
2. Sharmila Rege (Ed.); Sociology of Gender Sage Publications.  
3. Rajal Bhargav (Ed.); Ravest Publications.

**Books Recommended:**

- Women and Society in India – Neera Desai and M. Krishnaraj.
- Women in Modern India – G. Forbes.
- Towards Equality – Report of Committee on the status of women; Govt. of India
- Empowerment of women in India – Arun Kr. Singh.
- Kaleidoscope of Gender – Prism, Patterns and Possibilities, Sage Pub., New Delhi.
- Dalits in India: Search you a common Destiny – Sukhdeo Thorat, Sage Pub., New Delhi.
- Indigenous Roots of Feminism: Culture, Subjectivity and Agency – Jasbir Jain Sage Pub., New Delhi.
- Empowerment of Women in India: Myth and Reality – Dr. Rahul Rai Jananada Prakashan, New Delhi
- Contemporary India- transitions -- Prier Ronald Desouza, Sage Pub., New Delhi
- The Challenge of Feminini – Sociological, Knowledge – Sharmila Rege; Sage Pub., New Delhi
- Women and Social Order: A profile of major Indicators and Determinants – Sarala Ranganathan; Karishka Publishers, Distributors, New Delhi.
- Women Physiologically Considered as to Mind, Morals, Marriage, Matrimonial Slavery Infidelity and Divorce - Alexander Walker; Mital Publications, Delhi.
- Gender, Population land Development – Maitreji Krishnaraj, Ratna M. Sudarshan, Abusaleh Shariff; Delhi Oxford University Press.

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- Hareven T.K, Families, History & Social Change: Life Course & Cross Cultural perspectives. Boulder, Westview, 2000.
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- Myers, Kristen A. et. al (eds), *Feminist Foundations: Towards Transforming Sociology*, New Delhi, Sage, 1998.
- Oakley, Ann, *Sex, Gender and Society*, New York, Harper & Row, 1972.
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**Semester-II**

**Compulsory Paper - 8**

**URBAN SOCIOLOGY**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10 × 3 = 30 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3 × 10 = 30 marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

The meaning and concept of urban & the domain of urban sociology.

Nature and Rise of early cities.

Typologies of City: Sjoberg's Classification, Functional Classification, Cultural Classification: Orthogenetic and Heterogenetic cities

**Unit - II**

**Theoretical perspectives in Urban Sociology**

Ecological (Classical and Neo-classical), Socio- Cultural, Louis Wirth -urbanism as a way of life.

**Theories of Spatial Structure**

Concentric Zone theory, Sector theory, Multi-nuclei theory, Locational Theories- Central Place, Median Location.

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### Unit-III

Social structure of Urban India-continuities and change: Social Stratification in Urban India;  
Urban family & Kinship.

### Unit-IV

#### Urban Issues and Problems

Slums, Housing, Urban poverty- Magnitude, Causes, theories, State initiative to eradicate urban poverty; urban unemployment.

### Unit-V

#### Urbanism and Urbanization

- Patterns and Trends of Urbanization (with reference to India)
- Urban Planning: Need of Urban Planning
- Initiatives in the Five Year Plans

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**Semester-II**

**Compulsory Paper - B**

**CRIME AND SOCIETY**

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**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10 × 2 = 20 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3 × 10 = 30 marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

- Criminology : Meaning, Subject-matter, Importance.

**Unit - II**

- Conceptual approaches to Crime:
  - (a) Legal and Sociological Delinquency.
  - (b) Types of Crime

**Unit - III**

- Perspective on Crime Causation :
  - (a) Classical.
  - (b) Sociological.
  - (c) Typological

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### Unit - IV

- Theories of Punishment : Retributive, deterrent & reformative: Types of punishment

### Unit - V

- Correction and its forms: (a) Meaning and significance and (b) Forms Prison based and community-based.
- Prison : (a) History of prison reform in India. (b) National policy on prison.
- Alternative to Imprisonment : Probation, Parole, Open prison, After - care and Rehabilitation.

### Essential Readings:

- Criminological Theory: Contest and Consequences – J. Robertilly & others.
- Global Perspectives in Criminology – Makler & others.
- Crime in India – Ministry of Home Affairs.
- Punishment and the Prison – India and International Perspectives – R. D. S. Das
- Understanding Criminology – S. Waiklete.
- Criminological Theory – Williams & others.
- Report of all India Committee on Jail Reform – Ministry of Home Affairs.
- Crime, Criminals and Society – M.J. Sethna.
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**Semester-II**

**AEC-1 ( Ability Enhancing Elective Paper)**

Maximum Marks: 100

**Computers and IT Skill**

**UNIT-I**

**Introduction:** Introduction to computer system, uses, types.

**Data Representation:** Number systems and character representation, binary arithmetic.

**Human Computer Interface:** Types of software, Operating system as user interface, utility programs.

**UNIT-II**

**Devices:** Input and output devices (with connections and practical demo), keyboard, mouse, joystick, scanner, OCR, OMR, bar code reader, web camera, monitor, printer, ploter.

**Memory:** Primary, secondary, auxiliary memory, RAM, ROM, cache memory, hard disks, optical disks.

**UNIT-III**

**Computer Organisation and Architecture:** C.P.U., registers, system bus, main memory unit, cache memory, Inside a computer, SMPS, Motherboard, Ports and Interfaces, expansion cards, ribbon cables, memory chips, processors.

**UNIT-IV**

Windows (Operating System), MS Office: MS Word, MS Excel, MS PowerPoint, MS Outlook, Internet.

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## Computer Organisation and Architecture

### Suggested Readings:

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P. Aksoy, L. DeNardis, *Introduction to Information Technology*, Cengage Learning, 2006

P. K. Sinha, P. Sinha, *Fundamentals of Computers*, BPB Publishers, 2007.

Greenlaw R and Hepp E "*Fundamentals of Internet and www*" 2nd Ed., Tata McGrawHill, 2007.

Leon and Leon, "Internet for Everyone", Vikas Publishing House.

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Compulsory Paper - 10

**THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES IN SOCIOLOGY**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

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(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3 × 10 = 30 marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

Nature and types of Sociological Theory: Macro, Micro and Middle Range Theories.

**Unit - II**

- Conflict theory : (a) Dahrendorf  
(b) Coser  
(c) R. Collins
- Neo - Marxian : (a) Habermas  
(b) Althusser

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Unit - III

- Symbolic Interactionism - Mead, Blumer, Goffman .

Unit - IV

- Phenomenology - A Schutz
- Ethnomethodology - Garfinkel

Unit - V

- Social exchange theories: (a) Intellectual root,  
(b) G. Homans &  
(c) Peter Blau.

Essential Readings:

- Structure of Sociological Theory - J.H. Turner
- Sociological Theory - Ritzer
- Capitalism and Modern Social Theory - Giddens
- Rethinking Sociology: A critique of Contemporary Theory - Zetlin
- Structuralism and Science: From Levi - Strauss to Derrida - Starbuck
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**Compulsory Paper – II**  
**SOCIAL PROBLEMS IN INDIA**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

<b>Part – A</b>	Ten objective type Questions (Two Questions from each Unit)	10 × 2 = 20 marks
<b>Part – B</b>	Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered) (One Questions from each Unit)	4 × 5 = 20 marks
<b>Part – C</b>	Three long answer Questions out of Five to be answered (One Question from each Unit)	3 × 10 = 30 marks

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit – I**

- Social Disorganization and Social Problems Concepts and theories.

**Unit – II**

- Poverty : Concepts, causes, consequences and remedies.

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- Unemployment : Concept, causes, consequences, types and measures to arrest unemployment.
- Illiteracy : Concept, causes and programmes for eradication of illiteracy.

#### Unit - III

- Corruption, Black money : Concept, causes and consequences.

#### Unit - IV

- Problems related to Weaker Section :
  - (a) Scheduled caste,
  - (b) Scheduled Tribes
  - (c) Problems of Aged.

#### Unit - V

- Regionalism, Naxalism, Terrorism and National Integration.

#### Essential Readings:

- Social Problems in India - Ram Ahuja (English & Hindi).
- Indian Social Scene, Evils and Remedies - N.C. Joshi and U. Joshi (English & Hindi)
- Indian Social Problems - G.R. Madan.
- Social Problems - Freeman.
- Social Disorganization in India - C.B. Meheria.
- Communal Violence and Administration - A. Srivastava.
- Hindu - Muslim Relations in Contemporary India - R.R.P. Singh.

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Compulsory Paper - 12  
INDUSTRIAL SOCIOLOGY

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**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10 × 2 = 20 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3 × 10 = 30 marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

Unit - I

➤ Industrial Sociology :

- (a) Definition and Scope,
- (b) Relationship with Sociology
- And (c) Industrial Psychology.

Unit - II

➤ Classical Sociological Tradition of Industrial Society :

- (a) Production Relation,
- (b) Alienation (Marx, Sorokin).

➤ Sociological meaning of Work and Leisure :

- (a) Work in historical perspectives.
- (b) Modern approaches to work.
- (c) Views of Stanley Parker and Harheld Wilensky on the relationship between work and leisure.

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### Unit - III

- Work commitment of Industrial workers :
  - (a) Concept,
  - (b) Factors &
  - (c) Theories
- Job Satisfaction :
  - (a) Concept,
  - (b) Factors &
  - (c) Theories
- Rationalization and Automation in Industry.

### Unit - IV

- Industrial Relations:
  - (a) Industrial Disputes and Conflicts : Types and Causes
  - (b) Resolution of Industrial Disputes : Collective Bargaining

### Unit - V

- Trade Union : Meaning, types and functions.
- Concepts of Globalization, Liberalization and Privatization.

#### **Essential Readings:**

- Sociology, work and Industry - K. Watson.
- Industry and Labour - E. A. Ramaswamy.
- Industrial Relations in India - E. A. Ramaswamy.
- Indian Trade Union : A Survey - V.B. Kamik.
- Dynamics of Industrial relations in India - Memoria & Memoria.
- Industrial Sociology - Miller and Form.
- Fundamentals of Industrial Sociology - P. Gisberl
- Foundation of Industrial Sociology - Vincent & Mayers.
- Sociology of Industry - Parker & others.
- *अवधारणात्मक संसाधन : उद्योगिक संबंधों में - एच. एच. गुजर*

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Compulsory Paper - 13

SOCIOLOGY OF CHANGE AND DEVELOPMENT

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

Part - A

Ten objective type Questions  $10 \times 2 = 20$  marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

Part - B

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit)  $4 \times 5 = 20$  marks

Part - C

Three long answer Questions out of Five  $3 \times 10 = 30$  marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

Unit - I

- Social Change: Meaning and forms - Evolution and Progress.
- Theories and Factors of Social Change Evolutionary Cyclical and Conflict; Role of demography, technology and media.

Unit - II

- Social change in contemporary India: Trends and Processes - Sanskritization, Westernization, Modernization & Globalization.

Unit - III

- Concept of Development and Underdevelopment, Social development, Economic Development and Growth.

Unit - IV

- Theories and models of Development : (a) Theories: Marx, Rostow (b) Models : Capitalist, Mixed Economy and Gandhian.

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Unit - V

- > Planned development in India : Five year plans in India - Objective, achievements and evaluation.

**Essential Readings: -**

- > India's Path of Development: A Marxist approach - A.R. Desai
- > The Sociology Modernization and development - D. Harrison
- > Modernization of India Tradition - Y. Singh
- > Social Structure and Change - Ed. By Sah, Bhaviskar and Ramaswamy.
- > Economics of Development and Planning - Jhingran (English & Hindi).
- > शरीर के विकास - नवीन जय शर्मा
- > शरीर के विकास - बरत लाल शुभ
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Compulsory Paper - 14

**SOCIOLOGY OF MARGINALISED COMMUNITIES**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10 × 2 = 20 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3 × 10 = 30 marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

Marginalized Communities : Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes in India.

**Unit - II**

Socio-Economic Indices : Poverty, Educational Backwardness, Deprivation, Discrimination, Exploitation ; Inequality ; a critical view of the Caste System.

**Unit - III**

Social Structure and Culture of Marginalized Communities : Status of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Social Mobility ; Identity Formation.

**Unit - IV**

Social Movements among Marginalized Communities : Nature and Dynamics ; Perspectives on Social Movements : Protest, Reform, Role of Christian Missionaries in Social Reform Movements.

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## Unit - V

Role of State and Marginalized Communities : Constitutional Provisions for the Upliftment of Marginalized Communities ; Implementation, impact on Marginalized Communities, Limitations, Critical Review, Emerging Elites among Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes.

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- Ashraf and Aggarwal (1976). *Equality through Privileges: A Study of Special Privileges of Scheduled Caste in Haryana*, Delhi: Sri Ram Centre for Industrial Relation.
- Beville Andre, (1975). *Social Inequality*, London: Penguin Book.
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- Kamble, N.D. (1981), *Atrocities on Scheduled Caste in Post Independent India*, Delhi: Ashish Publishing House.
- Lynch, Owen, M. (1969). *The Politics of Untouchability: Social Mobility and Social Change in a City of India*, Delhi: National Publishing House.
- Mathew Joseph (1986). *Ideology, Protest and Social Mobility: Case Study of Mahars and Palayes*, Delhi: Inoc-India Publication.
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- Upadhyaya, H.C. (1991). *Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe in India* (Ed.) Delhi: Anmol Publication.
- Zelliot, Eleanor (1995). *From Untouchable to Dalit : Essays on the Ambedkar Movement*, New Delhi, Manohar Publication.

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**Semester-III**

**AECC-2 (Discipline Specific Elective)**

Maximum Marks: 100

**Human Values & Professional Ethics (2 Credit) &**

**Gender Sensitization (2 Credit)**

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**Semester-IV**

**EC-1 & EC-2- Subject Specific Compulsory Paper - 15 & 16**

Maximum Marks: 300

**Project Work & Dissertation**

Dissertation based on field-work followed by a Viva - Voce.

Submission of dissertation based on field work and appearing at viva-voce examination is compulsory otherwise a candidate would be declared failed in the examination.

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**Semester-IV**

**DSE-1 (Discipline Specific Elective )**

A candidate is required to select any one DSE from the following :

1. Political Sociology
2. Recent Developments in sociological Theories
3. Sociology of Education
4. Sociology of Science, Technology and Society

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5. Sociology of Policy and Planning.
6. Sociology of Environment.
7. Sociology of Human Rights and Duties

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**Semester-IV**

**EC-1 & EC-2- Subject Specific Compulsory Paper – 15 & 16**

**Maximum Marks: 300**

**► Project Work &Dissertation**

Dissertation based on field-work followed by a Viva – Voce. Submission of dissertation based on field work and appearing at viva-voce examination is compulsory otherwise a candidate would be declared failed in the examination.

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**Semester-IV**

**DSE-1 ( Discipline Specific Elective )**

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3. Sociology of Education
4. Sociology of Science, Technology and Society
5. Sociology of Policy and Planning.
6. Sociology of Environment
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**Semester-IV**

**DSE-I**

**1. POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10 × 2 = 20 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Questions from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit) 3 × 10 = 30 marks

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

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### Unit - I

- > Political Sociology :
  - (a) Meaning and Subject matter
  - (b) Distinctive approaches to Political Sociology

### Unit - II

- > Basic concepts : Power, Influence and Authority :
  - (a) Definitions, measurement of influence.
  - (b) Power relations, Types of power, Power in theoretical perspective - Goldhamer & Shils ; Bierstedt.
  - (c) Types of Authority.

### Unit - III

- > Political Culture : (a) Concept,
  - (b) Orientation and Types,
  - (c) Importance
- > Political Socialization :
  - (a) Concept,
  - (b) Forms and
  - (c) Agencies.
- > Political Participation and Political Apathy : Conceptual Analysis: Types of Political Participation, Variables determining political Participation, Factors and effects of Political Apathy.

### Unit - IV

- > Voting Behaviour in India.
- > Elite theories of distribution of power in society (with reference to Pareto, Mosca and C.W. Mills.)

### Unit - V

- > Political parties and Pressure Group :
  - (a) Conceptual Analysis;
  - (b) Functions and types of political parties,
  - (c) Types and operation of pressure groups.

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**Essential Readings:**

- Political Sociology - Doves & Hughes.
- Foundations of Political Sociology - T. Horwitz.
- Political Sociology - D.K. Biswas.
- Politics in India - R. Kothari.
- Reader in Bureaucracy - R.K. Merton.
- Caste in Indian Politics - R. Kothari.
- Text Book of Political Sociology - R.T. Jangam.
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**DSE-I**

**2. RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY**

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<b>Part - A</b>	Ten objective type Questions (Two Questions from each Unit)	10 × 2 = 20 marks
<b>Part - B</b>	Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered) (One Question from each Unit)	4 × 5 = 20 marks
<b>Part - C</b>	Three long answer Questions out of Five to be answered (One Question from each Unit)	3 × 10 = 30 marks

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

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Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

- Micro - Macro Integration : concept and background; Integrated Sociological Paradigm - Ritzer; Multidimensional Sociology - Jeffrey Alexander; Micro - to Macro Model - James Coleman : Figurational Sociology - Norbert Elias.

**Unit - II**

- Agency - Structure Integration  
Structuration theory - Anthony Giddens;  
Culture and Agency - Margaret Archer;  
Habitus and Field - Pierre Bourdieu.

**Unit - III**

- From Modern to Postmodern Social Theory (And Beyond)  
(a) Contemporary Theories of Modernity;  
(b) The Juggernaut of Modernity - Anthony Giddens;

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- (c) Consumption – Ritzer;
- (d) Modernity and the Holocaust – Zygmunt Bauman.

#### Unit – IV

- (a) Globalization Theories : Globalization of Nothing – Ritzer;
- (b) The Politics of Globalization : Beck
- (c) Landscapes – Arjun Appadurai

#### Unit – V

- Post structuralism – Michel Foucault;
- Actor – Network Theory – John Law
- Post Modernism – Jacques Derrida;
- Fredric Jameson.

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**3. SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10×2 = 20 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit) 4×5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3×10 = 30 marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

- Sociology of Education; Nature and Scope of Sociology of Education, Relationship between Society and Education : Concept of Education ; Aims and Importance of Education, Formal and Informal Education (Ivan Illich).

**Unit - II**

- Issues and Process ; School as a Social System (Parson's) and School as a Process (Ivan Illich) ; Education and Socialization, Education and Mass Media, Teacher Pupil Relationship, Student-Student Relationship, Teacher-Teacher Relationship.

**Unit - III**

- Perspectives in the Sociology of Education : Functionalist (Durkheim), Marxist (Althusser), Cultural Reproduction ; Pierre (Bourdieu), Symbolic Theory. (Lahav).

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#### Unit - IV

- Education and Society in India : Historical and Social Context of Education, Stratification (Diversity) and Education ; Caste, Class and Gender

#### Unit - V

- Pattern of Education and Social Change, Private, Government and Globalization.

#### **Essential Readings:**

- Amritya Sen, Jean Dreze (1996), **India Economic Development and Social Opportunity**, New Delhi
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- Banks Olive (1971), **Sociology of Education**, (2<sup>nd</sup> Ed.) London : Batsford.
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**4. SOCIOLOGY OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & SOCIETY**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10×3 = 30 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Questions from each Unit) 4×5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3×10 = 30 marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Mark: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

**Unit - I**

- The study of Science, Its importance, Relationship between society and science. Science as a social system, Norms of science, Relationship between science and technology.

**Unit - II**

- History of modern science in India : Colonial and Post-independence science. Nature of science and technology education in India and its quality. Pure Vs. Applied Science in India.

**Unit - III**

- Indian Social structure and Science. Social background of Indian scientists. Brain drain and Brain gain.

**Unit - IV**

- Science Policy, social organization of science in India: Scientific laboratories and their contribution to the development of technology.

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### Unit - V

- Science education in contemporary India : Primary level to research level. Performance of Universities in the development of technology. Inter-relationship between industry and Universities.
- Globalisation and liberalisation and their impact on Indian science and technology.

#### **Essential Readings:**

- Science and the Social Order – B. Barber
- Science Policy and National Development – V.V. Krishna
- Science, Technology and Society – A. Rahman
- The Social System of Science – N. W. Steyer

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#### **8. SOCIAL POLICY AND PLANNING**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

#### **Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10 × 3 = 30 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

#### **Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

#### **Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3 × 10 = 30 marks  
(One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100  
Theory: 70  
Internal Assessment: 30

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### Unit - I

Concept : Relationship between Social Policy and Social Development, Values underlying Social Policy and Planning, Evolution of Social Policy in India.

### Unit - II

Approaches to Social Policy - United, Integrated and Sectoral, Processes of Social Policy, Formulation, Role of Research and Interest Groups in Policy Formulation.

### Unit-III

Planning : Concept, Scope, Linkages Between Social Policy and Planning, Planning as an Instrument and Source of Social Policy.

### Unit-IV

Role of Ideology Indian Planning in a Historical Perspective, Constitutional position of Planning in India, Legal Status of Planning Commission (Niti Ayog).

### Unit- V

Policies and their Implementation: Policies Concerning Social Welfare: Education, Health, Women, Children, Population and Family Welfare, Environment and Poverty alleviation.

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**E. SOCIOLOGY OF ENVIRONMENT**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

**Part - A**

Ten objective type Questions 10 × 2 = 20 marks  
(Two Questions from each Unit)

**Part - B**

Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered)  
(One Question from each Unit) 4 × 5 = 20 marks

**Part - C**

Three long answer Questions out of Five 3 × 10 = 30 marks  
to be answered (One Question from each Unit)

Duration of Examination : 3 Hours

Maximum Mark: 100

Theory: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

Unit - I

Environment and its concepts:- Eco-system, Ecology, Environment; Environment and Society-their Interrelations.

Unit - II

Theoretical Approaches:- Sustainable Development, Contributions of Contemporary Thinkers: Ramchander Guha, Radha Karmal Mukherjee and Feminists.

Unit - III

Environment and Development: Technology, Industrialization and Development, Urbanization and Problems of Pollution and Slums.

Unit - IV

Global efforts for Resource Conservation, Environmental Consciousness and Movements: Greenpeace Movement, Chipko, Sardar Sarovar and Tehri Dam.

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## Unit - V

Contemporary Environmental Issues: Water, Forest, Sanitation, Urban Waste, Industrial pollution, Global-warming, Environmental Degradation, Displacement and Rehabilitation of Indigenous People, Environmental Legislation and the Role of NGOs.

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**7. SOCIOLOGY OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND DUTIES**

The question paper shall be set as per following pattern:

<b>Part - A</b>	Ten objective type Questions (Two Questions from each Unit)	10 × 2 = 20 marks
<b>Part - B</b>	Five Short Answer Questions (Four to be answered) (One Questions from each Unit)	4 × 5 = 20 marks
<b>Part - C</b>	Three long answer Questions out of Five to be answered (One Question from each Unit)	3 × 10 = 30 marks

**Duration of Examination : 3 Hours**

**Maximum Marks: 100**

**Theory: 70**

**Internal Assessment: 30**

**Unit - I**

- **Concept:** Evolution and History of Human Rights, Rights : Inherent, Inalienable, Universal ; Values: Dignity, Liberty, Equality, Justice.

**Unit - II**

- **Theories of Human Rights :** Natural Rights Theory, Positivist Theory, Marxist Theory, Sociological Theory.

**Unit - III**

- **International and National Human Rights Agencies:** U.N.System: UN, Agencies, Economic and Social Council, UN, Commission for Human Rights.
- **National Human Rights Commission**

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- Declaration and Convention on human Rights: (i) Universal Declaration of Human Rights (ii) Civil and Political Rights, Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, Rights of women (CEDAW), Rights of the Child.

#### Unit - IV

- Indian Constitution and Human Rights
  - (i) Fundamental Rights
  - (ii) Directive Principles of State Policy
  - (iii) Fundamental Duties
  - (iv) Human Rights Movements in India.

#### Unit-V

- Enforcement of Human Rights :
  - (i) Indian Constitution,
  - (ii) Role of Judiciary,
  - (iii) National Human Rights Commission,
  - (iv) Non-Governmental Organisations and
  - (v) Human Rights Education.

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