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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.A. Honours 3rd Semester Examination, 2023

CC5-SOCIOLOGY

RETHINKING DEVELOPMENT

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

GROUP-A

Answer any two of the following questions

12×2 = 24

1. What do you mean by Sustainable Development? Discuss different dimensions of sustainable development. 4+8
2. Critically discuss the dependency theory of Samir Amin. 12
3. What is mixed economy? Discuss the features of mixed economy in India. 4+8
4. Discuss the environmental issues relating to development. 12

GROUP-B

Answer any four of the following questions

6×4 = 24

5. Discuss the impact of liberalization on Indian economy. 6
6. Describe the key dimensions of human development. 6
7. What are the characteristics of social development? 6
8. Explain the concept of modernization theory of development. 6
9. How does gender play a crucial role in development? 6
10. Discuss the relationship between population growth and development. 6

GROUP-C

11. Define / Explain any **four** of the following:

3×4 = 12

- (a) Economic growth and development
- (b) Multinational Corporations (MNCs)
- (c) Environmental degradation
- (d) GDP
- (e) Millenium Development Goal (MDG)
- (f) Eco-feminism.

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CC6-SOCIOLOGY

SOCIOLOGY OF RELIGION

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

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GROUP-A

Answer any two of the following questions

12×2 = 24

1. How, according to Max Weber, Protestant Ethic helped development of Capitalism in the West? 12
2. Discuss the impact of Christianity on Indian Society. 12
3. Discuss the distinctive features of Hinduism. 12
4. Write a note on challenges of secularism in India. 12

GROUP-B

Answer any four of the following questions

6×4 = 24

5. Explain the significance of Denominations. 6
6. Discuss Durkheim's perception of sacred and profane. 6
7. Distinguish "magic" from "religion". 6
8. Identify the distinctive features of Islam. 6
9. Explain the reasons behind the rise of fundamentalism in India. 6
10. Write a note on proselytism in India. 6

GROUP-C

11. Define / Explain any **four** of the following:

3×4 = 12

- (a) Sect
- (b) Rituals
- (c) Pitakas in Buddhism
- (d) Adi Granth
- (e) Totem
- (f) Baptism.

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CC7-SOCIOLOGY

SOCIOLOGY OF GENDER

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

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GROUP-A

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1. Explain the significance of gender stereotyping in reproduction of gender inequality. 12
2. Highlight the intersectionality between caste, class and gender. 12
3. Explain how unequal control of power leads to subordination of women in society. 12
4. What are the legislative measures adopted in post-independent India for empowerment of women? 12

GROUP-B

Answer any *four* of the following questions

6×4 = 24

5. Discuss “masculinity” and “femininity” as social constructs. 6
6. Write about the key arguments of “radical feminism”. 6
7. Explain “family” as the site of reproduction of patriarchy. 6
8. Discuss the gender dimension of Chipko movement. 6
9. What are the constraints in empowerment of women in India? 6
10. Write a note on gender socialization. 6

GROUP-C

11. Define / Explain any *four* of the following:

3×4 = 12

- (a) Women trafficking
- (b) Workplace violence
- (c) “Sex” and “gender”
- (d) Reproductive function of women
- (e) Patriarchy
- (f) Double-edged exploitation of working women.

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SEC1-P1-SOCIOLOGY

SOCIOLOGY OF MEDIA

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

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Answer any *two* of the following questions

12×2 = 24

1. What is sociology of media? Analyse the positive and negative aspects of media. 4+8
2. Discuss feminist perspective on media study. 12
3. What is print media? Analyse the importance of print media in the society. 4+8
4. What is mass media? Discuss the functions of mass media. 4+8

GROUP-B

Answer any *four* of the following questions

6×4 = 24

5. Write a note on neo-marxist approach to media. 6
6. Discuss semiotics in the context of media study. 6
7. What are characteristics of new media? 6
8. Write a note on media representation of gender. 6
9. Write a note on media reception.
10. What are the subject matter of sociology of media?

GROUP-C

11. Define / Explain any *four* of the following:

3×4 = 12

- (a) Digital media
- (b) AI
- (c) Virtual society
- (d) Digital divide
- (e) Media violence
- (f) Old media.

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GE2-P1-SOCIOLOGY

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

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**The question paper contains GE3A and GE3B.
The candidates are required to answer any *one* from *two* courses.
Candidates should mention it clearly on the Answer Book.**

GE3A

GENDER AND VIOLENCE

GROUP-A

Answer any *two* of the following questions

12×2 = 24

1. What is gender violence? Discuss the nature of caste based violence against women in India. 4+8
2. What is sexual harassment? Discuss the menace of sexual harassment at the workplace. 4+8
3. Briefly discuss the various forms of domestic violence. 12
4. Discuss the factors responsible for gender discrimination. Explain how these factors affect gender violence in India. 6+6

GROUP-B

Answer any *four* of the following questions

6×4 = 24

5. Differentiate between sex and gender. 6
6. Discuss the various forms of gender violence in India. 6
7. What do you mean by dowry? Discuss how dowry system perpetuates gender violence. 2+4
8. Distinguish between structural and situated violence. 6
9. Write a note on patriarchy and gender violence. 6
10. Discuss the legislative measures available to protect women from gender violence in India. 6

GROUP-C

11. Define / Explain any *four* of the following:

3×4 = 12

- (a) Female infanticide
- (b) Marital rape
- (c) Vishaka Guide lines
- (d) Honour killing

- (e) Digital violence
- (f) Cyberbullying.

GE3B

SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION

GROUP-A

Answer any two of the following questions

12×2 = 24

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| 1. | Define Sociology of education. Discuss the subject matter of sociology of education. | 4+8 |
| 2. | Discuss the nature of discrimination of women in education in India. | 12 |
| 3. | Critically examine the National Education Policy 2020. | 12 |
| 4. | What is privatisation of education? Explain the effect of privatisation on higher education in India. | 4+8 |

GROUP-B

Answer any four of the following questions

6×4 = 24

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| 5. | Discuss the role of education for upliftment of weaker sections in India. | 6 |
| 6. | Discuss education as a fundamental right. | 6 |
| 7. | Write a short note on educational backwardness of SCs and STs in India. | 6 |
| 8. | What is the role of text learning? | 6 |
| 9. | Write a short note on National Literacy Mission (NLM). | 6 |
| 10. | Discuss the challenges towards the higher education in India, in the 21 st Century. | 6 |

GROUP-C

11. Define / Explain any *four* from the following:

3×4 = 12

- (a) Deemed University
- (b) Literacy Rate
- (c) Vocational Education
- (d) Elementary education
- (e) Right to education
- (f) Value Education.

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