

MA SOCIOLOGY

Paper –Introduction to Sociology

Date :08.04.2025

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1. Sketch the emergence of Sociology.
2. Discuss the features of a Society.
3. What is culture? What are its features?
4. Explain the conflict theory of social stratification.
5. Elaborate the stages of Socialization.
6. Explicate the Cultural factors of social change.

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Paper –Perspectives of Indian Society-1

Date :09.04.2025

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1. Critically analyse the indological approach to the study of Indian Society.
2. Write an essay on M.N.Srinivas's study on social change.
3. Critically analyse Marxist Perspective on Indian Society.
4. Critically examine S.C.Dube's contributions to the study of Indian village.
5. Discuss Dr.B.R.Ambedkar's study on caste, Untouchable and dalit in colonial India.
6. Examine David Hardiman's contribution to the development of subaltern Perspective.

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Paper –Classical Sociological Theories

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1. Contrast charismatic authority from Legal-rational and traditional authority citing relevant examples.
2. Critically analyse Durkheim's theory of suicide and justify its significance in the context of rising suicide rates in India.
3. Most often, Weber is called as theorist of social action. Justify this characterization.
4. Discuss Weber's Ideas on the religious determinism of Capitalism.
5. Discuss the relevance of Marx's theory of alienation in the context of global capitalist transformation.
6. "Bureaucracy is the key illustration of Max Weber's concept of rationalization", justify it citing relevant examples.

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Paper –Gender Studies

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1. Examine Patriarchy as ideology.
2. Differentiate between the status of women in ancient times and post colonial times.
3. Discuss the policies and programmes for improving health status of women in India.
4. Examine how gender equality can be attained with law.
5. Discuss the efforts made by Indian government to improve women's education status.
6. Write a note on Indian women's movement and its challenges in the 20th century.

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Paper –ResearchMethodology-1(Back Paper)

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1. Differentiate between Pure and Applied research.
2. Explain diagnostic research citing an example.
3. Examine the different phases of participant observation.
4. Write an example of application of Thurstain Scale.
5. Differentiate between stratified sampling and simple random sampling.
6. Discuss what is plagiarism.