

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIAL WORK

THIRD SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2019

18PSW3MC02 – RURAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Date: 31-10-2019
Time: 09:00-12:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

SECTION – A

Answer ALL questions. Answers should not exceed 50 words.

(10x2=20)

1. What is meant by a 'Rural Community?'
2. Mention the significance of rural reconstruction during Srineketan's Experiment.
3. What are the reasons for community development to evolve as a program?
4. What is meant by Rural Governance?
5. State any two features of rural community.
6. List down the approaches of Community Development.
7. What are the thrust areas of PURA?
8. How is 'Shelter' a rural problem?
9. What is 'Grama Sabha'?
10. Match the following:

a) IRDP	1. 1989
b) RLEGP	2. 1976
c) NRLM	3. 1992
d) 73 rd Constitutional Amendment Act	4. 2011

SECTION – B

Answer any FOUR questions. Answers to each question should not exceed 300 words. (4x10=40)

11. Identify and explain the challenges that need to be addressed to promote health in rural communities.
12. Justify IRDP as a poverty alleviation program in Indian villages.
13. List down and explain the characteristics of tribal communities.
14. Describe National E-governance plan and explain its projects in rural India.
15. Explain the principles of Community development as a socially inclusive process.

SECTION – C

Answer any TWO questions. Answers to each question should not exceed 600 words. (2x20=40)

16. What is Democratic decentralisation? Explain how it is administered through rural local self-government?
17. What are the challenges faced by Community Development worker in fulfilling his roles and responsibilities?
18. Elucidate the role of any two rural financial institutions and justify the extent to which they have enhanced the economic wellbeing of agricultural labourers.

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