

**LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034**

B.A., B.Com. DEGREE EXAMINATION – HISTORY., ECO., ENG.LITT.,COMMERCE

FOURTH SEMESTER – APRIL 2010

**SO 4202 / 4201 - GENERAL SOCIOLOGY**

Date & Time: 19/04/2010 / 9:00 - 12:00 Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

**PART – A**

Answer **ALL** questions in about **30 words** each:

**(10x2=20 marks)**

1. Define Sociology.
2. State any two similarities between History and Sociology.
3. Define the term Caste.
4. Differentiate Achieved from Ascribed status.
5. What is Social Stratification?
6. Give the difference between Material and Non-material Culture.
7. What is Gemeinschaft?
8. Define Reference Group.
9. What is Industrialisation?
10. Give the meaning of Social Evolution.

**PART – B**

Answer any **FIVE** questions of the following in about **300 words** each:

**(5x8 =40 marks)**

11. Explain the Importance of Sociology.
12. Differentiate Institution from Association.
13. Describe the nature of Role and Status.
14. Discuss the distinctive features of the Family.
15. Elucidate the functions and dysfunctions of Religion.
16. Explicate the importance of Social Group.
17. Discuss in brief the causes of the Social Change.

**PART – C**

Answer any **TWO** of the following in about **1200 words** each:

**(2x20 =40 marks)**

18. Discuss in detail the nature and scope of Sociology.
19. Define Socialization. Analyze in detail the stages and agents of socialization.
20. Explain the different forms of Marriages.
21. Discuss the different types of Social Groups with examples.

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