



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION - MEDICAL SOCIOLOGY.

FIRST SEMESTER – APRIL 2013

SO 1803 - PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY

Date : 27/04/2013
Time : 9:00 - 12:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

PART – A

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

(10x2=20)

1. Define community.
2. Differentiate social structure from social system.
3. What is cultural growth?
4. What is meant by faulty socialization?
5. State the difference between Gemeinschaft and Gesellschaft.
6. What is assimilation?
7. Elucidate the meaning of social control.
8. Who are known as positive deviants? Give an example.
9. Mention any four causes of social change?
10. Name the theorists associated with conflict theory on social change.

PART – B

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

(5x8 =40)

11. Delineate the importance of Sociology.
12. Explicate the nature and characteristics of society.
13. Elucidate the elements of culture.
14. Discuss the stages of socialisation.
15. Write a note on reference group.
16. Explain the factors facilitating deviance.
17. Discuss in brief the functional theories of social change.

PART – C

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

(2x20 =40)

18. Define Sociology. Discuss in detail the subject matter and scope of Sociology.
19. What is culture? Analyze in detail the characteristics and functions of culture.
20. What are the various types of social groups and explain with examples.
21. Discuss the different factors of social change.
