



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

**M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIOLOGY**

**FIRST SEMESTER – APRIL 2014**

**SO 1803 - PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY**

Date : 29/03/2014  
Time : 09:00-12:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

**PART – A**

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

**(10×2=20 marks)**

- 01) What is meant by society?
- 02) Differentiate social structure from social system.
- 03) Define cultural lag.
- 04) What is meant by anticipatory socialization?
- 05) Who are known as the reference group?
- 06) What is social process?
- 07) Why does society need social control?
- 08) Give two examples of deviant behaviour.
- 09) Define social change.
- 10) Mention any two factors of social change.

**PART – B**

Answer any **FIVE** questions of the following in about **300 words** each: **(5×8 =40 marks)**

- 11) Delineate the importance of sociology.
- 12) Explicate the nature of sociological imagination.
- 13) Elucidate the functions of culture.
- 14) Examine the agents of socialisation.
- 15) Write a brief note on dissociative social process.
- 16) Explain the factors facilitating deviance.
- 17) Briefly expound evolutionary theories of social change.

**PART – C**

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

**(2×20 =40 marks)**

- 18) Define sociology. Discuss the subject matter and scope of sociology.
- 19) What is culture? Elaborate on the contents, elements and functions of culture.
- 20) Analyse the different types of social groups.
- 21) Discuss the different factors of social change.

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