



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIOLOGY

SECOND SEMESTER – APRIL 2016

SO 2811 - SOCIOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT

Date: 20-04-2016
Time: 01:00-04:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Section A

Answer ALL questions in about 30 words each. All questions carry equal marks.

(10×2=20 Marks)

1. Define development.
2. What is sustainable development?
3. Mention any two types of social action.
4. What is meant by ecological development?
5. Define modernity.
6. Explain backwash effect.
7. What is socialism?
8. What are market forces?
9. Mention any two impact of information technology
10. Write a note on information technology.

Section B

Answer any FIVE questions in about 300 words each. All questions carry equal marks.

(5×8=40 Marks)

11. Delineate the scope of sociology of development.
12. Discuss briefly the indicators of Social development.
13. Explain Gidden's view on modernity.
14. Analyze the functionalist perspectives on development.
15. Examine the relevance of World systems theory in the present context.
16. Discuss the impact of globalization.
17. What are the changing paradigms of development?

Section C

Answer any TWO questions in about 1200 words each. All questions carry equal marks.

(2×20=40 Marks)

18. Critically analyze the social, cultural and human dimensions of development in India.
19. Briefly compare the postulates of modernization and core-periphery theory.
20. Elaborate the theoretical perspectives of development.
21. Write short notes on the following: a) Capitalism b) Socialism
c) Mixed Economy d) Civil Society.
