



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

M.A.DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIOLOGY

THIRD SEMESTER – APRIL 2017

SO 3814- INDIAN SOCIAL PROBLEMS

Date: 26-04-2017
09:00-12:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

PART A

Explain the following in about 30 words each:

(10 x 2=20 marks)

1. What is fatalism?
2. Write a short note on participant observation.
3. Define poverty.
4. What is cyclical unemployment?
5. What is meant by psychological abuse of children?
6. Write any three factors for child labour in India.
7. What is domestic violence?
8. What is Rape?
9. What is Terrorism?
10. Who are the naxalites?

PART B

Answer any FIVE questions in about 300 words each:

(5 x 8=40 marks)

11. Briefly explain the characteristics of social problems.
12. What are the causes of poverty?
13. Elucidate the measures to eradicate unemployment.
14. Briefly explain the causes of child labour in India.
15. Briefly describe the magnitude of violence against women.
16. What are the patriarchal motivations for violence against women?
17. What are the objectives and characteristics of terrorism?

PART C

Answer any TWO questions in about 1,200 words each:

(2 x 20=40 Marks)

18. Critically examine the methods of studying social problems
19. Discuss the types of unemployment and its consequences.
20. Discuss the origin and development of Terrorism. Distinguish terrorism in India and terrorism in other countries.
21. Discuss the causes and consequences of child abuse in India.

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