LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – **SOCIOLOGY**

FIRST SEMESTER – **APRIL 2022**

USO 1502 – SOCIOLOGY OF INDIAN SOCIETY - I

Date: 18-06-2022 Dept. No. Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

PART – A

Answer **ALL** questions in about **30 words** each: **(10 × 2 = 20 Marks)**

01) What is ethnicity?
02) How do Indian people exhibit unity in diversity?
03) What is meant by coastal village? Give an example.
04) Define Jajman.
05) Mention any two developmental projects initiated in the tribal areas.
06) State the Forest Rights Act.
07) What is domestic violence?
08) State any two reasons for female infanticide and sex-selective abortions in India.
09) Define caste.
10) Give two examples of caste-based violence.

PART – B

Answer any **FIVE** questions in about **300 words** each: **(5 × 8 = 40 Marks)**

11) Examine the Guha's racial composition of Indian society.
12) Briefly explain the social structure of the Indian village.
13) Highlight Gandhiji's view on Indian villages.
14) Examine 'swiddening' or shifting cultivation practiced by tribal communities in India.
15) Briefly examine the contribution of women in Indian politics.
16) Explicate the violence against women in contemporary India.
17) Delineate the factors that facilitated the growth of caste system in India.

PART – C

Answer any **TWO** of the following in about **1200 words** each: **(2 × 20 = 40 Marks)**

18) Critically analyse Ambedkar's and Periyar's views on Indian villages.
19) Write an essay on the problems faced by the tribal community of India.
20) Compare and contrast the status of women in pre-independent and post-independent India
21) Elaborate on caste as a source of power and humiliation.

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