



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.A., B.Com., DEGREE EXAMINATION – HIS., ECO., ENG., COM.,

THIRD SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2011

SO 3203/3200 - POPULATION STUDIES

Date : 11-11-2011
Time : 9:00 - 12:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Section A

(10 × 2 = 20 Marks)

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

01. Is population studies a science? How?
02. Mention any four factors, which spurred the growth of population studies.
03. State the Diet principle.
04. What did Spencer mean by 'individuation'?
05. What is fecundity?
06. Define migration.
07. Who are 'internally displaced people'?
08. What do you understand by 'small family norm'?
09. State the meaning of *coitus interruptus*.
10. List any four methods of male contraception.

Section B

(5 × 8 = 40 Marks)

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

11. Bring out the significance of population studies to modern India.
12. Explain positive and preventive checks with examples.
13. Illustrate Push-Pull factors of migration.
14. Delineate any four contributive factors of infant mortality in India.
15. What is sterilization? State its merits and limitations.
16. Suggest measures to reduce India's population.
17. Highlight the problems of the refugees.

Section C

(2 × 20 = 40 Marks)

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

18. Discuss the relation of population studies to history, business studies, economics, literature and biological sciences.
19. Describe the factors associated with fertility behavior.
20. Examine the trends in migration and map out its consequences.
21. Present an account of factors associated with high maternal mortality in India.

