



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIOLOGY

FIRST SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2014

SO 1501 - SOCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Date : 10/11/2014
Time : 01:00-04:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

PART – A

Answer ALL questions in about 30 words each:

(10 x 2 = 20)

1. What do you mean by social institution?
2. What is polygamy?
3. Define Matriarchal family.
4. What do you mean by Kinship?
5. Explain the rule of Avoidance.
6. What is division of Labour?
7. What are the recent changes in Marriage System?
8. Define Education.
9. What do you mean by descent?
10. Define marriage.

PART – B

Answer any FIVE questions in about 300 words each:

(5 x 8 = 40)

11. Elucidate the types of Social Institution.
12. Explain the Characteristics of Marriage.
13. Describe the causes for the change in Joint Family System.
14. Write a note on the importance of descent.
15. Enumerate the Social Functions of Education.
16. Write a note on social determinants of Economic System.
17. Explicate the functions of Kinship.

PART – C

Answer any TWO questions in about 1200 words each:

(2 x 20 = 40)

18. Explain the Functions and Importance of Social Institution in society.
19. Analyze the forms of Marriage and their relative merits and demerits.
20. Examine the different types of Family and their merits and demerits.
21. Elucidate the social functions of Education and its relation with Social Change and Modernization.

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