B.A DEGREE (CBCS) IMPROVEMENT / REAPPEARANCE/ MERCY CHANCE EXAMINATIONS, MARCH 2025

Second Semester

B.A Sociology Model I

Core Course - SO2CRT02 - THE FOUNDATIONS OF SOCIOLOGY

For Regular Candidates: 2017 Admission Onwards For Private Candidates : 2021 Admission Only

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Time: 3 Hours   Max. Marks : 80

Instructions to Private candidates only: This question paper contains two sections. Answer SECTION I questions in the answer-book provided. SECTION II, Internal examination questions must be answered in the question paper itself. Follow the detailed instructions given under SECTION II

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

*Each question carries **2** marks.*

1. Herbert Spencer

2. Social Control

3. Urbanisation

4. Micro Sociology

5. Economical Institution

6. Biparty System

7. Primary Socialisation

8. Social Control

9. Rebellion

10. Crowd

11. Primary Group

12. Reference group

(10×2=20)

Part B

Answer any ***six*** *questions.*

Each question carries ***5*** *marks.*

13. Explain the historical roots of Sociology.

14. 'Sociology is the science of 21st Century'- Comment on this statement.

15. Define society and explain its characteristics.

16. Family is the miniature of society;reflect your opinion.

17. State the important of education in society.

18. Give a brief account the role played by different agencies in grooming individual self.

19. Who's theory is Looking Glass Self ? Explain its major proposal.

20. Elucidate the elements of social structure.

21. Briefly explain the characteristics of social group.

(6×5=30)

Part C

Answer any ***two*** *questions.*

Each question carries ***15*** *marks.*

22. Who are the main macro sociologists, explain with their contributions ?

23. Explain how Social change affects society and what are the factors leading to social change.

24. What are the types of Social interaction and explain its meaning?

25. Elucidate in detail the elements of culture.

(2×15=30)