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FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE
Sixth Semester BA Sociology Degree Examination, April 2025

BSO6E01 – Sociology of Development

(2022 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours

Max. Marks : 80

Section- A

Answer all questions. Each question carries 2 marks
(Short answer type, not to exceed 50 words each)

1. Define Social development
2. Explain the term periphery nations.
3. Explain the term World Capitalism.
4. Explain the term progress.
5. Explain the paradox of Kerala Model of Development.
6. Explain the concept Ecology
7. Explain the term right based development.
8. Explain the concept information overload
9. Explain the concept liberalisation.
10. Enlist any four sustainable development goals.
11. Define the term Civil society.
12. Describe the term Third World
13. Explain the concept HDI
14. Define Deforestation
15. Explain Global problems

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Section-B

Answer all questions. Each questions carries 5 marks.

(Paragraph, Problem Type, not to exceed 100 words each)

16. Describe the emergence of alternative development perspective.
17. Examine the social implications of Kerala model of development
18. Examine the features of Info-tech revolution
19. Critically analyse modernization theory in the context of India's development experiences.
20. Explain economic reforms and discuss its social implications on development
21. Critically examine the concept development as freedom.
22. Explain the socio cultural impact of globalization
23. Elucidate Wallerstein's World system analysis.

(Ceiling- 35)

Section- C

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 10 marks

(Essay type, not to exceed 500 words)

24. Discuss the concept 'Development' and explain its major indicators
25. Critically evaluate the alternative views of Gandhi and Schumacher
26. Bring out the objectives, strategies and results of Five-Year Plans
27. Elaborate on the consequences of development on ecology and environment

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BSO6B13 – Mass Media & Society

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Time: 2 ½ hours

Max. Marks : 80

Section A

**Answer all questions each question carries 2 marks
(Short answer type, not to exceed 50 words each)**

1. Define Mass media
2. Explain non-verbal communication?
3. Define social media
4. List out any four features of Radio as a mass media
5. Define public sphere
6. Explain the concept mediated communication.
7. Name four popular social media platforms
8. Define folk media
9. Explain the term embedded journalism
10. Explain the term cultural globalisation
11. Define media convergence.
12. Enlist the advantages of visual media over radio.
13. Define propaganda
14. Define communication
15. Define intrapersonal communication

(Ceiling-25 Marks)

Section B

**Answer all questions. Each questions carries 5 Marks
(Paragraph type, not to exceed 100 words each)**

16. Describe the term culture industry
17. Explain Benjamin's concept "Art in the age of mechanical reproduction".
18. Discuss the characteristics of mass media
19. Critically analyse how the right to privacy is violated by media in contemporary India
20. Analyse the impact of modern technology on communication
21. Discuss the role of media in cultural globalisation
22. Describe the concept time based and space based media.
23. Examine the ethical issues related to media

(Ceiling-35 Marks)

Section C

**Answer any two questions. Each question carries 10 marks.
(Essay type, not to exceed 500 words)**

24. Discuss Marshal McLuhan's ideas of global village
25. Examine the role of mass media in bringing social development
26. Analyse the advantages of social media over conventional media
27. Evaluate the role of media as a watch dog in the contemporary Indian society.

(2 x 10=20 Marks)

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BSO6B12 – Environment and Society

(2022 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours

Max. Marks : 80

Section A

**Answer all question each question carries 2 marks
(Short answer type, not to exceed 50 words each)**

1. Define Ecology .
2. Explain Biodiversity
3. Define Environmental justice
4. Define Modernization
5. Define Ecological Crises
6. What is sustainable development?
7. Define Environment movement.
8. Define Capitalism.
9. Define Natural Limits
10. Explain the concept consumption.
- 11 . Define Anthropocentrism
12. Define the term Global warming.
13. Define Social ecology.
14. Explain Social development
15. Explain the term Buffer Zone.

(Ceiling -25 Marks)

Section B

**Answer all questions. Each question carries 5 marks.
(Paragraph / Problem type, not to exceed 100 words each)**

16. Elucidate the major aims and significance of environmental sociology in modern social life.
17. Analyse land based environmental movements in India.
18. Analyse the concept metabolic rift in the context of capitalist social system.
19. Examine the relevance of post materialism as an approach to environmental sociology.
20. Critically evaluate the eco feminist perspective to understand the connection between nature and women.
21. Examine the relevance of sustainable development to address the environmental issues.
22. Describe the concepts and ideas of ecological modernisation.
23. Describe how community participation bring instrumental changes towards sustainable future.

(Ceiling-35 Marks)

Section C

**Answer any two Questions. Each question carries 10 marks.
(Essay type, not to exceed 500 words)**

24. Examine Forest based environmental movements in India.
25. Critically evaluate the challenges of environmental conservation in Modern India
26. Examine the role of capitalism in environmental degradation.
27. Examine the importance of Weberian views in environmental protection and environmental practices

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BSO6B11 – Population and Society

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Time: 2 ½ hours

Max. Marks : 80

Section-A

**Answer all questions. Each question carries 2 marks
(Short answer type, not to exceed 50 words each)**

1. Explain the concept Demography.
2. Define the concept family planning.
3. Explain the term sex structure.
4. Define the concept mortality.
5. Explain the term CBR.
6. Explain the term Dependency ratio.
7. Explain the term positive checks
8. Define the concept immigration
9. Differentiate between in migration and out migration
10. Enlist the causes of over population
11. Define the term social fact.
12. Define the concept fecundity.
13. List out the factors leading to high stationary stage.
14. Explain the term age structure.
15. Explain any one pro-natal population policy.

(Ceiling-25)

Section B

**Answer all questions. Each question carries 5 marks.
(Paragraph, Problem Type, not to exceed 100 words each)**

16. Differentiate between sociology and demography.
17. Explain the key aspects of optimum population theory.

18. Examine the contributions of Karl Marx in population studies
19. Compare between Weberian and Durkhemian ideas on population studies
20. Examine the different types of migration in Indian context.
21. Summarize the government initiatives for population control in India
22. Describe the factors of mortality
23. Analyse the migration trends in Kerala

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Section C

**Answer any two questions. Each question carries 10 marks
(Essay type, not to exceed 500 words)**

24. Critically examine the major family planning and welfare programmes in India
25. Analyse the factors affecting fertility
26. Evaluate the structure and characteristics of Kerala population
27. Examine the relationship between population and Development.

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BSO6B14 – Sociology of Indian Society

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Time: 2 ½ hours

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Section A

**Answer all questions. Each question carries 2 marks
(Short answer type, not to exceed 50 words)**

1. Define Caste
2. Define Urbanisation
3. Explain Ethnicity
4. Explain religious pluralism.
5. Define Corruption
6. Explain Displacement
7. List out the features of Agrarian Class
8. Define the concept Tribes.
9. Explain the term Textual Perspective
10. Define Development
11. Enlist the characteristics of Dominant Caste.
12. Define Industrialisation.
13. Define Class
14. Explain the term Sustainability.
15. Explain the concept Middle Class.

(Ceiling- 25 Marks)

Section B

**Answer all Questions. Each question carries 5 marks
(Paragraph/ Problem type, not to exceed 100 words each)**

16. Briefly explain Marxist approach of studying Indian society.
17. Examine the natural social classes in India.
18. Describe the crisis of development in India.
19. Critically evaluate the impact of Green Revolution
20. Analyse various perspectives on cast system.
21. Discuss the causes of Unemployment
22. Analyse the issues of Communalism in India.
23. Examine the issues of disparities of education in India

(Ceiling- 35 Marks)

Section C

Answer any two questions. Each questions carries 10 marks. (Essay type, not to exceed 500 words)

24. Explain in detail about the Indological Perspective of Louis Dumont
25. Examine the structural functionalist perspective on caste.
26. Evaluate the role of Education in Social Change in India
27. Discuss Violence against Women as a social problem in contemporary India

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