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I SEMESTER (FYUGP) DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER 2025
(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)
SOCIMN101 : Invitation to Sociology
2024 Admission Onwards
(Credits: 4)

Time: 2 Hours **Maximum Marks: 70**

Section A

*Answer **All**. Each question carries **3** Marks.* ***(Ceiling: 24 Marks)***

1. Explain the relation between Sociology and Psychology.
2. Compare the meaning of Status and Role.
3. Demonstrate the influence of digital culture on Social media.
4. State the meaning of Stratification.
5. Describe the significance of Social control in modern Society.
6. If you were to apply the sociological imagination to your own life, how would you connect your personal experiences to broader societal structures?
7. Discuss the need and importance of socialization.
8. State the Sociological meaning of Culture.
9. Give an example of a sub-culture and explain how it differs from the dominant culture.
10. Provide an example of gender disparity in the workplace and its social implications.

Section B

*Answer **All**. Each question carries **6** Marks.* ***(Ceiling: 36 Marks)***

11. Demonstrate the social changes brought by the Industrial Revolution contribute to the development of Sociology?
12. Evaluate how in-groups and out-groups shape social identity and relationships in multicultural societies. What creative solutions could reduce inter-group conflict?
13. How does cultural relativism challenge ethnocentric viewpoints?

Turn Over

14. Examine the gender disparity created by family, politics and educational systems.
15. Explain the relevance of Sociology in present Society.
16. Explain the impact of digital culture on traditional cultural practices in your community. How has social media reshaped cultural norms?
17. Critically assess the tension between high culture and popular culture in shaping national identity. Which do you think plays a more significant role, and why?
18. What is the significance of Sociological Imagination in understanding personal problems?

Section C

Answer ***any one***. ***(1x10=10 Marks)***

19. Explain the merits and demerits of social media in today's world. How it dominate the public attitude?
20. Discuss the intersection of caste and class in shaping access to political power in Indian society, using examples from contemporary politics.

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