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B.A. (CBCS) DEGREE EXAMINATION,
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First Semester

Criminology and Police Administration—Allied

SOCIOLOGY OF CRIME AND DEVIANCE

(For those who joined in July 2023 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

1. Which of the following is a social institution that provides a framework for individuals to live together, cooperate, and interact within a community?
(a) Family (b) Corporation
(c) Sports Club (d) Book Club
6. Which of the following is an example of social pathology?
(a) Diabetes in a single individual
(b) Unemployment rates in a community
(c) High blood pressure in a family
(d) All of the above
7. Which of the following is a potential consequence of family disorganization?
(a) Strong family bonds
(b) Improved conflict resolution skills
(c) Mental health issues
(d) Enhanced self-esteem
8. Which of the following is NOT a potential consequence of family disorganization?
(a) Divorce
(b) Substance abuse
(c) Strong social support
(d) Child neglect

2. What term refers to the unequal treatment or discrimination against individuals or groups based on their race, gender, religion, sexual orientation, or other characteristics?
(a) Equality (b) Prejudice
(c) Discrimination (d) justice
3. What does the Anomie theory primarily focus on?
(a) Cultural norms and values
(b) Psychological factors
(c) Biological influences
(d) Economic disparities
4. Who is the sociologist credited with developing the Anomie theory?
(a) Emile Durkheim
(b) Karl Marx
(c) Max Weber
(d) Sigmund Freud
5. Which term is often used interchangeably with "social pathology"?
(a) Meteorology (b) Sociology
(c) Biology (d) Astronomy

9. Who does the Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 primarily protect in the context of dowry-related offenses?
(a) Groom and his family
(b) Bride and her family
(c) Only the bride
(d) None of the above
10. Who is responsible for enforcing the Dowry Prohibition Act 1961 in India?
(a) Religious institutions
(b) Local community leaders
(c) Police and law enforcement agencies
(d) Educational institutions

PART B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL the questions in about 250 words each

All the questions carry equal marks

11. (a) Explain social structure.
Or
(b) Discuss on socialization.

12. (a) Write a note on differential association theory.

Or

(b) Explain merton's anomie theory.

13. (a) Write a note on industrialization.

Or

(b) Describe social pathology.

14. (a) Social learning is the cause of criminalization – Do you agree.

Or

(b) Write a note on individual disorganization.

15. (a) Explain vagrancy act.

Or

(b) Discuss on PITA.

PART C — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer ALL the questions in about 600 words each

All questions carry equal marks

16. (a) Discuss on society and its characteristics.

Or

(b) Explain community and its characteristics.

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17. (a) Labelling can reform criminal behaviour of a person – Opine.

Or

(b) Discuss on multiple factor approach.

18. (a) Describe social organization and its functions.

Or

(b) Explain

(i) migration

(ii) urbanization

19. (a) Differentiate family and individual disorganization.

Or

(b) Crime as a rational choice — opine.

20. (a) Discuss on beggary act.

Or

(b) Write in detail on dowry prohibition act, 1961.

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