STUDENT ASSIGNMENTS M.A SOCIOLOGY SESSION 2024-25 (OFFLINE MODE) FIRST SEMESTER

The students are required to read carefully and follow the instructions given below:

- Submission of one complete Assignment in each course of the programme every semester is compulsory.
- Completed Assignments on A4 size paper are to be submitted in Google Classroom.
- For Assignments Submitted after prescribed date, a late fee of Rs. 100/- per Assignment will be payable to CDOE through Demand Draft in favour of Jamia Millia Islamia, Payable at New Delhi.
- For Ex-students who failed to submit Assignments during the course of the programme are required to submit with late fine of Rs. 200/- per Assignment to CDOE in the form of Demand Draft in favour of Jamia Millia Islamia, Payable at New Delhi.
- Write your name, roll number and other details as required on the cover page of Assignment.
- For your record you keep a photocopy of your Assignment
- Please go through Programme Guide carefully
- For any further clarification contact your Programme co-ordinator

Course Title – Classical Sociological Theory Course Code: MAS101 Session: 2024-25 Maximum Marks-25

Section-A

Answer any two questions (2x10=20)

- 1. Discuss the contribution of Ibn Khaldun in developing Sociology as a science.
- 2. Discuss the methodological contribution of Max Weber.
- 3. Compare and contrast the major arguments of Max Weber and Karl Marx in the development of Capitalism.
- 4. Discuss the impact of modern city life on individual mental life as discussed Georg Simmel

Section-B

Answer any one question (1x5=5)

- a. Law of Three Stages
- b. Social Fact

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Course Title- Methodological Orientations and Methods in Research

Course Code: MAS102 Session: 2024-25 Maximum Marks-25

Section-A

Answer any two questions (2x10=20)

- 1. Discuss the significance of Decolonising methodologies in contemporary social research.
- 2. Critically analyse the significance of Semiotics in Social Science Research.
- 3. Discuss the significance of Graphical Representation of Data in Social Science Research.
- 4. What is Focus Group Discussion. Explain the steps involved in conducting a Focus Group Discussion

Section-B

- a. Measure of Central Tendency
- b. Research Design

Course Title – Ethnicity, Minorities and Multiculturalism Course Code: MAS103

Session: 2024-25 Maximum Marks-25

Section-A

Answer any two questions (2x10=20)

- 1. Critically analyse the intersectionality of language and ethnicity in contemporary multicultural societies.
- 2. Write a brief and critical note on Identity Politics?
- 3. Critically discuss feminist initiatives in celebrating and preserving cultural diversity.
- 4. Explore the tensions between cultural pluralism and national identity with suitable example.

Section-B

- a. Ethno enclaves?
- b. Civil society

Course Title – Ecology and Society Course Code: MAS104 Session: 2024-25 Maximum Marks-25

Section-A

Answer any two questions (2x10=20)

- 1. Critically analyse the effects of industrial revolution and the role it played in establishing human domination over nature.
- 2. Examine the impact of development process on ecological sustainability?

3. Write a detailed note on the participation of women in Environment Movements in India.

4. Discuss the effects of lifestyle changes and consumption choices on ecology with examples.

Section-B

- a. Conservation and Development
- b. Eco-Feminism

Course Title – Sociology of Tribe and Indigenous People (CBCS)

Course Code: MASX105 Session: 2024-25 Maximum Marks-25

Section-A

Answer any two questions (2x10=20)

1. Discuss the difference between colonial and post-colonial form of defining

tribe?

2. Explain the debate on Indigeneity in Indian context?

3. Elaborate the challenges which emerge due to the development projects in tribal areas?

4. Discuss are the major factors behind the emergence of tribal resistance in postcolonial period.

Section-B

- a. Political autonomy
- b. Ecological conservation and tribe