

2021

SOCIOLOGY (Honours)

Paper Code : VIII - A & B

(Social Research Methods)

[New Syllabus New Pattern]

Important Instructions for Multiple Choice Question (MCQ)

- Write Subject Name and Code, Registration number, Session and Roll number in the space provided on the Answer Script.

Example : Such as for Paper III-A (MCQ) and III-B (Descriptive).

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Subject Name :

- Candidates are required to attempt all questions (MCQ). Below each question, four alternatives are given [i.e. (A), (B), (C), (D)]. Only one of these alternatives is 'CORRECT' answer. The candidate has to write the Correct Alternative [i.e. (A)/(B)/(C)/(D)] against each Question No. in the Answer Script.

Example — If alternative A of 1 is correct, then write :

1. — A

- There is no negative marking for wrong answer.

মাল্টিপল চয়েস প্রশ্নের (MCQ) জন্য জরুরী নির্দেশাবলী

- উত্তরপত্রে নির্দেশিত স্থানে বিষয়ের (Subject) নাম এবং কোড, রেজিস্ট্রেশন নম্বর, সেশন এবং রোল নম্বর লিখতে হবে।

উদাহরণ — যেমন Paper III-A (MCQ) এবং III-B (Descriptive)।

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Subject Name :

- পরীক্ষার্থীদের সবগুলি প্রশ্নের (MCQ) উত্তর দিতে হবে। প্রতিটি প্রশ্নে চারটি করে সম্ভাব্য উত্তর, যথাক্রমে (A), (B), (C) এবং (D) করে দেওয়া আছে। পরীক্ষার্থীকে তার উত্তরের স্বপক্ষে (A)/(B)/(C)/(D) সঠিক বিকল্পটিকে প্রশ্ন নম্বর উল্লেখসহ উত্তরপত্রে লিখতে হবে।

উদাহরণ — যদি 1 নম্বর প্রশ্নের সঠিক উত্তর A হয় তবে লিখতে হবে :

1. – A

- ভুল উত্তরের জন্য কোন নেগেটিভ মার্কিং নেই।

Paper Code : VIII - A

Full Marks : 10

Time : Twenty Minutes

Choose the correct answer.

Each question carries 2 marks.

1. Who among the following did introduce the concept of participant and non-participant observation?
 - (A) Edward Lindeman
 - (B) N. Anderson
 - (C) W. F. Whyte
 - (D) Paul Cressey

2. Which method is more suitable for collecting data from non-literate communities?
 - (A) Questionnaire
 - (B) Observation
 - (C) Both (A) and (B)
 - (D) None of the above

3. Which is the crucial feature of a good sample?
 - (A) Small size
 - (B) Representativeness
 - (C) Easily approachable
 - (D) Easy to study

4. The most essential step in making interview a successful method of data collection is —
- (A) Use of an interview schedule
 - (B) Establishing rapport
 - (C) Obtaining secondary information before the interview
 - (D) Having a research design
5. Who is said to be the founding father of survey research?
- (A) Charles Booth
 - (B) P. F. Lazarsfeld
 - (C) R. K. Merton
 - (D) W. J. Goode
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Full Marks : 40

Time : One Hour Forty Minutes

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Group - A

Answer any *two* questions from the following : 15×2=30

1. What do you mean by social research? Discuss the significance of social research. 5+10=15
2. What is hypothesis? What are the different types of hypothesis? Discuss the importance of formulation of hypothesis in social research. 5+5+5=15
3. Define central tendency. Discuss the various measures used in measuring central tendency. 5+10=15
4. Define quantitative data. Write a note on various techniques used in collecting quantitative data. 5+10=15

Group - B

5. Answer any *two* questions of the following : 5×2=10
 - (a) What are the characteristics of scientific research?
 - (b) Define questionnaire and schedule.
 - (c) Write a short note on types of observation.
 - (d) What do you mean by tabulation of data?