

UG 3rd Semester Examination 2021

SOCIOLOGY (Honours)

Paper Code : DC-7

(Rural Society in India)

(CBCS)

Full Marks :32

Time : Two Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers

In their own words as far as practicable.

Group – A

Answer any **two** questions from the following:

10×2=20

1. What is Rural Sociology? Discuss the subject matter of Rural Sociology. 3+7
2. What do you mean by rural society? Identify the important features of rural society. 3+7
3. What do you mean by democratic decentralization? Discuss the structure and function of Panchayati Raj in West Bengal. 3+7
4. What is rural development? Evaluate ICDS and NRGES programmes as important rural development programmes in India. 3+7

Group – B

5. Answer any **three** questions from the following: 4×3=12
 - (a) Distinguish between rural and urban society. 4
 - (b) What are the essential elements of rural leadership? 4
 - (c) Explain the concept of dominant caste. 4
 - (d) What are the main characteristics of rural economy in India? 4
 - (e) Write a short note on the role of markets in transforming rural society in India. 4
 - (f) What are the main characteristics of rural family system in India? 4