



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.A.DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIOLOGY

FIRST SEMESTER – APRIL 2019

16/17/18USO1MC02/ SO 1501 – SOCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Date: 04-04-2019

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 01:00-04:00

Part A

Answer ALL questions in about 30 words each:

(10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

1. Define institution.
2. Give two examples of secondary institutions.
3. What is polygamy?
4. What is group marriage?
5. Define family.
6. What is a patriarchal family?
7. Define kinship.
8. What is avunculate?
9. What is rule of avoidance?
10. Define modernization.

Part-B

Answer any FIVE questions in about 300 words each:

(5 x 8 = 40 Marks)

11. Highlight the characteristics of institutions.
12. Bring out the merits of monogamous marriage.
13. Write a brief note on the changing family patterns.
14. Bring out the significance of kinship system.
15. What are the social functions of education?
16. Explain the recent changes in marriage system.
17. Define education. Explain its functions and importance.

Part-C

Answer any Two questions in about 1200 words each:

(2 x 20 = 40 Marks)

18. Write an essay on the types and functions of Institutions.
19. Evaluate the various types of marriages.
20. Critically examine the various kinship usages.
21. Write an essay on economy as a social institution.

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