

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



B.A.DEGREE EXAMINATION –SOCIOLOGY

SECOND SEMESTER – APRIL 2019

18/17/16USO2MC02– SOCIAL DEMOGRAPHY

Date: 03-04-2019

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 social demography.
2. State the importance of social demography.
3. What is vital registration?
4. Differentiate census from sample survey.
5. Mention the major assumption of Malthusian theory.
6. What is demographic transition?
7. Define migration.
8. Differentiate fertility from fecundity.
9. Define maternal mortality.
10. What is family planning?

PART –B

Answer any FIVE questions in about 300 words each:

(5 x 8 = 40 Marks)

11. Explain the scope of social demography.
12. Explain census as a source of population data.
13. Examine Thomas Saddler's theory on population.
14. Elucidate the social factors influencing fertility.
15. Highlight the push factors in migration.
16. Write a note on population structure.
17. How does mortality influence population policy?

Answer any TWO questions in about 1200 words each:

(2 x 20 = 40 Marks)

18. Discuss the nature of social demography.
19. Analyse the various sources of population data.
20. Examine migration patterns and its effects on society.
21. Discuss the impact of family planning in Indian society.
