6 SEM TDC DSE SOC (CBCS) 5 (H)

2022

(June/July)

SOCIOLOGY

(Discipline Specific Elective)

(For Honours)

Paper: DSE-5

(Societies in North East India)

Full Marks: 80
Pass Marks: 32

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

- 1. Choose the correct answer from the following: 1×8=8
 - (a) What is the full form of NEFA?
 - (i) North-Eastern Financial Agency
 - (ii) North-East Frontier Agency
 - (iii) North-East Federal Agency
 - (b) Which North-Eastern State has highest literacy rate?
 - (i) Mizoram
 - (ii) Tripura
 - (iii) Assam

- (c) Which agency of India recognizes the States of North-Eastern Region officially?
 - (i) North-Eastern Council
 - (ii) Ministry of DoNER
 - (iii) North-East Frontier Tract
- (d) Who is the author of the book, Planter Raj to Swaraj: Freedom Struggle and Electoral Politics in Assam?
 - (i) Udayan Mishra
 - (ii) Amalendu Guha
 - (iii) M. N. Karna
- (e) In which year the State Meghalaya was formed as a separate State of North-East India?
 - (i) 1970
 - (ii) 1971
 - (iii) 1972
- (f) A system of belief in which humans are said to have kinship or a mystical relationship with a sprit-being, such as an animal or plant is known as
 - (i) Totemism
 - (ii) Monotheism
 - (iii) Animism

- (g) Which of the following is a folk dance of Tripura?
 - (i) Nupa
 - (ii) Hojagiri dance
 - (iii) Cheraw
- (h) In terms of area, the largest State of North-East India is
 - (i) Assam
 - (ii) Arunachal Pradesh
 - (iii) Nagaland
- 2. Write short notes on any four of the following (within 150 words each): 4×4=16
 - (a) Jhum cultivation as a tribal mode of production
 - (b) Crisis of agrarian classes of North-East India
 - (c) Political diversities in North-East India
 - (d) Ethnicity in North-East India
 - (e) Traditional power structure in Karbi society
 - (f) Identity politics among the Bodos of Assam
- 3. Answer any four questions of the following (within 500 words each): 14×4=56
 - (a) Write an essay on historical evolution of North-Eastern Region of India.

- (b) What is demography? Briefly discuss about the changing patterns of demographic structure of North-East India in the first two decades of 21st century. 4+10=14
- (c) What is development induced displacement? Discuss the processes of displacement and resettlement of displaced people in North-East India with special reference to Assam. 6+8=14
- (d) What is the sociological meaning of marriage? Discuss various forms of marriage prevalent among the tribes of North-East India with suitable examples. 4+10=14
- (e) Express the meaning of 'nationalism' and 'subnationalism'. What are the causes of growth of subnationalism among the ethnic groups of North-East India? Discuss. 2+2+10=14
- (f) Express the sociological meaning of tribe. Briefly discuss about the distribution of tribal population in the States of North-East India. 6+8=14
- (g) What is globalization? Discuss its impact on the societies of North-East India. 4+10=14