

**5 SEM TDC DSE SOC (CBCS) 4 (H)**

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( Nov/Dec )

**SOCIOLOGY**

( Discipline Specific Elective )

( For Honours )

Paper : DSE-4

( **Sociology of Work** )

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 : 1×10=10

(a) Social relations in industry means

(i) internal relations

(ii) external relations

(iii) formal and informal relations

(iv) All of the above

(b) Whose name is associated with the concept of the 'pre-industrial city'?

- (i) Gideon Sjoberg
- (ii) Robert Redfield
- (iii) R. E. Dickinson
- (iv) George M. Foster

(c) Name the author of the book, *From Post-Industrial to Post-Modern Society*.

- (i) Krishan Kumar
- (ii) Daniel Bell
- (iii) Steve Taylor
- (iv) W. E. Moore

(d) Which of the following is an example of unpaid work?

- (i) Childcare working
- (ii) Cooking
- (iii) Fixing the car
- (iv) All of the above

(e) In which of the following areas, child labour is found in abundance?

- (i) Carpet weaving factory
- (ii) Tobacco, matchsticks factory
- (iii) Hotel industry
- (iv) All of the above

(f) Which of the following is not a problem faced by the street vendors?

- (i) Problem of eviction
- (ii) Lack of social security
- (iii) Instability to access various government facilities
- (iv) Problem of slavery

(g) Which of the following regarding the National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA) is not correct?

- (i) The National Disaster Management Authority is constituted by the Disaster Management Act, 2005
- (ii) The Minister of Home Affairs is the Chairman of the NDMA

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- (iii) The Ministry of Home Affairs is the nodal ministry for natural disaster management in India
  - (iv) The NDMA is a statutory body which came into being in 2006
- (h) The typical features of industrialism are
- (i) the factory system
  - (ii) division of labour
  - (iii) rationalization
  - (iv) All of the above
- (i) Which of the following statements is correct in terms of human trafficking?
- (i) Human trafficking is primarily limited to poor countries.
  - (ii) Human trafficking for sexual exploitations is reported more frequently than human trafficking for labour force.
  - (iii) Trafficking is known to be as equally as harmful to women and girls as it is to men and boys.
  - (iv) If the victim of human trafficking gives consent to the trafficker, he or she is no longer a victim of trafficking.

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- (j) Who introduced the concept of information society?
- (i) Alvin Toffler and John Naisbitt
  - (ii) Elton Mayo
  - (iii) Kai Erikson
  - (iv) Steve Taylor

2. Answer/Write short notes on any *five* of the following (**within 150 words** each) : 6×5=30

- (a) Find out the relationship between work and industry.
- (b) Explain the major features of post-industrial society.
- (c) Define 'gender'.
- (d) What are meant by street vendors and home-based workers? Explain.
- (e) Effect of unpaid domestic work on women and child
- (f) Problems of street vendors

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(g) Political power of agents

(h) Discuss disaster in workplace.

3. Answer any *four* questions from the following  
(within 500 words each) :  $10 \times 4 = 40$

(a) Critically evaluate the growth and development of Sociology of work.

(b) What is meant by industry? Discuss about the major forms of industrial culture and organization.  $2+8=10$

(c) Give the sociological definition of work. Explain briefly the major dimensions of work.  $2+8=10$

(d) What is meant by information society? Explain with example.

(e) Define unpaid work. Critically discuss about the major types of unpaid work with practical example.  $2+8=10$

(f) Examine, with illustrations, the role of gender in workplace.

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(g) Critically discuss how workers meet the challenges related to work in high risk areas.

(h) What do you mean by forced labour? Explain about the concepts of debt bondage and human trafficking.  $2+8=10$

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