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Sociology

SO 224 A- SOCIOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT

(2018 Admission)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

PART – A

Multiple Choice Questions (answer all questions).

1. Human Development Index is a composite of
 - (a) Income, trade and investment indicators
 - (b) Health, education and quality of life indicators
 - (c) Poverty, human rights and unemployment indicators
 - (d) Income, health and education indicators
2. HDI is entrusted with reference to
 - (a) Life expectancy at birth
 - (b) Real GDP/per capita
 - (c) Infant mortality
 - (d) All the above

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3. The Enlightenment took place during the _____ century
- (a) Eighteenth
 - (b) Sixteenth
 - (c) Nineteenth
 - (d) Fifteenth
4. According to Rostow's stages of modernization, what is the third stage?
- (a) Take-off stage
 - (b) High mass consumption
 - (c) Drive to technological maturity
 - (d) Traditional stage
5. One major factor that has stimulated the globalisation process is:
- (a) Effective utilisation of resources
 - (b) Increase in Human relations
 - (c) Willingness to cooperate
 - (d) Rapid improvement in technology.

(5 × 1 = 5 Marks)



PART – B

Definition of concepts

Answer **any five** questions out of eight in **50** words each

6. Social change
7. Sustainable development
8. HDI
9. Knowledge industry
10. Outsourcing
11. Participatory democracy
12. Social justice
13. Right based development.

(5 × 2 = 10 Marks)

PART – C

Short essay questions: (**any five** questions out of eight in **250** words each).

14. Write a short note on social development.
15. Discuss the concept of 'Happiness Index'.
16. Critically examine the welfare model of Amartyasen.
17. Briefly explain the World System theory.
18. Explain the social impact and increasing inequalities as the result of globalization in Indian Society.



19. Examine the concept of flexible labour in the backdrop of globalization and development.
20. Analyse the grass root initiatives for planning and development in India.
21. Write a short essay on the development of the marginalized.

(5 × 6 = 30 Marks)

PART – D

Essay: (**any two** questions out of four in **1200** words each).

22. Write an essay on dependency theory.
23. Examine the different dimensions of globalization.
24. Critically evaluate the disparities in development with reference to India.
25. Critically examine the pros and cons of development in India.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)

