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SO-212 : SOCIOLOGY OF INDIAN SOCIETY

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

PART – A

(10×1.5=15 Marks)

Answer **all** questions. **Each** answer is to be approximately **half** a page.

Define the following :

1. Cultural diversity
2. Linguistic group
3. Indology
4. Functional perspective
5. Civilisation
6. Nationalism
7. Retreatist communalism
8. Assimilationist communalism
9. Joint Family
10. Ethnicity

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PART – B

(2×6=12 Marks)

Answer **two** questions from any two different sets in **not** more than **600** words **each**.

11. Discuss the features of cultural diversity of Indian society.

OR

Explain the ethnic diversity of Indian Society.

12. Elucidate the contributions of G.S. Ghurye for indological construction.

OR

Write a short note on Subaltern perspective.

13. List out the causes for family disharmony.

OR

Describe the dimensions of communalism.

14. Examine the favourable factors that existed for Nation building.

OR

Write a short note on Secularism.

PART – C

(2×24=48 Marks)

Answer **any two** questions in **not** more than **1200** words **each**.

15. Describe village as a nucleus of Indian Society.

16. Examine the contributions of Irawati Karve to understand the Kinship organization in India.

17. Suggest suitable measures to overcome the problem of communal tension in India.

18. Analyse the causes for regional differences.
