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Third Semester M.A. Degree Examination, December 2012

Branch : SOCIOLOGY

SO-234-A : Sociology of Ageing  
(2008 Admn. Onwards)

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.

Explain the following :

1. Senior citizens
2. Disengagement
3. Gerontology
4. Successful aging
5. Young old
6. NOAP
7. Emotional support
8. Help Age India
9. Community care
10. Institutional care.

PART - B

(2×6=12 Marks)

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

11. Elaborate the growth of aged population in India.

OR

What are the implications of ageing in the 21<sup>st</sup> century in India ?

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12. Elucidate activity theory.

OR

List out the physical health problems due to ageing.

13. Write a note on Rehabilitation process offered by voluntary agencies to the aged.

OR

Bring out the care taken by the family to aged.

14. Discuss the need for welfare of the aged.

OR

Write a note on old age homes.

PART – C

(2x24=48 Marks)

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

15. Examine the scope and significance of ageing in developing countries.

16. Discuss the sociological theories on Ageing.

17. Explain the state of retired daily wage earners and unemployed elderly in India.

18. Describe the policies and programmes for the aged in India.

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