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(CBCS)

(6th Semester)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

TWELFTH (A) PAPER

(**Political Sociology**)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

(**SECTION : A—OBJECTIVE**)

(*Marks : 10*)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. Political Sociology studies politics and

- (a) administration ()
- (b) society ()
- (c) non-governmental organization ()
- (d) government ()

2. Who among the following is regarded as the Father of Political Sociology?

- (a) David Easton ()
- (b) Vilfredo Pareto ()
- (c) Max Weber ()
- (d) De Tocqueville ()

3. 'Iron Law of Oligarchy' is associated with

- (a) Marxian theory of power ()
- (b) Elite theory of power ()
- (c) Pluralist theory of power ()
- (d) Gender theory of power ()

4. The word 'Legitimacy' is derived from the Latin word 'legitimare' which means
- (a) to empower () (b) to declare lawful ()
- (c) obedience to law () (d) rightness of law ()
5. 'Parochial political culture' is generally found in
- (a) developing societies ()
- (b) societies having multiparty system ()
- (c) developed societies ()
- (d) monarchical societies ()
6. Direct Political Socialization is also called
- (a) homogeneous political socialization ()
- (b) latent political socialization ()
- (c) heterogeneous political socialization ()
- (d) manifest political socialization ()
7. Class stratification is
- (a) found in all societies ()
- (b) of comparatively recent origin ()
- (c) peculiar to few affluent societies ()
- (d) found in only few societies ()
8. 'Varna', meaning colour, is a
- (a) Mandarin word () (b) Sanskrit word ()
- (c) Urdu word () (d) Spanish word ()
9. Social change is
- (a) predictable () (b) uniform ()
- (c) universal () (d) non-relative ()
10. The term 'Sanskritization' was used for the first time by
- (a) M. N. Srinivas () (b) D. N. Majumdar ()
- (c) M. N. Roy () (d) J. P. Narayan ()

(SECTION : B—SHORT ANSWERS)

(Marks : 15)

Answer the following :

3×5=15

UNIT—I

1. Write the behavioural approach to the study of political sociology.

OR

2. Discuss the nature of political sociology.

UNIT—II

3. Write a note on Pluralist theory of power.

OR

4. Write a note on the concept of authority.

UNIT—III

5. Discuss the three types of political culture.

OR

6. Write any three features of political development.

UNIT—IV

7. Explain the four Varnas of the Hindu caste system.

OR

8. Write any three features of class.

UNIT—V

9. Write any three features of social change.

OR

10. Write a note on secularization.

(SECTION : C—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

Answer the following :

10×5=50

UNIT—I

1. Discuss the meaning and scope of political sociology.

OR

2. Discuss the Marxist approach to the study of political sociology.

UNIT—II

3. Discuss the different types of authority.

OR

4. Explain the meaning and sources of legitimacy.

UNIT—III

5. What is political participation? Discuss the various determinants of political participation.

OR

6. What is political socialization? Discuss the main agents of political socialization.

UNIT—IV

7. Discuss the meaning and elements of social stratification.

OR

8. Define Class. Differentiate between caste and class.

UNIT—V

9. Define Social Change and discuss the various factors that bring social change.

OR

10. Write an essay on Westernization.
