



**SECOND YEAR HIGHER SECONDARY
SECOND TERMINAL EXAMINATION, DECEMBER-2025**

Part – III

Time : 2½ Hours

SOCIOLOGY

Cool-off time : 15 Minutes

Maximum : 80 scores

General Instructions to Candidates :

- There is a 'Cool-off time' of 15 minutes in addition to the writing time.
- Use the 'Cool-off time' to get familiar with questions and to plan your answers.
- Read questions carefully before answering.
- Read the instructions carefully.
- Calculations, figures and graphs should be shown in the answer sheet itself.
- Malayalam version of the questions is also provided.

വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾക്കുള്ള പദ്ധതിനിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ :

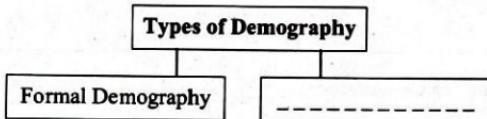
- നിർണ്ണയിച്ച സമയത്തിന് പുറത്ത് 15 മിനിറ്റ് 'കൂൾ ഓഫ് ടൈ' ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കും.
- 'കൂൾ ഓഫ് ടൈ' പൊതുജ്ഞങ്ങൾ പരിപാലനപ്പെടാനും ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ ആസൂത്രണം ചെയ്യാനും ഉപയോഗിക്കുക.
- ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ എഴുതുന്നതിന് മുമ്പ് ചൊല്ലുന്നതിൽ ശ്രദ്ധാപൂർവ്വം വായിക്കണം.
- നിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ മുഴുവൻാം ശ്രദ്ധാപൂർവ്വം വായിക്കണം.
- കണക്ക് കുറലുകൾ, പിത്തങ്ങൾ, ഗ്രാഫുകൾ, എന്നീവ ഉത്തരപ്പെടുത്തിൽ തന്നെ ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കണം.
- ചൊല്ലുന്നതിൽ മലയാളത്തിലും നല്ലിയിട്ടുണ്ട്.

PART - A

Answer any 9 questions from 1 to 10. Each carries 1 score.

$$(9 \times 1 = 9)$$

1. The process whereby individuals cut off from full involvement in wider society is called _____.
2. Who wrote the book 'The Wealth of Nations' ?
3. Name the sociologist who observed 'Sociology can help you to map the links and connections between personal troubles and social issues'.
4. Complete the chart :



PART - B

Answer all questions from 11 to 15. Each carries 2 scores.

$$(5 \times 2 = 10)$$

11. Define Industrialisation.
12. Write a short note on Secularisation
13. What do you mean by demographic
14. Describe Commonsense Knowledge
15. What is Scientific Management ?

PART – C

Answer any 3 questions from 16 to 19. Each carries 4 scores.

$$(3 \times 4 = 12)$$

16. Write any four reasons for declining sex ratio.
17. Describe any four core values of Indian Constitution.
18. List any four features of Caste.
19. What is circulation of Labour ?

PART - D

Answer any 3 questions from 20 to 23. Each carries 5 scores.

$$(3 \times 5 = 15)$$

20. Define Untouchability. Briefly explain the dimensions of Untouchability.

21. Discuss the role of civil society in sustaining the Indian Democratic System with examples.

22. Match the following :

A	B
(1) Harry Braverman	Dominant Caste
(2) Dr. Dutta Samant	Scientific Management
(3) Jan Breman	Use of machines deskills workers
(4) F.W. Taylor	Bombay Textile Strike of 1982
(5) M.N. Sreenivas	Footloose labour

23. Explain the role of political parties and pressure groups in Indian Democratic Process.

PART – E

Answer any 3 questions from 24 to 27. Each carries 6 scores.

(3 × 6 = 18)

24. Explain Commodification with examples.

25. Regionalism and Communalism are the major challenges that India face. Discuss the statement.

26. Describe the powers and responsibilities of Grama Panchayat.

27. Differentiate organised and unorganised sector.

PART – F

Answer any 2 questions from 28 to 30. Each carries 8 scores.

(2 × 8 = 16)

28. (a) Colonialism destroyed the Handloom Industry in India: Do you agree with this statement. Substantiate your answer. (4)

(b) Explain Urbanisation and Industrialisation as the process of Structural Change. (4)

29. Sanskritisation and Westernisation are the two processes of cultural change put forward by M.N. Sreenivas.

(a) Compare Sanskritisation and Westernisation. (4)

(b) Critically evaluate the concept of Sanskritisation. (4)

30. 'Green Revolution was the government programme of Agricultural Modernisation'. Explain the social impact of Green Revolution on Indian Society.