



**SECOND YEAR HIGHER SECONDARY
SECOND TERMINAL EXAMINATION, DECEMBER-2023**

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 പൊതുനിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ :

- നിർദ്ദിഷ്ട സമയത്തിന് പുറമെ 15 മിനിറ്റ് 'കൂൾ ഓഫ് ടൈം' ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കും.
- 'കൂൾ ഓഫ് ടൈം' ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ പരിചയപ്പെടാനും ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ ആസൂത്രണം ചെയ്യാനും ഉപയോഗിക്കുക.
- ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ എഴുതുന്നതിന് മുമ്പ് ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ ശ്രദ്ധാപൂർവ്വം വായിക്കണം.
- നിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ മുഴുവനും ശ്രദ്ധാപൂർവ്വം വായിക്കണം.
- കണക്ക് കൂട്ടലുകൾ, ചിത്രങ്ങൾ, ഗ്രാഫുകൾ, എന്നിവ ഉത്തരപേപ്പറിൽ തന്നെ ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കണം.
- ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ മലയാളത്തിലും നല്കിയിട്ടുണ്ട്.

Answer any 5 questions from 11 to 16. Each carries 2 scores.

(5 × 2 = 10)

11. Define Dependency ratio.
12. What is globalisation ?
13. Write the features of minority.
14. What is deindustrialisation ? Write the names of any two towns that suffered decline as a result of deindustrialisation.
15. Explain Social Justice.
16. List out the demerits of Home based work.

Answer any 3 questions from 17 to 20. Each carries 4 scores.

(3 × 4 = 12)

17. Explain the differences between Commonsense Knowledge and Sociological Imagination.
18. (a) Explain Social exclusion.
(b) Choose two agitations led by lower caste people in Kerala from the bracket given below.

[Maarumarakkal agitation, Arya Samaj, Brahma Samaj, Kallumala agitation]

19. Define Sanskritisation and write two criticisms of it.

20. List out four features of Capitalism.

Answer any 3 questions from 21 to 24. Each carries 5 scores.

(3 × 5 = 15)

21. Industrialisation and Urbanisation are linked processes. Explain.

22. Prepare a short note on Nyaya Panchayats and Van Panchayats.

23. Distinguish between Organised sector and Unorganised sector.

24. Match the following :

A	B
M.N. Srinivas	Abolition of Zamindari System
Land Reform Act	Multinational Companies
Foot Loose labourers	Use of HYV seeds
Green Revolution	Jan Breman
Contract Farming	Dominant Caste

Answer any 3 questions from 25 to 28. Each carries 6 scores.

(3 × 6 = 18)

25. Evaluate the importance of "Civil Society" in the modern Indian Society.
26. Explain Modernisation and mention its impact on traditional rituals and ceremonies.
27. Explain the transformation in rural society after independence.
28. Examine the changes brought about by globalisation and liberalisation in Indian industry.

Answer any 2 questions from 29 to 31. Each carries 8 scores.

(2 × 8 = 16)

29. (a) Briefly explain the problems faced by the tribes in India. (5)
(b) List out the state and non-state initiatives addressing caste and tribe discriminations. (3)
30. (a) Explain the ideals of Panchayat Raj. (3)
(b) Describe the power and responsibilities of Panchayats. (5)
31. Prepare an essay on "Regionalism in India".

Hints : Regionalism – State formation based on language – Remedial measures – Constitution