

**ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸಕರ ಅರ್ಹತಾ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆ (ಕೆ-ಸೆಟ್)**  
**KARNATAKA STATE ELIGIBILITY TEST (K-SET)**  
**FOR LECTUERSHIP**

Subject: **SOCIOLOGY**

Subject Code: **07**

**Note :**

There will be two question papers, Paper-II and Paper-III. Paper II will have 50 objective Type Questions (Multiple choice, Matching type; True/False, Assertion-Reasoning type) carrying 100 marks. All the 50 questions are compulsory and have to be marked in OMR sheet. Paper III contains **seventy five (75)** objective type questions (Multiple choice, Matching type; True/False, Assertion-Reasoning type) of **two (2)** marks each. All the 75 questions are compulsory and have to be marked in OMR sheet

**PAPER—II**

**A : SOCIOLOGICAL CONCEPTS**

**1. Nature of Sociologys**

Definition

Sociological Perspective

**2. Basic Concepts**

Community

Institution

Association

Culture

Norms and Values

**3. Social Structure**

Status and role, their interrelationship

Multiple roles, Role set, Status set, Status sequence

Role conflict

**4. Social Group**

Meaning

Types : Primary-Secondary, Formal-Informal, Ingroup-Outgroup, Reference group.

## **5. Social Institutions**

Marriage

Family

Education

Economy

Polity

Religion

## **6. Socialization**

Socialization, Resocialization, Anticipatory socialization, Adult socialization

Agencies of socialization

Theories of socialization

## **7. Social Stratification**

Social differentiation, Hierarchy and Inequality

Forms of stratification : Caste, Class, Gender, Ethnic

Theories of social stratification

Social mobility

## **8. Social change**

Concepts and Types : Evolution, Diffusion, progress, Revolution, Transformation, Change in structure and Change of structure

Theories : Dialectical and Cyclical

## **B : SOCIOLOGICAL THEORY**

### **9. Structural**

Nadel

Radcliffe Brown

Levi-Strauss

### **10. Functional**

Malinowski

Durkheim

Parsons

Merton

### **11. Interactionist**

Social action : Max Weber, Pareto

Symbolic interactionism : G. H. Mead, Blumer

## **12. Conflict**

Karl Marx

Dahrendorf

Coser

Collins

## **C : METHODOLOGY**

### **13. Meaning and Nature of Social Research**

Nature of social phenomena

The scientific method

The problems in the study of social phenomena : Objectivity and subjectivity. fact and value

### **14. Quantitative Methods**

Survey

Research Design and its types

Hypothesis

Sampling

Techniques of data collection : Observation, Questionnaire, Schedule, Interview

### **15. Qualitative Methods**

Participant observation

Case study

Content analysis

Oral history

Life history

### **16. Statistics in Social Research**

Measures of Central Tendency : Mean, Median, Mode

Measures of dispersion

Correlational analysis

Test of significance

Reliability and Validity

## **PAPER—III**

### **Unit—I : Phenomenology and Ethnomethodology**

Alfred Shultz, Peter Berger and Luckmann

Garfinkel and Goffman

### **Unit—II : Neo-functionalism and Neo-Marxism**

J. Alexander

Habermass, Althusser

### **Unit—III : Structuration and Post-Modernism**

Giddens

Derrida

Foucault

### **Unit—IV : Conceptualising Indian Society**

Peoples of India : Groups and Communities

Unity in diversity

Cultural diversity : Regional, linguistic, religions and tribal

### **Unit—V : Theoretical Perspectives**

Indological/Textual Perspective : G. S. Ghurye, Louis Dumont,

Structural-Functional Perspective : M. N. Srinivas, S. C. Dube

Marxian Perspective : D. P. Mukherjee, A. R. Desai

Civilisational Perspective : N. K. Bose, Surajit Sinha

Subaltern Perspective : B. R. Ambedkar, David Hardiman

### **Unit—VI : Contemporary Issues : Socio-cultural**

Poverty

Inequality of caste and gender

Regional, ethnic and religious disharmonics

Family disharmony : (a) Domestic violence (b) Dowry (c) Divorce (d) Intergenerational conflict.

### **Unit—VII : Contemporary Issues : Developmental**

Population

Regional disparity

Slums

Displacement

Ecological degradation and environmental pollution

Health problems

**Unit—VIII : Issues Pertaining to Deviance**

Deviance and its forms

Crime and delinquency

White collar crime and corruption

Changing profile of crime and criminals

Drug addiction

Suicide

**Unit—IX : Current Debates**

Tradition and Modernity in India

Problems of Nation Building : Secularism, Pluralism and Nation building

**Unit—X : The Challenges of Globalisation**

Indigenisation of Sociology

Privatisation of Education

Science and Technology Policy of India

**PAPER—III**

**(ELECTIVE/OPTIONAL)**

**Elective—I : Rural Sociology**

*Approaches to the study of Rural Society :*

Rural-Urban differences

Rurbanism

Peasant studies

*Agrarian Institutions :*

Land ownership and its types

Agrarian relations and Mode of production debate

Jajmani system and Jajmani relations

Agrarian class structure

*Panchayati Raj System :*

Panchayat before and after 73rd amendment

Rural Leadership and Factionalism

Empowerment of people

*Social Issues and Strategies for Rural Development :*

Bonded and Migrant labourers

Pauperization and Depeasantisation

Agrarian unrest and Peasant movements

*Rural Development and Change :*

Trends of changes in rural society

Processes of change : Migration-Rural to Urban and Rural to Rural Mobility : Social/  
Economic

Factors of change

**Elective—II : Industry and Society**

*Industrial Society in the Classical Sociological Tradition :*

Division of labour

Bureaucracy

Rationality

Production relations

Surplus value

Alienation

*Industry and Society :*

Factory as a social system

Formal and informal organization

Impact of social structure on industry

Impact of industry on society

*Industrial Relations :*

Changing profile of labour

Changing labour-management relations

Conciliation, adjudication, arbitration

Collective bargaining

Trade unions

Worker's participation in management (Joint Management Councils)

Quality circles

*Industrialisation and Social Change in India :*

Impact of industrialization on family, education and stratification

Class and class conflict in industrial society

Obstacles to and limitations of industrialization

*Industrial Planning :*

Industrial Policy

Labour legislation

Human relations in industry

**Elective—III : Sociology of Development**

*Conceptual Perspectives on Development :*

Economic growth

Human development

Social development

Sustainable development : Ecological and Social

*Theories of Underdevelopment :*

Liberal : Max Weber, Gunnar Myrdal

Dependency : Centre-periphery (Frank), Uneven development (Samir Amin),

World-system (Wallerstein)

*Paths of Development :*

Modernisation, Globalisation

Socialist

Mixed

Gandhian

*Social Structure and Development :*

Social structure as a facilitator/inhibitor

Development and Socio-economic disparities

Gender and development

*Culture and Development :*

Culture as an aid/impediment

Development and displacement of tradition

Development and upsurge of ethnic movements

### **Elective-IV Population and Society**

*Theories of Population Growth :*

Malthusian

Demographic transition

*Population Growth and Distribution in India :*

Growth of Indian population since 1901

Determinants of population

*Concepts of Fertility, Mortality, Morbidity and Migration :*

Age and Sex composition and its consequences

Determinants of fertility

Determinants of mortality, infant, child and maternal mortality

Morbidity rates

Determinants and consequences of migration

*Population and Development :*

Population as a constraint on and a resource for development

Socio-cultural factors affecting population growth

*Population Control :*

Population policy : Problems and perspectives

Population education

Measures taken for population control

### **Elective—V : Gender and Society**

*Gender as a Social Construct :*

Models of Gendered socialisation

Cultural symbolism and general roles

*Social Structure and Gender Inequality :*



Patriarchy and Matriarchy

Division of labour-Production and reproduction

*Theories of Gender Relations :*

Liberalist

Radical

Socialist

Post-modernist

*Gender and Development :*

Effect of development policies on gender relations

Perspectives on gender and development-Welfarist, developmentalist Empowerment

*Women and Development in India :*

Indicators of women's status : Demographic, social, economic and cultural

Special schemes and strategies for women's development

Voluntary sector and women's development

Globalisation and women's development

Eco-feminism