

2012

(May)

EDUCATION

(Major)

Course : 201

(**Sociological Foundation of Education**)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. (a) Who said the following? 1×4=4

- (i) "Sociology of education is specially concerned with the influences of the social environment on the growing child." *collay*
- (ii) "Socialisation is the process in which the individual learns to adjust to the norms of the society."
- (iii) "Modernisation is the application of modern science to human affairs."
- (iv) "Community is a social group with some degree of 'we feeling' and living in a given area."

(2)

(b) Fill up the blanks : $1 \times 4 = 4$

- (i) — was the father of modern educational sociology.
- (ii) Socialisation is a — process.
- (iii) The two types of social mobility are horizontal and — mobility.
- (iv) Unity is not uniformity but —.

2. Write about the nature and characteristics of educational sociology. 10

Or

What is sociology? What are the differences between sociology and educational sociology? $2+8=10$

3. What is socialisation? Write about the need and importance of socialisation. $3+4=7$

Or

Write about the role of teachers in development of international understanding. 7

4. What is meant by economic development? Discuss the problems of educational system as barriers of economic development. $5+10=15$

Or

Explain the role of education as an instrument of human resource development. 15

(3)

5. What is totalitarianism? Write a note on the advantages and disadvantages of totalitarian aim of education. $4+8=12$

Or

What should be the aims of education in a democratic country according to 1986 National Education Policy? 12

6. Mention the characteristics of primary and secondary groups. $6+6=12$

Or

What is social organisation? Discuss four types of social organisation. $4+8=12$

Or

Explain the problems of education of socially and economically backward sections of the society. 12

7. Write short notes on the following : $4 \times 4 = 16$

- (a) Need of sociological approach
- (b) Education for peace
- (c) Basic principles of democracy
- (d) Importance of women's education
