

# PUNJAB PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Combined Competitive Examination for  
Recruitment to the Posts  
of Provincial Management Service, ETC. – 2015

SUBJECT: SOCIOLOGY (OPTIONAL) PAPER-I

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS

MAXIMUM MARKS: 100

**Note:** Attempt any FIVE questions. Attempt in English or Urdu language. All questions carry equal marks.

- Q.1. What is Sociology? Also explain its application in daily life.
- Q.2. There are different sociological perspectives. Discuss the feature of any two of the sociological perspectives.
- Q.3. What is the impact of Mass Media on our social life? Discuss by giving suitable examples from society.
- Q.4. What are the significant functions of education and also explain the conflict perspective of education.
- Q.5. How functionalist and conflict paradigm discuss the stratification of society on the basis of gender.
- Q.6. What are different types of social movements? Also discuss the relationship of social movement with social change.
- Q.7. Discuss the Malthusian and the transition theory of demography in detail.
- Q.8. Write short notes on two of the followings:  
(a) Ethnocentrism & Cultural Relativism  
(b) Feminism  
(c) Power and types of Authority  
(d) Environmental pollution

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- Q.1. Compare and contrast the characteristics of qualitative and quantitative research methods. Secondly, write a comprehensive note on 'content analysis' as a tool of finding the truth.
- Q.2. Define the concepts of (i) indicator, (ii) variable, and (iii) hypothesis. Construct a hypothesis by using 'gender' as independent variable and 'development of society' as a dependent variable. Write down which indicators will you use to measure societal development.
- Q.3. How do you define globalization? Write down the process of globalization and explain how globalization is affecting developing countries with a focus of Pakistan. Narrate both positive and negative effects.
- Q.4. What do you understand by social and economic inequalities? Write down the nature of linkage between 'rich' and 'poor' Countries.
- Q.5. What is world system theory? Discuss the nature of conflict among different nations within the frame of world system. Explain how such an international conflict could be addressed using United Nations and express the possible hurdles.
- Q.6. Population of any country could be an 'asset' or 'liability'? During the last several years, China has been growing quite steadily with a huge population. Explain how China has used population as an asset.
- Q.7. Differentiate between 'crime' and 'insecurity'. Discuss the relationship among the concepts of (i) crime, (ii) media, and (iii) felt-insecurity. Explain this relationship with examples from Pakistan.

The Me you have always known, the Me that's a stranger still.