

Framework

Lecture 6

Question and Answer Discussion (Paper I)

Topic: Sociology – The Discipline

- **Modernity and Social Changes in Europe and Emergence of Sociology**
- **Scope of the Subject and Comparison with Other Social Sciences**
 - **Sociology and Common-Sense**

Important Questions:

1. Is society a process or a structure? Explain. (10 Marks)
2. Is family a community, association or institution? Give reasons for your answer. (10 Marks)
3. Sociology appears to be the laborious study of the obvious, an expensive way to discover what everybody already knows. Do you agree with the statement? Discuss. (10 Marks)
4. Discuss the historical antecedents of the emergence of Sociology as a discipline. (10 Marks)
5. “Sociology without History is rootless and History without Sociology is fruitless.” Elaborate. (10 Marks)

6. Human history is fundamentally the history of the progress of mind and society. Comment. (10 Marks)

7. Evolution is a twin process of differentiation and integration. Discuss this statement in light of Spencer's contributions. (10 Marks)

8. If modernity was the product of Industrial Revolution, post-modernity is the product of Information Revolution? Discuss. (10 Marks)

9. Enacted institutions are effective only if supported by crecive institutions. Comment. (10 Marks)

10. Discuss the role of ideology in the emergence of Sociology. (10 Marks)

11. “Sociology emerged in Europe and flourished to begin with on social reformist orientation in the USA.” Comment.

(10 Marks)

12. Sociology emerged as a conservative reaction to the socio-economic and political developments taking in Europe.

Comment.

(10 Marks)

13. Write short notes on:

(10 Marks Each)

a) Sociology and Anthropology

b) Sociological Imagination

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