



SUBJECT:	Sociology
PAPER NUMBER:	I
DATE:	26 th May 2023
TIME:	9:00 a.m. to 11:05 a.m.

Answer ALL the following questions. Each question carries 25 marks.

CORE THEMATIC AREA: CULTURE AND IDENTITY

1. Discuss the nature vs. nurture debate.
2. In what ways, if at all, is consumption increasingly a form of leisure?
3. In what ways, if at all, are disabilities created by society?
4. In what ways do sub-cultures differ from the dominant culture?



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DATE:	27 th May 2023
TIME:	9:00 a.m. to 11:05 p.m.

Answer any TWO of the following questions. Each question carries 50 marks.

THEMATIC AREA 1: FAMILY

1. Discuss the New Right and the Marxist perspectives of the family.

THEMATIC AREA 2: RELIGION

2. What is the 'beyond secularisation' thesis, and how does it help us understand religion in contemporary societies?

THEMATIC AREA 3: GENDER AND SEXUALITY

3. Is gender biologically determined, or is it socially constructed?

THEMATIC AREA 4: WELFARE AND SOCIAL POLICY

4. What is 'relative deprivation', and why is it considered to be a type of poverty?



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TIME:	4:00 p.m. to 6:05 p.m.

Answer any TWO of the following questions. Each question carries 50 marks.

THEMATIC AREA 5: MEDIA AND COMMUNICATION

1. According to postmodernists, how have the electronic media transformed our lives?

THEMATIC AREA 6: CRIME AND DEVIANCE

2. According to the Functionalists, how might crime be a force for social change?

THEMATIC AREA 7: ENVIRONMENT

3. It is sometimes argued that sustainable development puts a limit on economic growth. Discuss.

THEMATIC AREA 8: RACE, ETHNICITY, AND MIGRATION

4. Define racism, and discuss some of the forms it takes.