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**FIRST SEMESTER (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION  
NOVEMBER 2023**

Sociology

SGY 1 (2) C 01—PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY

(2019—2023 Admissions)

Time : Two Hours and a Half

Maximum : 80 Marks

**Section A**

*Answer all questions.  
Each question carries 2 marks.  
(Short answer type, not to exceed 50 words)*

1. What is a social norm ?
2. Elucidate the concept of 'sociological imagination'.
3. What is cultural lag ?
4. Explain in brief the concept of ethnocentrism.
5. Describe popular culture.
6. Examine linguistic diversity in India.
7. Delineate the concept of multiculturalism.
8. Describe culture shock.
9. What is anticipatory socialisation.
10. Discuss material culture.
11. Write a note on reference group.
12. Discuss the concept of social group.
13. "Society is a web of social relationship". Explain.
14. Discuss the important functions of the institution of marriage.
15. Briefly discuss dominant culture.

(Ceiling : 25 marks)

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**Section B**

*Answer all questions.*

*Each question carries 5 marks.*

*(Paragraph type, not to exceed 100 words each).*

16. What is culture ? Analyse the characteristics and functions of culture.
17. Differentiate between sociological knowledge and commonsense.
18. Are women controlled by family and the State. Comment.
19. Examine caste-based issues in India.
20. List out internet revolution and its impact in society.
21. State the relationship between media and hyper-reality.
22. Analyse the nature and forms of social mobility.
23. Describe how norms and values are means of social control?

(Ceiling : 35 marks)

**Section C**

*Answer any two questions.*

*Each question carries 10 marks.*

*(Essay type, not to exceed 500 words each).*

24. Elucidate the nature, scope, and relevance of studying sociology.
25. Define socialization. What are the important agents of socialization? Explain with example the role of different agents of socialization.
26. Examine different means and methods of social control. Show how society devices its own strategies of social control.
27. Examine globalisation and cultural change and evaluate its impact on Indian society.

(2 × 10 = 20 marks)