

Ph. D Entrance Test – Sociology Sample Paper

1. One of the limitations of Sociology is:

- a) Lack of objectivity
- b) Absence of purpose
- c) Lack of fixity
- d) None of these

2. Attitudes held by individuals, groups or society as a whole as good, bad, desirable or undesirable are called

- a) Norms
- b) Values
- c) Beliefs
- d) Sanctions

3. Parsons has kept the Indian and Chinese social structures under _____ category.

- a) the Particularistic-Achievement
- b) the Universalistic-Ascription
- c) the particularistic-Ascription
- d) the Universalistic-Achievement

4. To prepare one for the future roles is

- a) Futurisation
- b) Prediction
- c) Anticipatory Socialization
- d) Internalization

5. Burning of effigies is a commonly form of _____

- a) Contagious magic
- b) Imitative magic
- c) Black magic
- d) Sorcery

6. Who argues that stratification systems derive from common values

- a) Talcott Parson
- b) Weber

- c) Davis and Moore
- d) Tumin

7. Indian stratification system is an example of

- a) Rational system
- b) Open system
- c) Orthodox system
- d) Close system

8. According to a traditional Hindu law, marriage is a _____

- a) Sacrament
- b) Contract
- c) Regulation of prostitution
- d) None of above

9. Where father's sister is given more respect than the mother, the relationship is called:

- a) Couvade
- b) Amitate
- c) Avunclate
- d) Teknonymy

10. Class struggle is most intense in a :

- a) Capitalistic society
- b) Primitive society
- c) Feudal society
- d) Socialistic society

11. _____ classified religion and magic as sacred and science as the profane part

- a) Durkheim
- b) Malinowski
- c) Weber
- d) Morgan