

PAPER – II: SOCIOLOGY OF INDIAN SOCIETY

Unit – I: INTRODUCTION:

- a) Development of Sociology in India
- b) Pioneers of Indian Sociology: G.S. Ghurye, A.R. Desai, M.N. Srinivas, Irvathi Karve, K.M. Kapadia

Unit – II: FAMILY:

- a) Joint Family System – Characteristics
- b) Types: Patriarchal and Matriarchal
- c) Recent Changes – Factors for Change

Unit – III: CASTE SYSTEM:

- a) Meaning and Origin of Caste System: Theories – Traditional, Racial, Political, Occupational and Evolutionary
- b) Mobility in Caste: i) Sanskritisation ii) Westernisation
- c) Recent trends in Caste System.

Unit – IV: SOCIAL CLASSES IN INDIA:

- a) Agrarian Class Structure
- b) Working Classes: Organized / Unorganized
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- a) Indian Village – Characteristics and Types of Settlement Patterns
- b) Problems of Village
- c) Land Revenue Systems: Zamindari, Royatwari, Mohalwari - Land Reforms.

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- a) Social Divisions among Muslims
- b) Marriage among Muslims
- c) Family and Inheritance

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- a) Definition and Characteristics
- b) Problems of Tribals & Tribal Unrest
- c) Tribal Welfare

Unit – VIII: WOMEN IN INDIAN SOCIETY:

- a) Women in Villages
- b) Urban Working Women
- c) Violence Against Women & Women's Welfare Measures

Unit – IX: SOCIAL MOVEMENTS IN INDIA:

- a) Backward Class Movements
- b) Farmers Movement
- c) Trade Union Movement

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