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Question No.1

" Rise and Fall " theory of social change is otherwise known as:

- Modular theory
- Linear theory
- Cyclical theory
- Evaluatory theory

Question No.2

Cheating on a final examination is an example of violating campus

- _____.
- Folkways.
 - Mores.
 - High culture
 - Symbols.

Question No.3

In an Indian family the parents prepare their daughters to be a good wife/daughter in her inlaws home, this is an example of:

- Re-socialization
- Socialization
- Adult socialization
- Anticipatory socialization

Question No.4

Who regards caste to be a Brahmanic child of Indo-Aryan culture?

- J.H. Hutton
- G.S. Ghurye
- M.N. Srinivas
- D.N. Majumdar

Question No.5

What is the marriage of a widow to her deceased husband's brother termed?

- Polyandry
- Levirate
- Widow marriage
- Sororate

Question No.6



Who initiated the Mahar movement by rejecting Hinduism?

- B.R. Ambedkar
- Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar
- M. Gandhi
- V.R. Shinde

Question No.7



What is the term for the value that occurs most often in a series of numbers?

- Mode
- Median
- Mean
- All of these

Question No.8



Who uses the phrase 'necessary conditions of existence' as an important component of social structure?

- S. F. Nadel
- R. K. Merton
- A. R. Radcliffe-Brown
- Levi-Strauss

Question No.9



Prejudice is a matter of _____, and discrimination is a matter of _____.

- What rich people think; What rich people do
- Attitudes; Behavior
- Biology; Culture
- Choice; Social structure

Question No.10



The family in the industrial society is a unit of:

- Consumption
- Reproduction
- Advertisement
- Production

Question No.11



For Max Weber, modernity meant the rise of _____; for Karl Marx, modernity meant _____.

- Capitalism, Anomie
- Specialization, Gesellschaft
- Rationality, Capitalism
- Tradition, Self-interest

Question No.12



Who has defined status as “a position in the general institutional system”?

- A. W. Green
- K. Davis
- R. K. Merton
- R. Linton

Question No.13



Who has defined a role-set as a set of roles that centre around a particular social status?

- R. Martin
- C. Darwin
- R. K. Merton
- Ralph Linton

Question No.14



Who termed curriculum as ‘occupation’?

- Paulo Freire
- John Dewey
- Pierre Bourdieu
- Ivan Illich

Question No.15



The Okka joint family among the coorgs of South India was studied by which sociologist?

- Andre Beteille
- M.N. Srinivas
- S.C. Dube
- Yogendra Singh

Question No.16



Antony Gidden’s contribution to the understanding of Social Relations is the idea of _____

- Structuration
- Functionalism
- Positivism

- Marxism

Question No.17

Peter Berger claims that we are most likely to turn to religion when we experience

- The best of times.
- Important events that are out of our control.
- Social conflict.
- Familiar, everyday routines.

Question No.18

Who has given the concept of "Community Power Structure"?

- P. Brass
- H. Lynd
- F. Hunter
- Robert Dahl

Question No.19

Who has defined community as "the smallest territorial group that can embrace all aspects of social life"?

- Ruth Benedict
- Gordon Allport
- G.H. Mead
- Kingsley Davis

Question No.20

Which one of the following is not an element of community?

- Cultural diversity
- We-feeling
- Territory
- Self-sufficiency

Question No.21

_____ descent is a kinship system that traces descent through the relatives of the mother.

- Bilineal
- Matrilineal
- Trilineal
- Patrilineal

Question No.22

Self-help and community help is the motto of _____

- Panchayati Raj
- Co-operatives
- Community development programme
- Land reforms

Question No.23



When was the Kaka Kalelkar Commission constituted?

- 1954
- 1951
- 1953
- 1952

Question No.24



Who said the "Backward Caste Movement was transformative in nature?"

- A.C. Wallace
- E.V. Ramaswamy
- Narayan Guru
- M.S.A. Rao

Question No.25



Who among the following has given the concept of middle range theory?

- R. K. Merton
- Anthony Giddens
- G. H. Mead
- Ralf Dahrendorf

Question No.26



Who among the following social thinkers has focused on equilibrium rather than conflict as the basis of society?

- L. Coser
- R. Dahrendorf
- C. Wright Mills
- Talcott Parsons

Question No.27



The marriage of a man to several sisters is called _____

- Avunculate
- Polygyny
- Lavirate

- Sororal Polygyny

Question No.28



Who said that " Treat Social facts as if they were things"?

- Emile Durkheim
- Max Weber
- August Comte
- Hebert Spencer

Question No.29



Who regards deviance as functional for society?

- E. Durkheim
- Howard Becker
- A. Cohen
- R. K. Merton

Question No.30



Ethnocentrism refers to:

- The tendency of a cultural group to uphold and sustain traditional culture
- Appreciating cultural traits of other groups
- The attempt to modernize traditional cultural values
- The attitude that one's own culture or group is superior to another

Question No.31



Social stratification is particular form of _____

- Social Justice
- Social Gradation
- Social Inequality
- Social Equality

Question No.32



Who among the following introduced the distinction between participant and non-participant observation?

- W.F. Whyte
- Edward Lindeman
- N. Anderson
- Paul Cressey

Question No.33



Tippet table is used for the:

- Quota Sampling
- Random Sampling
- Purposive sampling
- Judgment Sampling

Question No.34

The concept “generalized other” was introduced into literature by

- Pareto
- Goffman
- Mead
- Blumer

Question No.35

The concept of ‘universalization’ and ‘parochialization’ were coined by ____-

- Robert Redfield
- M. N. Srinivas
- Mckim Mariott
- Irawati Karve

Question No.36

The type of social mobility where there is parallel change in the position within social hierarchy:

- Inter-generational
- Vertical
- Intra-generational
- Horizontal

Question No.37

Who gave classificatory and descriptive kinship terminology ?

- L.H.Morgan
- Levi Strauss
- Malinowski
- W. H. R. Rivers

Question No.38

Who has defined primary group as being characterized by face-to-face relations?

- S. Freud
- G. Simmel
- G Sumner

- C.H. Cooley

Question No.39

Who divided the science of Sociology into two major parts - Social statics and Social dynamics?

- Max Weber
- Karl Marx
- Saint Simon
- Auguste Comte

Question No.40

Who argues that families are factories, which produce human Personalities?

- G. P. Murdock
- Talcott Parsons
- Karl Marx
- Lewis Henry Morgan

Question No.41

What is the most important and basic factor for social integration according to the functionalists?

- Value consensus
- Maintenance of relative stability
- Structural interdependence
- Condition of anomie

Question No.42

Durkheim, in the first chapter of the "Rules of the Sociological Method", defined ways of acting, thinking and feeling, external to the individual and endowed with a power of coercion by reason of which they control him as:

- Social facts
- Social statics
- Social dynamics
- Social Phenomenon

Question No.43

With whom among the following are the concepts universalisation and parochialisation associated?

- Meyer Fortes
- R. Redfield
- Robert R. Marret
- McKim Marriott

Question No.44

The form of marriage in which a woman of the upper *Varna* marries a man of the lower *Varna* is known as:

- Polygamy
- Endogamy
- Hypergamy
- Hypogamy

Question No.45

Which among the following is the indicator of open stratification system?

- Religion
- Caste
- Ethnicity
- Class

Question No.46

After Kerala which State has recorded highest literacy in census of India in 2011?

- Goa
- Himachal Pradesh
- Mizoram
- Maharashtra

Question No.47

Who gave 'mechanical' and 'statistical' models in his study of kinship structure?

- S. F. Nadel
- Levi-Strauss
- James Frazer
- A. R. Radcliff-Brown

Question No.48

A 'class-in-itself' is a term coined by _____

- Vladimir Lenin
- Karl Marx
- Fidel Castro
- F.Engels

Question No.49

The post-industrial society is

- A service society
- Dominated by blue-collar jobs
- The end of industrial society
- Second and more intensive phase of industrial society

Question No.50

What is the process, under which one culture merges itself with the dominant culture, called?

- Acculturation
- Assimilation
- Accommodation
- Adaptation

Question No.51

Which of the following is not regarded as the characteristic feature of scientific method?

- logical
- Reliability
- common sense observation
- Validity

Question No.52

Which of the following is not a criterion of caste?

- Endogamy
- Exogamy
- Hierarchy
- Hereditary occupation

Question No.53

When the performer of a role adopts a subjective detachment from the role, it is called as:

- Role-distance
- Role-incompatibility
- Role-taking
- Role-conflict

Question No.54

Which one of the following pairs is not correctly matched?

- Dialectical materialism - Karl marx
- Power Elite - C. Wright Mills
- Ideal Type - G. Sumner

- Collective Consciousness - Emile Durkheim

Question No.55

Who viewed three types of legitimation---charismatic, rational and traditional?

- E. Durkheim
- Karl Marx
- C. Levi-Strauss
- Max Weber

Question No.56

Max Weber's sociology is known as:

- Empirical sociology
- Interpretative sociology
- Ideal sociology
- Scientific sociology

Question No.57

Who was the leader of the formalistic school?

- Hobhouse
- Sorokin
- Durkheim
- George Simmel

Question No.58

Which one of the following Marx Muller believed to the earliest form of religion

- Naturism
- Animism
- Monism
- Fetishism

Question No.59

Who called Sociology as 'Social Physics'?

- Durkheim
- Maclver
- Comte
- Bogardus

Question No.60

According to Max Weber, an ideal type is:

- Philosophical model of an ideal society
- Conceptual or analytical tool to understand social phenomena
- Statistical evidences collected by social researcher
- The most common situation in a given society

Question No.61

Any tentative statement which is liable to prove or disprove is a _____

- Fact
- Hypothesis
- Theory
- Concept

Question No.62

Which statistics compare two or more frequency distribution?

- Standard deviation
- Correlation
- Central -tendency
- Median

Question No.63

Researchers have found that married people are less likely to commit suicide than divorced people. In this example, suicide is an

- Index
- Dependent variable
- Independent variable
- Hypothesis

Question No.64

What is the level of measurement in which numbers or symbols are used to classify objects:

- Internal
- Nominal
- Ordinal
- Ratio

Question No.65

A sect is a type of religious organization that

- rejects the importance of charisma.
- has formally trained leaders.
- stands apart from the larger society.
- is well integrated into the larger society.

Question No.66

The movement of the people or group from lower position to higher ones is known as?

- Downward mobility
- Upward mobility
- Horizontal mobility
- Vertical mobility

Question No.67

Which one of the following is ascribed status?

- Husband
- Son
- Soldier
- Priest

Question No.68

Erving Goffman is known for equating social life with:

- A mirror
- Theater
- Misery
- Anomie

Question No.69

Which one of the following pairs is not correctly matched?

- R. K. Merton : Reference groups
- C. H. Cooley : Primary group
- Talcott Parsons : Positivism
- W G. Summer : In-group, out-group

Question No.70

Which one of the following does consist of the constituents of self according to Mead?

- I and Me
- Me and We
- I and They
- We and They

Question No.71

Spread of cultural traits from one society to another is commonly called as _____.

- Discrimination
- Diffusion
- Enculturation
- Acculturation

Question No.72

Which of the following pair is not correctly matched?

- G.H. Mead and Symbolic Interaction
- Emile Durkheim and Functionalism
- Max Weber and Social Fact
- Herbert Blumer and Symbolic Interaction

Question No.73

Primitive economic organizations were characterized by:

- Mass production
- Capitalism
- Monopolism
- Subsistence

Question No.74

Who among the following has defined culture as “essentially a response to human need”?

- R. Linton
- B. Malinowski
- Robert Redfield
- A. R. Radcliff-Brown

Question No.75

Who has identified 'hierarchy' as the essential value underlying the caste system, supported by Hinduism?

- M. N. Srinivas
- A.R.Desai
- Louis Dumont
- Yogendra Singh

Question No.76

Which Article of the Indian Constitution deals with specifying a particular Tribe as a Scheduled Tribe?

- Article 344
- Article 343
- Article 345
- Article 342

Question No.77

Who has written the book on , 'The Untouchables'?

- B.R. Ambedkar
- Mahtama Gandhi
- I. P. Desai
- G.S. Ghurye

Question No.78

What does the term does the term 'Patrician' stand for?

- Slave
- Land owner
- Slave master
- Landless labourer

Question No.79

When the list of questions is filled by the researcher himself, it is called

- Closed Questionnaire
- Questionnaire
- Open questionnaire
- Interview Schedule

Question No.80

Which theoretical approach states that people select partners who have about the same to offer as they do?

- Social-exchange approach
- Feminist approach
- Structural-functional approach
- Social-conflict approach

Question No.81

Who among the following offered a cyclic theory of social change which views the societies oscillating between three different types of mentalities?

- T. Veblen
- Karl Marx
- V. Pareto
- P. A. Sorokin

Question No.82

Which of the following concepts are applied to analyse the process of civilizational change?

- Sensate and ideational culture
- Gemeinschaft and Gesellschaft
- Zweckrational and Wertrational
- Mechanical and organic solidarity

Question No.83



Social stratification makes society _____

- Flux
- A Hierarchy
- Complex
- A Ladder

Question No.84



What does population pyramid deal with?

- Age and labour force structure
- Age and literacy structure
- Age and sex structure
- Age and marriage structure

Question No.85



Which of the following has made a lengthy study of the development of major world religions?

- Karl Marx
- Max Weber
- R. K. Merton
- Herbert Risley

Question No.86



Who did coin the term 'symbolic interactionism'?

- Erving Goffman
- Manford Kuhn
- E. Husserel
- Herbert Blumer

Question No.87



The marriage between woman of upper social strata with man of lower social strata is known as?

- Exogamy
- Endogamy
- Hypogamy

- Hypergamy

Question No.88

According to Merton, a latent function of the Hopi rain dance is:

- Spiritual recognition
- Ceremonial celebration
- Producing rainfall
- Reinforcing group identity

Question No.89

Research conducted for the purpose of developing scientific theories is known as;

- Individual research
- Basic research
- Applied research
- Action research

Question No.90

The process of internalizing the culture of society is called:

- Enculturation
- Evolution
- Diffusion
- Acculturation

Question No.91

Who among the following is credited for introducing the concept of *verstehen* in sociology?

- Robert K. Merton
- Howard Becker
- Emile Durkheim
- Max Weber

Question No.92

Which among the following is wrongly matched:

- The Nuer : Evans-Pritchard
- Tribe, Caste and Nation: G.S. Ghurye
- The Power Elite : C. Wright Mills
- Mind, Self and Society :K.M. Kapadia

Question No.93

Which one of the features is not correct in objective method?

- Verification
- Subjective explanation
- Deductive in nature
- Scientific analysis

Question No.94

Which one of the following concepts M. N. Srinivas used to represent caste mobility?

- Modernization
- Westernization
- Sanskritization
- Secularization

Question No.95

Which one of the following is not typical of community?

- Sense of belonging
- Bureaucratic arrangements
- Face-to-face relations
- Small-scale

Question No.96

Who has classified the social system into mechanical and organic solidarity?

- Emile Durkheim
- Herbert Spencer
- Talcott Parsons
- R. M. Maclver

Question No.97

The prohibition of *Sagotra* marriages among Hindus is an example of

- Taboo on cross – cousin marriage
- The rules of caste endogamy
- Incest taboo
- Clan exogamy

Question No.98

W. Whyte used _____ for his work in “Street Corner Society”.

- Content analysis
- In-Depth Interview
- Questionnaire
- Observation

Question No.99

Who among the following authors developed the social distance scale?

- L. Guttman
- E. S. Bogardus
- Paulin Young
- W J. Goode and P. K. Hatt

Question No.100

30. Who coined the term "ethnocentrism"?

- R.K. Merton
- R. Linton
- Ogburn and Nimkoff
- W.G. Sumner