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**Presidency University**

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**Make-Up Examinations, July 2024**

**Date**: 03-07-2024

**Time**: 9:30 AM -12:30 PM

**Max Marks**: 100

**Weightage**: 50%

**Semester**: II

**Course Code**: BAL 206/ BAL2008

**Course Name**: Sociological Theories

**Program:** BA LLB

**Instructions:**

1. *Read the all questions carefully and answer accordingly.*
2. *Do not write any matter on the question paper other than roll number.*

**Part A**

**Answer any 4 Questions. Each question carries 5 marks. (4Qx 5M= 20M)**

1. What is the definition of sociology and who is considered the founder of sociology?

(CO1) [Knowledge]

1. Describe the process of socialization and provide examples of primary and secondary socialization agents**.**

(CO1) [Knowledge]

1. Compare and contrast quantitative and qualitative research methods in sociology, providing examples of each**.**

(CO1) [Knowledge]

1. Summarize the main ideas of Karl Marx's conflict theory and how it explains social inequality**.**

(CO1) [Knowledge]

1. Explain how the concept of social norms influences everyday behavior in society.

(CO1) [Knowledge]

1. Define the term "social institution" with examples.

(CO2) [Knowledge]

**Part B**

**Answer any 4 Questions. Each question carries 10 marks. (4Qx10M=40M)**

1. Explain the concept of socialization and its importance in society.

(CO 3) [Comprehension]

**8**. Describe how social stratification affects individuals' life chances.

(CO 3) [Comprehension]

**9**  Compare and contrast the functionalist and conflict perspectives on social change.

(CO 3) [Comprehension]

**10.** Illustrate how culture influences human behavior.

(CO 3) [Comprehension]

**11.** Describe the events of the Berlin Crisis and its impact on the division of Germany.

(CO 3) [Comprehension]

**12.** Summarize the key elements of symbolic interactionism.

(CO 3) [Comprehension]

**Part C**

**Answer any 2 Questions. Each question carries 20 marks. (2Qx20M=40M)**

**13.** Analyze the relationship between social class and educational attainment.

(CO. 4) [Analysis]

**14. Discuss Karl Marx’s idea of alienation and its relations with the capitalist system.**

(CO. 4) [Application]

**15.** Use sociological theories to propose solutions for reducing income inequality**.**

(CO. 4) [Application]