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TITLE OF PAPER : **INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY**

COURSE CODE : **DL 015**

TIME ALLOWED : **TWO (2) HOURS**

INSTRUCTIONS : **1. ANSWER ANY THREE (3) QUESTIONS.**
2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS.

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QUESTION 1

Explain how the *sociological imagination* can be manifested in a *lit candle*?

QUESTION 2

Distinguish between the following concepts:

- (a) Norms and values.
- (b) Cultural relativism and ethnocentrism.
- (c) Primary socialization and secondary socialization.
- (d) Equality and equity.
- (e) Sex and gender.

QUESTION 3

Without socialization, human beings would lack the ability to behave as expected. Explain this statement fully.

QUESTION 4

Critically discuss the functions and dysfunctions deviance and crime in Swazi society.

QUESTION 5

- (a) What is patriarchy?
- (b) Discuss two ways in which Swazi society promotes the hidden culture of rape.

QUESTION 6

Discuss criticisms that have been leveled against Functionalism.