

UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCE
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

FINAL EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER

TITLE OF PAPER: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY

COURSE CODE: SOC 101

TIME ALLOWED: THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- (1) Answer Any Four (4) Questions**
- (2) All Questions Carry Equal Marks**

1. Examine how the functionalists, conflict theorists and symbolic interactionists would analyse poverty in Swaziland.
2. Discuss the role of nature and nurture in socialization.
3. How does the sociological view of deviance differ from the commonsense idea that bad people do bad things?
4. Explain why social stratification is a creation of society and not just a reflection of individual differences.
5. As a sociologist, how would you analyse healthcare in Swaziland?
6. What are the six traits of bureaucracy? Discuss the problems that go along with it.
7. Discuss the notion of global culture and its impact on the lives of people in Swaziland.
8. Examine how gender divisions reinforce the subordinate position of women in contemporary society.