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FIRST SEMESTER RE-SIT EXAMINATION PAPER, JANUARY 2019

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY AND SOCIAL WORK

COURSE CODE: SOC111

TITLE OF PAPER: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY I

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

Instructions

1. This paper consists of Section (A) and (B).
2. Section A is compulsory.
3. Answer any two questions from Section B.

Special Requirements

No special requirements

Additional Material (s)

No additional materials

Candidates may complete the front cover of their answer book when instructed by the Chief Invigilator and sign their examination attendance cards but must NOT write anything else until the start of the examination period is announced.

No electronic devices capable of storing and retrieving text, including electronic dictionaries and any form of foreign material may be used while in the examination room.

DO NOT turn examination paper over until instructed to do so.

SECTION A: COMPULSORY**QUESTION 1**

Write short notes on the following:

- a) Primary and secondary socialization
- b) Values and norms
- c) Mechanisms of learning according to the social learning theory
- d) Rationalisation of society
- e) Altruistic and fatalistic suicide

SECTION B: CHOOSE ANY TWO (2) QUESTIONS**QUESTION 2**

Human behavior is learnt. Discuss this statement with reference to nature and nurture.

QUESTION 3

Discuss the functionalist and Marxist view of social inequality. What are the shortcomings of these views on social inequality.

QUESTION 4

Explain the difference between prejudice, stereotypes and discrimination? Use examples to support your answer.

QUESTION 5

Using examples, explain the elements of culture.

QUESTION 6

Discuss what the Fourth Industrial Revolution (4IR) is and explain five (5) ways by which it will impact higher education. Use examples to support your answer.