

UG/2nd Sem(H)/23/(CBCS)

2023

SOCIOLOGY (Honours)

Paper Code : SOCH DC-4

(Social Research Method)

Full Marks : 32

Time : Two Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates are required to give their answers
in their own words as far as practicable.*

Group - A

Answer any *two* questions from the following :

10×2=20

1. What is social research? Discuss the significance of social research. 2+8=10
2. What is applied research? Differentiate between basic and applied research. 2+8=10
3. Define conceptualization. Discuss the formulation of conceptualization in social research. 2+8=10
4. What is thick description in qualitative research? Discuss the characteristics of thick description. 2+8=10

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Group - B

5. Answer any *three* questions from the following :

4×3=12

- (a) Why objectivity is important in social science research?
 - (b) What are the differences between inductive and deductive logic?
 - (c) Write in brief the characteristics of exploratory research.
 - (d) Discuss the purposes of research design.
 - (e) Write a short note on oral history interviewing.
 - (f) What is public record? How public records are useful in research?
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