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TUESDAY, 16 MAY 2023 – AFTERNOON

SOCIOLOGY – Component 1
Understanding Social Processes

1 hour 45 minutes

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Question	Maximum Mark	Mark Awarded
1.	4	
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Total	100	

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Do not use gel pen or correction fluid.
 Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.
 Answer **all** questions.
 Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. If you run out of space, use the additional page(s) at the back of the booklet, taking care to number the question(s) correctly.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.
 Credit will be given for the use of sociological concepts, theories and evidence.



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Answer **all** questions.

1. Select the appropriate term from the box to complete the sentences below.

Cohabitation	Status	Hargreaves	Values	Parsons	Beanpole
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- (a) refer to that which is considered worthwhile and worth striving for in society. [1]
- (b) refers to a family form that is vertically extended with up to four generations. [1]
- (c) refers to living together as partners without getting married. [1]
- (d) studied anti-school cultures in a boys' secondary school in the 1960s. [1]

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2. Read the following passage and answer the questions.

Status varies from person to person in Britain. This can depend on their job, wealth, whether they play sport etc. For example, millionaires and top footballers usually have high status.

(a) Describe what is meant by *status*. [2]

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(b) Identify **one** aspect of life that influences status in the passage above. [1]

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(c) Explain **one** reason why status is important in society. [2]

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(d) Explain, using examples, the difference between ascribed and achieved status. [4]

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3. Read the following passage and answer the questions.

The nurture theory stresses the importance of *socialisation* on behaviour. Feral children are children who have not been socialised in the expected way and may be unable to participate as human beings in their society.

(a) Explain what is meant by *socialisation*. [2]

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(b) Explain **two** reasons why sociologists tend to support the nurture theory. [4]

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(c) Explain **two** reasons why socialisation is important for society.

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4. (a) Describe what is meant by *cohabitation*.

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(b) Explain why Marxists argue that the family benefits capitalism.

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(d) 'The nuclear family with two parents of the opposite sex is the best family type.'

Do you agree with this view?

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In your answer you are advised to consider different sociological ideas and theories to support your judgement.

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5. (a) Describe **one** way in which cultural factors may affect achievement in education. [2]

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(b) Outline the Feminist view that schools are patriarchal. [5]

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6. Read the following passage and answer the questions.

A recent sociological study looked at poverty among school children. They looked at *secondary data* first.

(a) Describe what is meant by *secondary data*. [2]

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(b) Explain **two** advantages of using secondary data for this research. [4]

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