

1. The three types of 'cultural capital' are:
 - A) Embodied, objectified, institutionalised
 - B) Material, non-material, embodied
 - C) Education, fashion, tradition
 - D) Volatile, Virtual, Fixed

2. Who among the following is associated with Habitus and Field?
 - A) Pierre Bourdieu
 - B) Immanuel Wallerstein
 - C) Anthony Giddens
 - D) Peter M Blau

3. Assertion (A): The non-material aspects of culture change faster than the material aspects of culture.
Reason (R) : The gap in the rate of changes in material and non-material aspects of culture is called as cultural lag.
 - A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 - C) A is true but R is false
 - D) A is false but R is true

4. Which of the following is a non-probability sampling method?
 - A) Judgmental sampling
 - B) Snowball sampling
 - C) Convenience sampling
 - D) All the above

5. Which of the following is an example for core country?
 - A) USA
 - B) Nigeria
 - C) Sri Lanka
 - D) Bangladesh

6. Assertion (A): The divide and rule policy of the British helped the growth of communalism in India.
Reason (R) : Communal politics is hindering the harmony between religions in India.
 - A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 - C) A is true but R is false
 - D) A is false but R is true

7. A religious convert internalizing the beliefs and rituals of a new faith is an example for:
 - A) Anticipatory socialisation
 - B) Resocialisation
 - C) Primary socialisation
 - D) Desocialisation

8. The department of Sociology started at Bombay University in 1919 was headed by:
 A) Patrick Geddes B) G.S. Ghurye
 C) B.N. Seal D) None of the above
9. Match the following:
 a. Conflict Theory 1. Auguste Comte
 b. Cyclical theory 2. Karl Marx
 c. Unilinear evolution 3. Talcott Parsons
 d. Functional Theory 4. Oswald Spengler
- A) a-2, b-4, c-1, d-3 B) a-3, b-1, c-4, d-2
 C) a-4, b-3, c-2, d-1 D) a-2, b-4, c-3, d-1
10. A questionnaire is **not** a suitable method if the respondents are:
 A) Large in number B) Illiterate
 C) Geographically dispersed D) Educated
11. Author of 'Small is Beautiful' :
 A) E.F. Schumacher B) Immanuel Wallerstein
 C) Amartya Sen D) Mahboobul Haq
12. State whether the following statements are true or false:
 1. Re socialisation is a process where by an individual learns the culture of a group which s/he is expected to become a member.
 2. Anticipatory socialisation is a process by which an individual strips away the learned practices and learns new ones.
- A) 1 is true B) 2 is true
 C) Both 1 & 2 are true D) Both 1 & 2 are false
13. The word 'secular' was inserted in to the Preamble of the Constitution by:
 A) 42nd Amendment B) 50th Amendment
 C) 28th Amendment D) Gazette Notification
14. Match the following
 a. Evolution 1. Sudden and total change
 b. Accommodation 2. Slow and gradual
 c. Competition 3. Associative
 d. Revolution 4. Dissociative
- A) a-2, b-1, c-4, d-3 B) a-2, b-3, c-4, d-1
 C) a-3, b-2, c-4, d-1 D) a-4, b-3, c-2, d-1
15. Thurston Scale is an example for:
 A) Aptitude Scale B) Social Distance Scale
 C) Attitude Scale D) None of the Above

16. Identify the true statements:
1. Formal social control is the major form of social control in modern societies
 2. There are specific officials to enforce formal social control
 3. There is no punishment for the violation of formal social control
- A) 1 & 2 only B) 3 only
 C) 1 only D) 1, 2 & 3
17. The Central Government appointed K Santhanam Committee in 1962 to recommend various measures for:
- A) Prevention of Corruption
 - B) Eradication of Illiteracy
 - C) Eradication of Unemployment
 - D) All of the above
18. Identify the true statements :
1. Mean is a method of central tendency which takes all the items in to account
 2. Mean is highly influenced by extreme items
 3. No further algebraical treatment is possible in Mean
- A) 1 only B) 3 only C) 1 & 2 only D) 1, 2 & 3
19. Which of the following statements about caste system are true?
1. A change in occupation leads to a change in one's caste
 2. Caste imposes restrictions on social interactions
 3. Caste is the only form of social stratification existing in India.
 4. Caste is an ascribed status
- A) 1, 2 and 4 only B) 1, 2 and 3 only
 C) 3 and 4 only D) 2 and 4 only
20. Chi-square is a test of-----.
- A) Significance B) Dispersion C) Deviation D) Correlation
21. Assertion (A): A t-test is a test used to compare the means of two groups
 Reason (R): A t-test is used to determine whether two sets of data are significantly different from each other or not.
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 C) A is true but R is false
 D) A is false but R is true

22. The percentage of Tribal population in India as per 2011 census is:
 A) 16.6 B) 8.6 C) 5.8 D) 12.8
23. The POCSO Act was passed in the year:
 A) 2002 B) 2008 C) 2012 D) 2005
24. In Chi-Square Test, *the degree of freedom (df)* is calculated using the formula:
 A) $(r-1) \times (c+1)$ B) $(r+1) \times (c+1)$
 C) $(r-1) \times (r+1)$ D) $(r-1) \times (c-1)$
25. The type of marriage in which a man marries the sisters of a family:
 A) Sororal Polyandry B) Fraternal Polyandry
 C) Sororate D) Polygyny
26. Exogamy is a rule of marriage which-----.
 A) Prohibits an individual marrying from within the group
 B) Allows an individual to marry from within the group
 C) Allows an individual to marry from outside the group
 D) Prohibits an individual marrying from outside the group
27. Who defined education as “the socialisation of the younger generation”?
 A) Emile Durkheim B) Karl Manheim
 C) Mahatma Gandhi D) Sigmund Freud
28. Match the following
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|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| a. Divine origin of caste system | 1. Nesfield |
| b. Occupational Theory of caste | 2. Herbert Risley |
| c. Racial Theory of caste | 3. Anti-caste |
| d. Satyasodhak Samaj | 4. Purusha sukta |
- A) a-4, b-1, c-3, d-2 B) a-1, b-2, c-3, d-4
 C) a-2, b-1, c-3, d-4 D) a-4, b-1, c-2, d-3
29. ----- is a measuring rod.
 A) Verstehen B) Ideal Type
 C) Social Action D) Sociometry
30. Identify the true statement/s about Green Revolution:
 1. It helped India to attain self sufficiency in food grains to a great extent and contributed to industrial growth.
 2. The excessive use of pesticides and chemical fertilisers had long lasting impacts upon the environment
- A) Both 1 & 2 B) 1 only
 C) 2 only D) Neither 1 nor 2

31. Which is a characteristic of dominant caste?
- Numerical strength
 - High rank in caste hierarchy
 - Economic and political power
 - All the above
32. Identify the true statement/s about reflexive sociology
- For Gouldner, knowledge is not independent of the knower and sociology is intimately bound up with the political and socio-economic context within which it exists
 - For Garfinkel, reflexivity refers to the intimate interdependence between surface appearances and the associated underlying reality
 - According to Bourdieu, the social researcher occupies a place in the social world, which is the object of study, and must therefore adopt a critical awareness of his or her own social location
- A) 1 & 3 only B) 1 only C) 1, 2 & 3 D) 2 & 3 only
33. ----- is a process of development of urban areas while ----- is the way of living of people in an urban area.
- Urbanism, Urbanisation
 - Urbanisation, Urbanism
 - Urban Development, Urbanisation
 - Urban Agglomeration, Urban way of life
34. Author of "Annihilation of Caste":
- M.N. Srinivas
 - A.R. Desai
 - B.R. Ambedkar
 - Bronislaw Malinowski
35. Assertion (A): The British rulers realised that knowledge of Indian culture and social life is indispensable for the smooth functioning of the government.
Reason (R): The colonial interests and intellectual curiosity of the western scholars led to the development of sociology in India.
- Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 - A is true but R is false
 - A is false but R is true
36. ----- regards reason as the primary source of knowledge.
- Positivism
 - Empiricism
 - Rationalism
 - Atheism

37. The Kerala model of development is characterised by:
1. High achievement in health care and education
 2. Low population growth, low infant mortality rate and high life expectancy
 3. High industrial development, higher employment and increased per capita income
- A) 1 only is true B) 1 & 2 are true
 C) 2 & 3 are true D) 1, 2 & 3 are true
38. Match the following:
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| a. People's Planning | 1. 1977 |
| b. 73 rd Amendment | 2. 1957 |
| c. Ashok Mehta Committee | 3. 1996 |
| d. Balwant Rai Mehta Committee | 4. 1992 |
- A) a-3, b-4, c-1, d-2 B) a-4, b-3, c-2, d-1
 C) a-4, b-3, c-1, d-2 D) a-3, b-4, c-2, d-1
39. Which of the following statement/s is/are true about Comte's Hierarchy of Sciences?
1. Sociology is the most complex science
 2. Mathematics is the most general science
 3. All other sciences depend upon sociology for their development
- A) 1 only B) 1 & 2 only C) 2 & 3 only D) 1, 2 & 3
40. -----research is suitable to elicit attitudes, opinions and feelings.
- A) Qualitative B) Quantitative C) Action D) All of these
41. Assertion (A): Various social legislations introduced in India contributed to the disintegration of joint families.
 Reason (R) : Women enjoy better status in matriarchal joint families.
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 C) A is true but R is false
 D) A is false but R is true
42. Outsourcing means:
- A) A business practice where a company hires the service of another company or agency for performing some of its tasks
 - B) Hiring employees from outside the country
 - C) Pooling resources from other companies and working in a collaborative manner
 - D) None of the above

43. Which of the following is/are correct about alienation, as proposed by Karl Marx
1. In capitalist society workers are alienated from their productive activity
 2. Workers are alienated from their product
 3. Workers are alienated from the capitalists
 4. Workers are alienated from their fellow workers.
- A) 1 & 2 only B) 1 & 3 only C) 2 only D) 1, 2 & 4 only
44. The worldwide agreement to stop the production of substances causing ozone-depletion:
- A) Kyoto Protocol B) Montreal Protocol
C) Rio Protocol D) Ozone Protocol
45. Which of the following is an example for Global Corporate Media?
- A) CNN B) Walt Disney
C) NBC D) All the above
46. Assertion (A): Digital divide is the gap existing between individuals who have access to modern Information and Communication Technology and those who lack access.
Reason (R): Inequality is evident between different geographic and socio-economic groups, like those who are living in urban areas and those who are living in rural areas, between less economically developed countries and more developed countries, between educated and less educated.
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
C) A is true but R is false
D) A is false but R is true
47. Author of ' Mind, Self and Society':
- A) C.H. Cooley B) G.H. Mead
C) Irving Goffman D) George Homans
48. Which of the following is **not** a characteristic of Kerala Model of Development?
- A) Increased life expectancy B) Low Infant Mortality
C) High population growth D) Low Maternal Mortality
49. Identify the correct statement/s:
1. An individual is born into a family of procreation
 2. Scarcity of women may lead to polyandry
 3. Exogamy is strictly practiced among tribal groups
- A) 2 only B) 3 only C) 1 & 3 only D) 1, 2 & 3

50. Independent variables that are not related to the purpose of the study, but may affect the dependent variable are called -----variable.
- A) Interdependent B) External
C) Extraneous D) Control
51. Match the following
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| a. Community | 1. Shared standards of behaviour |
| b. Association | 2. Dynamic |
| c. Norms | 3. Voluntary Membership |
| d. Society | 4. Territorial Group |
- A) a-2, b-1, c-3, d-4 B) a-4, b-3, c-1, d-2
C) a-1, b-2, c-4, d-3 D) a-4, b-3, c-2, d-1
52. Cultural hegemony is a concept introduced by:
- A) Jurgen Habermas B) Louis Althusser
C) Antonio Gramsci D) Pierre Bourdieu
53. Assertion (A): A pilot study is a small-scale preliminary study conducted before the actual research
Reason (R): Pilot study is conducted to test the feasibility, cost, and potential complications of a large-scale research.
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
C) A is true but R is false
D) A is false but R is true
54. State whether the following statements are true or false:
- Cultural diffusion is a process whereby elements of culture is spread from one culture to another.
 - Ethnocentrism is the practice of judging another culture based on the standards of one's own culture.
- A) 1 is true B) 2 is true
C) Both 1 & 2 are true D) Both 1 & 2 are false
55. The duality and dialectical interplay of agency and structure is illuminated in:
- A) Post structural theory B) Structuration theory
C) Deconstructionism D) Critical theory
56. Which of the following cause Climate Change?
- A) Deforestation B) Industrialisation
C) Destruction of wetlands D) All the Above

57. The Community Development Programme was launched in the year:
 A) 1956 B) 1953 C) 1962 D) 1952
58. Match the following:
 a. Champaran Movement 1. Reform Movement
 b. Aligarh Movement 2. Agrarian Movement
 c. DMK 3. Tribal Movement
 d. Naga Movement 4. Backward Class Movement
- A) a-2, b-1, c-3, d-4 B) a-4, b-3, c-1, d-2
 C) a-2, b-1, c-4, d-3 D) a-3, b-4, c-1, d-2
59. Match the following
 a. Article 17 1. Prohibiting discrimination
 b. Article 46 2. Abolishing Untouchability
 c. Article 15 3. Appointing national commission for SC/ST
 d. Article 338 4. Promoting economic and educational interests of weaker sections
- A) a-2, b-4, c-1, d-3 B) a-3, b-4, c-2, d-1
 C) a-4, b-3, c-1, d-2 D) a-2, b-4, c-3, d-1
60. The terms of reference of the Mandal Commission include:
 A) Determination of the criteria for defining the Backward Classes
 B) Steps to be taken for the advancement of the Backward Classes
 C) Desirability and provisions for the reservation of appointments for Backward Classes
 D) All the above
61. Which of the following are the disadvantages of questionnaire method?
 1. It can be administered only on literate respondents
 2. It is not possible to change the strategy once the questionnaires have been sent out, hence it is inflexible.
 3. The response rate is low and there is the chance of incomplete responses
 4. It can be administered remotely
- A) 1 & 2 only B) 4 only C) 1, 2 & 3 only D) 1, 2, 3 & 4
62. Match the following
 a. Habermas 1. Deconstruction
 b. Louis Althusser 2. Discourse
 c. Foucault 3. ISA
 d. Jacques Derrida 4. Communicative Action
- A) a-3, b-4, c-1, d-2 B) a-4, b-3, c-1, d-2
 C) a-2, b-1, c-3, d-4 D) a-4, b-3, c-2, d-1

63. Which of the following statement/s is/are true about IPCC?
1. It is an intergovernmental body under the United Nations
 2. It provides information on climate change and global warming
 3. It is headquartered at Geneva
- A) 3 only B) 1 & 2 only C) 1, 2 & 3 D) 1 & 3 only
64. State whether the following statements about Organic Analogy are true or false:
1. Both society and organism are distinguished from inorganic matter by visible growth
 2. Both in organism and society, parts are independent.
 3. In an organism, parts exist for the benefit of the whole; but in society the whole exist for the benefit of the parts.
- A) 1 is true B) 2 is true
C) 1 & 3 are true D) 1, 2 & 3 are false
65. Which of the following is an unethical practice?
1. Involving people in research without their knowledge and consent
 2. Deceiving the participant
 3. Leading research participants to commit acts that diminish their self-respect
 4. Exposing participants to mental or physical stress
- A) 1 only B) 1 & 2 only C) 3 & 4 only D) 1, 2, 3 & 4
66. Who among the following is related with *verstehen*?
- A) Emile Durkheim B) Max Weber
C) Vilfredo Pareto D) Herbert Spencer
67. The United Nations Conference on Human Environment was held in 1972 at:
- A) Rio de Janeiro B) Stockholm
C) Paris D) Kyoto
68. Match the following:
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| a. Egoistic Suicide | 1. High integration |
| b. Anomic Suicide | 2. Low integration |
| c. Fatalistic Suicide | 3. Low regulation |
| d. Altruistic Suicide | 4. High regulation |
- A) a-3, b-2, c-4, d-1 B) a-4, b-1, c-2, d-3
C) a-2, b-3, c-4, d-1 D) a-3, b-4, c-1, d-2
69. Which of the following is an Indic religion?
- A) Buddhism B) Hinduism C) Sikhism D) All of these

70. Assertion (A): For Foucault, power and knowledge are not seen as independent entities but they are inextricably related
Reason (R): Knowledge is always an exercise of power and power always is a function of knowledge.
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
C) A is true but R is false
D) A is false but R is true
71. Identify the correct statements:
1. A nominal scale helps to classify data in to different categories
 2. A ratio scale has an absolute zero
 3. An ordinal scale helps to order and rank data
- A) 1 only B) 1 & 2 only C) 3 only D) 1, 2 & 3
72. Gender Development Index was introduced in:
- A) 1996 B) 1990 C) 2005 D) 1995
73. Which of the following was a movement against industrial pollution?
- A) Chaliyar Movement B) Plachimada Movement
C) Kathikoodam Movement D) All the Above
74. Which of the following comes under the notion of sustainable development?
1. Checking environmental degradation
 2. Meeting the needs of the present and future in a balanced way
 3. Ensuring equality and participation in development
- A) 1 & 2 only B) 2 & 3 only C) 3 only D) 1, 2 & 3
75. Assertion (A): The oil boom in Gulf countries created large scale employment opportunities and attracted migrant labourers from Kerala in large number.
Reason (R): The recent developments and legal reforms in Gulf countries has created a phenomenon called return migration
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
C) A is true but R is false
D) A is false but R is true
76. Which of the statement/s is / are true ?
1. Gender Development Index measures disparities in HDI by gender
 2. Human Development report is published by UNDP
- A) 1 only B) 2 only C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2

77. Corporate Social Responsibility includes:
- Economic Responsibility
 - Philanthropic Responsibility
 - Environmental Responsibility
 - All the Above
78. Which of the following are the four basic dimensions of McDonaldization?
- Efficiency, Calculability, Predictability & Control
 - Effectiveness, Predictability, Flexibility & Technology
 - Efficiency, Flexibility, Rigidity & Control
 - Effectiveness, Flexibility, Technology & Control
79. State whether the following statements about reliability and validity are true or false:
- Reliability refers to the accuracy of a measure
 - Validity refers to the consistency of a measure
- 1 is true
 - Both 1 & 2 are true
 - 2 is true
 - Both 1 & 2 are false
80. Match the theorists with their theoretical orientations
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| a. G H Mead | 1. Functionalism |
| b. Irving Goffman | 2. Exchange Theory |
| c. Peter Blau | 3. Symbolic Interactionism |
| d. Talcott Parsons | 4. Dramaturgy |
- a-3, b-4, c-1, d-2
 - a-4, b-1, c-2, d-3
 - a-1, b-4, c-3, d-2
 - a-3, b-4, c-2, d-1
81. Which of the following are the characteristics of globalisation?
- Borderless world
 - Increased interdependence
 - Cultural diffusion
 - Increased trade restrictions
- 1 & 2 only
 - 3 only
 - 1, 2 & 3 only
 - 1, 2, 3 & 4
82. Identify the true statements:
- Loaded question is a form of complex question that contains a controversial assumption.
 - Double-barrelled question is a question containing two or more different ideas of references
 - Leading question is one that is worded in such a way as to influence the respondent to give a certain answer
- 1 & 3 only
 - 1 only
 - 2 only
 - 1, 2 & 3

83. According to Schutz, ----- is the world in which the taken-for-granted, the mundane, takes place.
- A) Public sphere B) Real world
C) Social world D) Life world
84. For Pierre Bourdieu:
1. Habitus are the mental or cognitive structures through which people deal with the social world
 2. Field is a network of relations among the objective positions within it
- A) 1 is correct B) 2 is correct
C) Both 1 & 2 are correct D) Both 1 & 2 are wrong
85. Assertion (A): Observation can be done independent of the respondents' willingness.
Reason (R): Observation can elicit information even from those who are unable to respond verbally.
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
C) A is true but R is false
D) A is false but R is true
86. People pulling out a truck from the mud is an example for:
- A) Tertiary cooperation B) Direct cooperation
C) Indirect cooperation D) Direct competition
87. Which of the following has contributed to the origin of sociology?
1. Industrial Revolution 2. Technological Revolution
 3. French Revolution 4. Scientific Revolution
- A) 1, 2 & 3 only B) 1, 3 & 4 only
C) 1, 2 & 4 only D) 2, 3 & 4 only
88. Identify the true statement/s:
1. The United Nations Conference on Environment and Development (UNCED) is also known as Earth Summit
 2. One of the important achievement of the summit was an agreement on the Climate Change Convention which in turn led to the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement.
 3. The Rio Declaration on Environment and Development was an output of the Summit.
- A) 1 & 3 only B) 1 only C) 2 only D) 1, 2 & 3

89. Which of the following are the characteristics of Associations?
1. Common interests and goals
 2. Deliberately formed
 3. Territorial group
 4. No fixed rules and regulations
- A) 1, 2 & 3 only B) 1 & 2 only
 C) 3 & 4 only D) 1, 2, 3 & 4
90. Author of “The Stages of Economic Growth” :
- A) Amartya Sen B) WW Rostow
 C) Immanuel Wallerstein D) Mahboobul Haq
91. Identify the true statements:
1. Multinational Companies have global distribution and management system.
 2. MNCs operate in a single country and they have no branches in other countries
 3. MNCs are capable of influencing governmental decisions and policies
 4. MNCs contribute to cultural globalisation
- A) 1 & 2 only B) 2, 3 & 4 only
 C) 1, 3 & 4 only D) 1, 2, 3 & 4
92. Dependency theory proposes that:
1. Resources flow from the “core” of wealthy states to the "periphery" of poor and under developed states.
 2. Poor nations provide natural resources, cheap labour, a destination for obsolete technology, and markets for developed nations.
- A) 1 is true B) 2 is true
 C) Both 1 & 2 are true D) Both 1 & 2 are false
93. Author of “Culture and Imperialism”:
- A) Fukuyama B) Edward W. Said
 C) Jean Baudrillard D) Theodore Adorno
94. Which of the following languages were added to the 8th schedule of the constitution in 2003?
- A) Bodo, Dogri, Maithili, and Santhali
 B) Konkani, Nepali, Manipuri and Santhali
 C) Sindhi, Konkani, Manipuri and Nepali
 D) Assamese, Bengali, Oriya and Marathi

95. State whether the following statements are true or false:
1. Development induced displacement occurs when people are forced to leave their home for developmental activities
 2. Development induced displacement severely affects the poor and marginalised sections of society
- A) 1 is true B) 2 is true
 C) Both 1 & 2 are true D) Both 1 & 2 are false
96. Which of the following are the three components of HDI?
- A) Education, Life Expectancy, Percapita Income
 - B) Percapita Income, Sex Ratio, Dependency Rate
 - C) Education, Life Expectancy, GDP
 - D) Literacy, Life Expectancy, Sustainable Development
97. Which of the following is **not** an associative social process?
- A) Cooperation B) Conflict
 - C) Assimilation D) Accommodation
98. Assertion (A): The States Reorganization Act 1956 reorganised Indian states along with linguistic lines.
 Reason (R) : Article 343 of the Constitution recognises Hindi in Devannagari script as the official language of the country.
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 - C) A is true but R is false
 - D) A is false but R is true
99. Who among the following is **not** a functionalist theorist?
- A) R K Merton B) Talcott Parsons
 - C) Radcliff Brown D) Alfred Schutz
100. Which of the following statement/s is/are true about Secularism in India?
1. The constitution does not recognise India as a secular state
 2. Secularism means separation of religion from social, political, economic and cultural life
 3. Secularism implies the dissociation of state from religion
 4. Secularism ensures special provisions for the majority religion
- A) 2 & 3 only B) 3 & 4 only C) 1, 2 & 4 only D) 1, 2, 3 & 4
101. When two or more states or regions, who are sharing a common interest, work together to promote their regional autonomy and local agenda, it is called:
- A) Interstate regionalism B) Intra state Regionalism
 - C) Supra-state regionalism D) None of the above

102. Match the following
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| a. Modernisation Theory | 1. Mahatma Gandhi |
| b. Alternative Development | 2. Immanuel Wallerstein |
| c. World System Theory | 3. Samir Amin |
| d. Dependency Theory | 4. W W Rostow |
- A) a-4, b-1, c-3, d-2 B) a-1, b-4, c-2, d-3
 C) a-1, b-3, c-2, d-4 D) a-4, b-1, c-2, d-3
103. Identify the correct statement/s:
- Sex ratio has increased from 933 females per thousand males in 2001 to 943 females per thousand males in 2011
 - Kerala is the only state where men outnumber women, as per the 2011 census
 - Female infanticide is a major reason for decreasing number of females
- A) 1 only B) 3 only C) 1 & 3 only D) 1, 2 & 3
104. ----- is a quantitative change.
- A) Evolution B) Progress C) Growth D) Development
105. Assertion (A): Net neutrality refers to the principle that Internet Service Providers must treat all the content, sites and platforms in a nondiscriminatory manner.
 Reason (R): It is the principle that an ISP has to provide access to all sites, content and applications at the same speed, under the same conditions without blocking or giving preference to any content
- A) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 B) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 C) A is true but R is false
 D) A is false but R is true
106. Match the following
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| a. Indology | 1. BR Ambedkar |
| b. Structural Functional | 2. AR Desai |
| c. Marxian | 3. Luis Dumont |
| d. Subaltern | 4. MN Srinivas |
- A) a-4, b-2, c-3, d-1 B) a-3, b-4, c-2, d-1
 C) a-4, b-3, c-1, d-2 D) a-3, b-4, c-1, d-2
107. The term conspicuous consumption was coined by:
- A) Thorstein Veblen B) Michal Foucault
 C) Francis Fukuyama D) WW Rostow

108. Match the following stages of demographic transition with their characteristics:
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| a. Stage 1 | 1. High birth rate and falling death rate |
| b. Stage 2 | 2. High birth and death rate |
| c. Stage 3 | 3. Low birth rate and low death rate |
| d. Stage 4 | 4. Falling birth rate and falling death rate |
- A) a-2, b-1, c-3, d-4 B) a-4, b-3, c-1, d-2
C) a-3, b-4, c-2, d-1 D) a-2, b-1, c-4, d-3
109. Which of the following statement/s is/are true about Industrial Pollution?
- Lack of effective policies and regulations and failure in the effective implementation of policies contribute to industrial pollution.
 - Most of the companies rely on most modern technologies for production and thus cause no pollution
- A) 1 only B) 2 only
C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2
110. Which of the following statement/s is/are true about Community Development Programme?
- The Community Development Programme was launched on October 2, 1952
 - It aimed at achieving substantial agricultural production and considerable progress in the sphere of communication, rural health and rural education
- A) 1 only B) 2 only
C) Both 1 & 2 D) Neither 1 nor 2
111. According to Gramsci, hegemony is:
- The cultural leadership exercised by the ruling class
 - The political leadership exercised by the ruling class
 - The domination of material structures over social structures
 - The dialectical relationship between antagonistic classes
112. Assertion (A): For Parsons, a function is a complex of activities directed towards meeting a need or needs of the system.
Reason (R) : Four functional imperatives- adaptation, goal attainment, integration and latency- are necessary for all systems.
- Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 - A is true but R is false
 - A is false but R is true

113. While selecting a research problem, the researcher should consider:
- The feasibility of the problem
 - The availability of data
 - The relevance of the topic
 - All the above
114. Match the following
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| a. Emic Perspective | 1. Quantitative |
| b. Etic Perspective | 2. Qualitative |
| c. Ethnography | 3. Outsider's view |
| d. Social Survey | 4. Insider's view |
- A) a-4, b-1, c-3, d-2 B) a-4, b-3, c-2, d-1
 C) a-1, b-4, c-3, d-2 D) a-4, b-3, c-1, d-2
115. Which of the following statement/s is/are true about the 73rd Constitutional Amendment?
- The Act provides for reservation of seats in PRIs for women, transgender, SCs, STs and OBCs
 - As per the Act the basic unit of democratic system in villages is gramasabha
 - The Act provides for an independent Election Commission in each state for the conduct of election to the PRIs
- A) 1 only B) 1 & 2 only C) 2 & 3 only D) 1, 2 & 3
116. The purpose of literature review is:
- To identify areas of prior scholarship to prevent duplication of effort
 - To identify the gap in research
 - To understand the ways and methods used by other researchers
 - All the above
117. The concept McDonaldization was introduced by:
- George Ritzer
 - Adam Smith
 - Andre Gunder Frank
 - Samir Amin
118. Assertion (A): Achieving complete objectivity in social science is very difficult.
 Reason (R): Social scientists are part of society and their judgements are subjective and guided by researchers' own experience.
- Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 - A is true but R is false
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