# **ISC SEMESTER 2 EXAMINATION SPECIMEN QUESTION PAPER SOCIOLOGY**

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Maximum Marks: 35

Time allowed: One and a half hour

(Candidates are allowed additional 10 minutes for only reading the paper.

They must **NOT** start writing during this time.)

Answer all questions in Section A, Section B and Section C.

The intended marks for questions or parts of questions are given in brackets. [] \_\_\_\_\_

## **SECTION A – 7 MARKS**

#### **Question 1**

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(i)	What is the full form of IRDP?		[1]
(ii)	The process of enables low caste members to imitate Brahmins and move up in the caste hierarchy.		[1]
(iii)		was the practice of killing the unborn female child.	[1]
(iv)	A ce	ntre for imparting education and culture to young tribals is called:	[1]
	(a)	High school	
	(b)	Dormitory	
	(c)	College	
	(d)	Bal Panchayat	
(v)	Society's expectations from a woman to take on domestic responsibilities from an early age is a part of conditioning.		[1]
	(a)	Biological	
	(b)	Socio-cultural	
	(c)	Political	
	(d)	Rural	
(vi)	Write the full form of RTI.		[1]

(vii)	What is the mode of communication that reaches a large section of the population at the same time called?	[1]	
	<b>SECTION B – 12 MARKS</b>		
Ansv	wer the following questions briefly.		
Que	stion 2	[2]	
Men	tion two Constitutional measures necessary for the upliftment of tribes in India.		
Que	stion 3	[2]	
	storical Hindu practice which was initially voluntary for a widow led to the adation in the status of women in India. Define this system which is now banned.		
Que	stion 4	[2]	
State	e any two advantages of the Mass Media.		
Que	Question 5		
Brief	fly explain the term Sustainable Development.		
Que	Question 6		
Wha	t is meant by the term <i>Class</i> ?		
Que	Question 7		
(i)	What is meant by the term <i>Regionalism</i> ?		
	OR		
(ii)	What is meant by the term <i>Separatism</i> ?		
	<b>SECTION C – 16 MARKS</b>		
Que	stion 8	[4]	
(i)	Briefly discuss any four economic problems of tribes in India.		
	OR		
(ii)	Briefly discuss any four socio cultural problems of tribes in India.		
Que	Question 9		

Describe *four* characteristics of class.

### **Question 10**

With reference to the caste system, discuss the Divine Origin theory

## Question 11

Education is considered to be the most powerful weapon that can be used to change the world.

Explain by giving *any four* functions of education.

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