

**MSW-003**

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**MASTER'S DEGREE IN SOCIAL WORK (MSW)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2009**

**MSW-003 : SOCIAL SCIENCE CONCEPTS FOR  
SOCIAL WORKERS**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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- Note :** (i) *Answer all the five questions.*  
(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*  
(iii) *Answers to questions 1 and 2 should not exceed 800 words each.*
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1. Discuss the relation of social work with other disciplines. 20

**OR**

- Define social groups. Explain the various types of groups in the society. 20

2. What is social change ? Explain the major factors of social change. 20

**OR**

- Describe some of the important theories of personality development. 20

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3. Answer *any two* of the following questions in about **400** words each :

- (a) What do you understand by motivation ? **10**  
State the relevance of motivation in social work practice.
- (b) Briefly describe five main defence **10**  
mechanisms with examples.
- (c) Enumerate the various features of early **10**  
childhood and late childhood stages.
- (d) Define marriage. What are the needs of an **10**  
individual and the society that the  
institution of marriage fulfils ?

4. Answer *any four* of the following questions in about **200** words each :

- (a) Briefly discuss changing roles between **5**  
marriage partners in contemporary family.
- (b) Narrate the scope of social work **5**  
intervention with families.
- (c) Mention the components of family **5**  
enrichment programme.
- (d) What are the impacts of divorce and **5**  
separation on an individual ?
- (e) Write a short note on violence among **5**  
adolescents.
- (f) Suggest how prejudice can be changed. **5**

5. Write short notes on *any five* of the following questions in about **100** words each :

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| (a) Features of caste system           | 4 |
| (b) Role reciprocity                   | 4 |
| (c) Socialisation                      | 4 |
| (d) Conventional social work education | 4 |
| (e) Leadership styles theory           | 4 |
| (f) Attitude change                    | 4 |
| (g) Sexual minorities                  | 4 |
| (h) Social control                     | 4 |

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