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AS GCE SOCIOLOGY

G672/01 Topics in Socialisation, Culture and Identity

Candidates answer on the Answer Booklet.

OCR supplied materials:

- 12 page Answer Booklet (OCR12)
(sent with general stationery)

Other materials required:

None

Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes



INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided on the front of the answer booklet. Please write clearly and in capital letters.
- Use black ink. HB pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Write your answer to each question on the lined pages in the answer booklet. The question numbers **must** be clearly shown.
- Answer **any two** of the eight questions.
- You may choose 2 questions from the same option **or** 1 question from each of two different options.
- Each question has **two** parts.
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for each question is **50**.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **100**.
- This document consists of **4** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

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You may choose 2 questions from the same option or 1 question from each of two different options.

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OPTION 1

Sociology of the Family

- 1 (a) Identify and explain **two** reasons why cohabitation has become a popular choice. [17]
- (b) Outline and evaluate the functionalist view that men and women should have separate responsibilities within the family. [33]

[Total: 50 Marks]

- 2 (a) Identify and explain **two** ways the family supports capitalism. [17]
- (b) Outline and evaluate sociological views on the extent of family diversity in the contemporary UK. [33]

[Total: 50 Marks]

OPTION 2

Sociology of Health

- 3 (a) Identify and explain **two** definitions of disability. [17]
- (b) Outline and evaluate the view that medical professionals serve the interests of the ruling class. [33]

[Total: 50 Marks]

- 4 (a) Identify and explain **two** factors in the social process of becoming ill. [17]
- (b) Outline and evaluate sociological explanations of the relationship between health inequalities and ethnicity. [33]

[Total: 50 Marks]

OPTION 3**Sociology of Religion**

5 (a) Identify and explain **two** reasons why it is difficult to measure religiosity. [17]

(b) Outline and evaluate the view that religiosity is related to social class. [33]

[Total: 50 Marks]

6 (a) Identify and explain **two** reasons for the appeal of New Religious Movements. [17]

(b) Outline and evaluate sociological views on the strength of religion in society. [33]

[Total: 50 Marks]

OPTION 4**Sociology of Youth**

7 (a) Identify and explain **two** ways that pupils' experience of education is related to gender. [17]

(b) Outline and evaluate the importance of ethnicity in youth subcultures. [33]

[Total: 50 Marks]

8 (a) Identify and explain **two** ways that the economy is important in the social construction of youth. [17]

(b) Outline and evaluate Marxist views on youth deviance. [33]

[Total: 50 Marks]

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