

Tripura Board of Secondary Education
Syllabus
(Effective from 2015)

Subject -Sociology
(Class XII)

**SYLLABUS
SOCIOLOGY
COURSE STRUCTURE
CLASS-XII**

One Paper

Time: 3 Hours

Mark: 90

Unit	Title	Marks
I.	Indian Society : Structure and Processes	15
II.	Origin and Development of Sociology in India	09
III.	Rural and Urban Society	11
IV.	Indian Social Institutions : Continuity and Change	25
V.	Contemporary Social Issues	30
	Project	10
		Total : 100

UNIT-I : Indian Society : Structure and Processes (Periods-30)

- (a) Society in Pre-British India-Varna System, Chaturashrama, Self Sufficient village economy, Nature of Social Classes.
- (b) British rule and its impact on Society.
- (c) Processes of Social Change -Sanskritization, Westernization, Modernization, Secularization, Globalization.

Unit-II : Origin and Development of Sociology in India (Periods-15)

- (a) Development of Sociology as a discipline.
- (b) Different Perspectives in studying Indian Society- Indological, Historical, Dialectical and Subaltern.

Unit- III: Rural and Urban Society (periods-25)

- (a) Village and Village Community - Concept, features, Agrarian Social Structure and Classes, Changes in Village life.
- (b) Urban Community - Concept, features and Urban class structure.

Unit-IV: Indian Social Institutions : Continuity and Changes (period-45)

- (a) Family - Joint Family, Changes in Structure and functions of family.
- (b) Caste and Tribe- Concept and Features, Concept of Dominant Caste, Jajmani System, Changes in Caste System, Changes in Tribal Society, Caste-Class Continuum.
- (c) Religion-Viwes of Vivekananda and Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, and Religion in the Present day Society.
- (d) Education- Role of Eduction in Modernization and Social Change.

Unit-V : Contemporary Social Issues (Periods-50)

- (a) Population Poverty, Illiteracy and Unemployment - Concepts and their interrelations, Consequences and Remedies.
- (b) Communalism, Regionalism, Terrorism - Concept, Causes and Consequences.
- (c) Corruption- Concept and Remidal Measures.

- (d) Women - Changing Status of Women in India, Violence against Women.
 (e) Environment - Concept, Relation with Society, Environmental Problems.
 (f) Mass-Media :- Concept, Influence of Mass-Media in Social Life.

Project (Periods-15)

Suggested Areas-

- (I) Impact of Mobile phone on Social Relationships.
 (II) Role of NGO's in Developmental Activities.
 (III) Problems of Working Women.
 (IV) Role of Forest Resources in Social Life.
 (V) Impact of Modernization on youth.
 (VI) Problem of Child Labour.
 (VII) Problem of Dowry
 (VIII) Problems of Marginalised Section.
 (IX) Issues on Health and Sanitation.
 (X) Any other relevant areas based on Syllabus.

SOCIOLOGY CLASS XII
Unit Wise Question Type With Marks Distribution

Unit	Title	MCQ/Object 1 Mark	S.A. 3 Marks	L.A-1 5 Marks	L.A-II 6 Marks	Total Marks
1.	Indian Society: Structure and Processes.	3	2	-	1	15
II.	Origin and Development of Sociology in India.	1	1	1	-	09
III.	Rural and Urban Society.	-	2	1	-	11
IV.	Indian Social Institutions: Continuity and Change.	2	2	1	2	25
V.	Contemporary Social Issue.	4	3	1	2	30
	Project: File -02 Written - 06 Viva - 02					10
	Total Number of Questions :	4+6 =10	10	4	5	
	Total Marks :					100

N.B:-

- 1) Internal Choice -There is no overall choice in the paper. However, there is an internal choice in two (02) questions of 5 marks weightage and two (02) questions of 6 marks weightage.
- 2) In S.A. , LA-I, L.A-II types, total allotted marks in each may be sub-divided, if necessary.
- 3) Questions should be set covering each unit.