

AGA KHAN UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION BOARD
HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL CERTIFICATE
CLASS XII
MODEL EXAMINATION PAPER 2023 AND ONWARDS
Sociology Paper II
Time: 1 hour 30 minutes Marks: 50

INSTRUCTIONS

Please read the following instructions carefully.

1. Check your name and school information. Sign if it is accurate.

I agree that this is my name and school.
Candidate's Signature

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2. There are TEN questions. Answer ALL questions. Questions 9 & 10 each offer TWO choices. Attempt any ONE choice from each.
3. When answering the questions:

Read each question carefully.
Use a black pointer to write your answers. DO NOT write your answers in pencil.
Use a black pencil for diagrams. DO NOT use coloured pencils.
DO NOT use staples, paper clips, glue, correcting fluid or ink erasers.
Complete your answer in the allocated space only. DO NOT write outside the answer box.
4. The marks for the questions are shown in brackets ().

Q.1. (Total 4 Marks)

Mention any FOUR characteristics of social institutions.

Q.2. (Total 4 Marks)

Discuss any TWO practices that are responsible for causing deviance in a society.

Note: The practices need to be specific in nature and not general.

Q.3.

(Total 4 Marks)

How does positive man-made environment impact social life?

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

Q.4.

(Total 4 Marks)

What are any TWO factors that create resistance to social change in Pakistan? Justify your answer with the help of TWO examples.

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Q.5. (Total 3 Marks)

Describe any THREE possible causes of low female literacy rate in Pakistan.

Q.6. (Total 3 Marks)

Suggest any THREE steps that can be taken by the government of Pakistan to improve the literacy rate in Pakistan.

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Q.7.

(Total 4 Marks)

Khurram is conducting inductive research on children's behaviour towards differentiated teaching methods. He has already performed the preliminary tasks such as asking for permission and development of tool(s).

With reference to the given scenario, mention the sequence of FOUR essential steps of inductive research that Khurram needs to fulfil.

Q.8.

(Total 4 Marks)

Describe at least FOUR significant points of using a questionnaire for the data collection process.

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Q.9. (Total 10 Marks)

- a. How each of the following values of Islam help in fostering social control in a society?
- i. Honesty (2 Marks)
 - ii. Justice (2 Marks)
 - iii. Respect for others (2 Marks)
 - iv. Equality (2 Marks)
 - v. Accountability (2 Marks)

OR

- b. Imagine you are living in a deserted area.
- Analyse the effects of your environment on each of the given aspects of your life:
- i. Food (2 Marks)
 - ii. Attitude (2 Marks)
 - iii. Dressing (2 Marks)
 - iv. Skin colour (2 Marks)
 - v. Economic activities (2 Marks)

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Q.10.

(Total 10 Marks)

- a. Pakistan has not been able to achieve the status of self-sufficiency towards its grain production because the introduction of mechanisation and use of high yielding varieties of seed was not welcomed by many farmers in Pakistan.

Assess any FIVE reasons that made farmers to resist the given change introduced in the agricultural sector of Pakistan.

OR

- b. Suggest and discuss FIVE ways through which gender biasness can be reduced at a workplace.

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