

QUESTION BANK

SOCIOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVES IN EDUCATION

Long Questions

- Discuss the relationship between sociology and education
- What do you understand by sociology of education? Point out its scope.
- What do you mean by culture? Discuss its relationship with education.
- Discuss the types and characteristics of culture.
- Discuss the influence of culture on education.
- What is educational sociology? How are educational sociology and sociology of education dependent on each other?
- Throw light on the influence of education on culture.
- What do you mean by culture? Explain its characteristics.
- Differentiate between acculturation and enculturation.
- Explain the functionalism as an approach of sociology?
- What do you mean by culture? How does it affects education
- Discuss in detail social stratification in India?
- Explain in detail religious stratification in India.
- Define propaganda. How propaganda affects culture?
- Explain with examples how propaganda affects culture of a country.
- What is the meaning of caste in Indian context? How education has affected it in India? Give examples.
- What are the types of social stratification in India?
- Describe the social and natural inequalities. How do they differ from each other?
- What is the meaning of inequality? Discuss the access and opportunity for education in the context of India.
- Explain the term sustainable development. What is the role of education in sustainable development?
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- Discuss 'learning to live together' keeping in view the demand of 21st century.
- Explain in detail all the four pillars of learning?
- What do you know about Delor's education commission (1996)? How the commission has described the changes in the education scenario of the contemporary times? Explain.
- What is the need of Equalization of opportunities? Give the factors responsible for inequalities, especially in the field of Indian Education.
- Explain universal access to education .What are the consequences of inequality in education in India
- Explain the role of teacher in sustainable development.

- Define sustainable development. What is its importance in the present world? Explain with examples.
- Discuss the principles of sustainable development.
- What changes will you recommend in curriculum for sustainable development?
- What is the role and goals of education described by Delor's commission keeping in view the education for 21st century?
- Describe the meaning, skill, competencies and benefits of 'Learning to Do' pillar of Delor's commission(1996)
- What is propaganda? How propaganda effect culture? Explain with examples.
- What is the meaning of religious stratification? Explain by giving examples from Indian social structure.
- How education is affected by social class and vice -versa, in India?
- Describe the social and natural inequalities. How they differ from each other?
- Define gender. How it is different from sex? Discuss the gender discrimination in regard to Indian scenario?
- What is the meaning of caste in Indian context? How education has affected it in India? Give examples.
- What is the scope of sociology of Education?
- What is conflict approach to sociology? Discuss the main features of conflict theory.
- What is functionalism? According to Durkheim, what are the functions of education?
- Present a comparative study of the main approaches to sociology of education.
- Explain the meaning and main features symbolic interactionism. Approach to sociology of education.
- How religion is helpful in imparting education in India? Describe some shortcomings of education imparted by the schools run by religious bodies.
- Describe the various kinds of social injustice to which Indian women have traditionally been subjected. What help education can give in this direction?
- Describe the social and natural inequalities. How they differ from each other.
- Define sustainable development. Write importance of sustainable development.
- Why UNESCO constituted the Delor's commission? Give its important features.
- Discuss ' Learning To Live Together' in keeping in view the demands of 21st century.
- Why UNESCO constituted the Delor's commission? Give its important features.

SHORT QUESTIONS

- Functionalist approach
- Characteristics of culture
- Importance of sustainable development

- Four pillars of education
- Suggestions to remove educational inequality
- Gender discrimination in society
- Religious stratification of India
- Limitations of sustainable development
- Conflict approach
- 21st century education
- Learning to be
- Learning to live together
- Sociology of education
- Educational sociology