

**Department of Sociology**  
**Directorate of Distance Education**  
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**MA SOCIOLOGY – I YEAR I SEMESTER ASSIGNMENTS – 2020**  
**(Semester Pattern)**

**(FOR 20C BATCH ONWARDS.....)**

**Introduction to Sociology:**

**Assignments Topics:**

1. Write an essay on Individual and society. (10 Marks)
2. Define family and discuss its various forms and functions. (10 Marks)
3. How morality brings about social control. (5 Marks)

**Sociological Theories:**

1. Explain the theory of functionalism. (10 Marks)
2. Briefly speak about theory of class struggle. (10 Marks)
3. What is the concept of Alienation. (5 Marks)

**Research Methods in Sociology:**

1. Brief different kind of Research design.(10 Marks)
2. Elaborately discuss about sampling and its Techniques.(10 Marks)
3. Explain case study. (5 Marks)

**Study of Indian Society:**

1. Elaborate Theories of origin of caste. (10 Marks)
2. Explain untouchability and efforts taken to eradicate it. (10 Marks)
3. Explain the concept of sanskritization. (5 Marks)