

KERALA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY

B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture 2015 & Previous Admissions (New Scheme)

1st Semester Re- Examination-May- 2017

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Marks: 50

Title: Sociology and Psychology as applied to Agricultural Extension(2+0)

Time : 2 hours

I. A) Fill in the blanks:

(10 x 1=10)

1. The ability of an individual to influence others is called as -----
2. A group of people in more or less permanent association and feel they belong together is called as -----

B) Choose the correct answer:

3. Family is an example for
a) Vertical group b) Primary group c) Voluntary group d) Locality group
4. Village is characterized by
a) Dependency b) Closeness c) Togetherness d) Isolation

C) State True/False:

5. The scope of rural sociology is accumulation of sociological knowledge and uses it for solving the age old problems of rural society.
6. Culture reflects a portion of the life of an individual which refers to totality of what is learnt by the individual.

D) Match the following:

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| 7. Mores | A. Prescribed form of behavior |
| 8. Taboos | B. Expected form of behavior |
| 9. Folkways | C. Accepted ways of behavior which are rigidly enforced |
| 10. Ritual | D. Prohibitions type of behavior |

II. Write short notes/answers on ANY FIVE:

(5 x 2=10)

1. Briefly explain the factors considered in formation of social groups.
2. Explain any five qualities of leadership.
3. Explain the role of motivation in agricultural extension.
4. Classify and briefly explain the characteristics of any three leaders.
5. Explain briefly types of competition.
6. Briefly explain about the folkways.
7. Explain the role of personality in agricultural extension.

III Write answers on ANY FIVE:

(5 x 4=20)

1. Briefly explain the factors influencing the social change.
2. Differentiate between rural and urban society.
3. Briefly describe forms of social process.
4. Differentiate between caste and class system.

5. Describe the advantages of using local leaders in agricultural extension.
6. Write the scope and importance of educational psychology in agricultural extension.
7. Describe the factors effecting the intelligence.

IV. Write essay on any ONE

(1 x 10=10)

1. Explain the principles of adult learning and its implication in teaching.
2. Explain in detail the functions of social institutions prevailing in rural society. e
