

SUBJECT: SOCIOLOGY

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QUESTION 1

Importance of historical context:

- Historical context means history of something, or the background of something. history helps us understand things better.
- Historical context is very important in order to understand society. because we cannot give conclusion about a specific problem unless we know the background or the history of that problem.
- When it comes to the sociological structures, we always include historical context because if we want to understand the intensity of the situation we must get to the root of that problem.
- historical context helps us understand how society, technology and government worked back then and how it works now. it helps us

understand what motivated people to behave as they did.

- Therefore before treating a patient, the doctor always focus on the history of that patient. for example while dealing with a person suffering from mental health issues it is important to look at the historical context or the past events occurring in the life of person which will help the doctor better understand the intensity of situation and will enable him to treat the patient accordingly.

QUESTION 2

CONFLICT APPROACH.

A theory presented by Karl Marx that points out the unequal distribution of opportunities and resources in the society and its affect on people of society.

- As our society is divided into two groups i.e, the poor ones and the rich ones
- Both of these groups compete with one another in order to get the basic resources and power.
- What happens is that the poor lack behind whereas the rich ones get all the power and access to modern education, better health care ,

better jobs , better lifestyle and consequently better amount of self confidence and authority over all.

Problems during lockdown:

As due to the covid-19 outbreak the government have implemented lockdown all around the country. Now in our society there are two complete different phases that shows the survival of people during this lockdown.

The problems people are facing according to the conflict approach are:

- The two groups of our society are facing certain specific problems.

Financial problems:

- Most of our society consist of the people who feed their family on the basis of daily wages such as the labourer , peons, mechanics etc. There lifes depends upon their daily duties and due to lockdown they cannot go to work and its getting difficult for them to earn and feed their family. Hence they are starting to get out of their houses not caring about their health and the virus. they need to find a way to stay alive.

- On the other hand the rich groups do not face such problem because of their countless wealth saved in banks and lockers they don't need to worry about what their children will eat. they can always order anything at home.

The healthcare issues:

- The other basic problem is of health, first the poor people who if get sick or infected with the virus cannot test it because the corona virus test is expensive for them on the other hand the rich ones can easily buy medicins,can avail better treatment and are at low risk of any sort of infection.
- Also those people who have to take weekly checkups from docters have to wait and sit in the OPDs in the government hospitals whereas the rich ones can easily go to the private hospitals and can get their checkups or they can even go to the docters house because of the power they have.

Educational problem:

- Due to lockdown the schools, colleges and universities are also closed and therefore this is a loss of time for all the students,now inorder to

cope with this loss the government and many institutions have started online classes but the problem is that not everyone has internet facility.

- The rich kids can easily attend the lectures , understand it but on the other hand those who cannot afford the internet facilities are facing difficulties.
- Also not everyone goes to prestigious universities and colleges. a large number of people in our society are the students of government schools and colleges who don't even care about the time waste.

Mental health issues:

- Also this lockdown has not only brought financial , educational and health issues but also it has developed the mental health issues.
- While a rich person has many jobs to do at homes like watching movies , using social media etc the poor ones are locked down with frustration, depression, tension, anxiety and also boredom.

conclusion:

- Therefore conflict arises when how a certain

group of society is not even affected by the lockdown whereas the lives of certain other group of society are completely stopped and turned upside down.

QUESTION 3:

SOCIAL MEDIA An influential agent of socialization:

- Social media is the most influential agent of socialization particularly television, internet ,mobile phones etc
- It not only transmits information and messages but it also influence the personality of a person to a great extent.
- It helps a person to keep the norms and values alive or change them
- Social media tend to implement new lifestyle. people tend to follow and copy the new trend.
- it is the influence of social media that has changed our society and the thinking in a good way also in a bad way.
- Social media plays an important role in spreading awareness among the people but also it creates

many new traditions and norms due to which people forget the old values ,culture and the real traditions.

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