

WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY

B.A./B.Sc. Honours 5th Semester Examination, 2020, held in 2021

HMDADSE03T-HUMAN DEVELOPMENT (DSE1/2)

THE ELEMENTS OF RURAL ECONOMICS AND RURAL SOCIOLOGY

Time Allotted: 2 Hours Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate marks of question.

Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.

1. Answer any *five* questions from the following:

 $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (a) What is rural sociology?
- (b) Types of farming.
- (c) Define poverty.
- (d) What is cooperative farming?
- (e) What is rural credit?
- (f) Any two scopes of rural economics.
- (g) Define family.
- 2. Answer any *two* questions from the following:

 $5 \times 2 = 10$

- (a) Discuss the concept of rural sociology.
- (b) Write about the main features of India's rural sector.
- (c) Describe the social class in India.
- 3. Answer any *two* questions from the following:

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- (a) Write about the role of women in farm management and agriculture.
- (b) Discuss the poverty alleviation programmes in India.
- (c) Write about the nature of Indian caste system.
 - **N.B.:** Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.

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