1. Describe the three stages of human society as identified by August Comte.

2. How would you explain the survival of the fittest principle in Sociology?

3. “Suicide is an individual act, Suicide rate is not”. Justify the statement with suitable explanation.

4. Comment on the contribution of Max Weber in development of Sociology.

5. Describe the evolution of department of sociology in the west in the hierarchical and ascendancy order from 1892 to 1960. One example is given as:
6. If you are asked to explain the growth of sociology in India in different major phases, how many phases will you choose to describe them? Please briefly explain these phases.

7. Assess the contribution of S.C. Roy and G.S. Ghurye with regard to development of Sociology in India.

8. Critically analyse the works of any two sociologists, whose village studies immensely contributed in expansion of Sociology as a discipline in India.

9. Write the works of any two Indian Sociologists who have studied the tribes in details in post-independence period.

10. Do you think that the popularity of sociology and social anthropology grew just after independence due to the planned development in India”. Support your answer with valid arguments.
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