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**UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL**

B.A. Honours 4th Semester Examination, 2023

**GE2-P2-SOCIOLOGY**

**POPULATION AND SOCIETY**

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

**GROUP-A**

**Answer any *two* of the following questions**

12×2 = 24

1. Define social demography. Discuss the relationship between Sociology and Demography. 4+8
2. Discuss in brief the Marxian theory of population. 12
3. Briefly analyse the recent causes for declining mortality in India. 12
4. Discuss the National Population Policy, 2000. 12

**GROUP-B**

**Answer any *four* of the following questions**

6×4 = 24

5. Explain the scope of social demography. 6
6. Write a note on the Neo-Marxian theory of population. 6
7. Discuss the changing age and sex structure of Indian population. 6
8. Define fertility. Trace the relation between education and fertility. 2+4
9. Explain the consequences of population explosion. 6
10. Discuss the relation between population and social development. 6

**GROUP-C**

11. Define/Explain any *four* of the following:

3×4 = 12

- (a) Vital Statistics
- (b) Crude Birth Rate
- (c) Fecundity
- (d) Neo-natal mortality
- (e) Sex-bias
- (f) Family planning.

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