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1. When the members of each group, judge all other groups by the standards of their own group, it is termed as:
 - a. ethnicity
 - b. ethnocentrism
 - c. ethnic group
 - d. ethnography
2. Aspirations for improvement in castestatus are common but it is not achieved unless a caste acquires:
 - a. ritual purity
 - b. group acceptance
 - c. power and privilege
 - d. official connections
3. Select the correct sequence of the given four stages through which a social movement progresses:
 - a. Popular excitement-Formalisation-Institutionalization-Social unrest
 - b. Formalization-Social unrest-Popular excitement-Institutionalization
 - c. Institutionalization-Formalisation-Popular excitement-Social unrest
 - d. Social unrest-Popular excitement-Formalisation-Institutionalization
4. Consider the following statements: Social change basically originates from:
 - a. discovery
 - b. religion
 - c. inventions
 - d. cultural traits

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- a. 1 and 2

- b. 3 and 4
 - c. 1 and 3
 - d. 2 and 4
5. A development of evolution in a direction which satisfies rational criterion of value is also known as:
- a. development
 - b. evolution
 - c. progress
 - d. revolution
6. By virtue of the Constitution (Sixty Fifth Amendment) Act 1990, the 'special officer' post under Article 338 of the Constitution has been substituted by
- a. National Board for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes
 - b. National Commission for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes
 - c. National Council for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes
 - d. National Committee for Scheduled
Castes and Scheduled Tribes
7. Assertion (A) It is desirable to distinguish between the normative pattern and the social systems to which it applies. Reason (R) : Particular social system may not conform to the normative pattern in all respects.
- a. Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - b. Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 - c. A is true but R is false
 - d. A is false But R is true
8. ◦ **Assertion (A)** : The socialized individual never goes against the values of the society.
- **Reason (R)** : Socialization makes the individual learn to conform to the norms of the society.
- a. Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A
 - b. Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
 - c. A is true but R is false
 - d. A is false But R is true

9. ◦ **Assertion (A)** : In a rank society, members have equal access to economic resources but unequal access to prestige.
- **Reason (R)** : The value of wealth is the prestige gained by giving it away rather than the prestige gained by having it.
- a. Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A
- b. Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
- c. A is true but R is false
- d. A is false But R is true
10. ◦ **Assertion (A)** : Caste is nothing more than the systematization of occupational differentiation.
- **Reason (R)** : The hereditary association of a caste with an occupation is striking.
- a. Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A
- b. Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
- c. A is true but R is false
- d. A is false But R is true
11. ◦ **Assertion (A)** : Cultural conditions determine the economic behaviour in a society.
- **Reason (R)** : Economic behaviour is resultant of the political needs of a society.
- a. Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A
- b. Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
- c. A is true but R is false
- d. A is false But R is true
12. ◦ **Assertion (A)** : A capitalist system encourages market economy.
- **Reason (R)** : Capitalist system is a global choice.
- a. Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A
- b. Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
- c. A is true but R is false
- d. A is false But R is true
13. ◦ **Assertion (A)** : Urbanization refers to relocation of population in society.
- **Reason (R)** : Urban people are more mobile than their rural counterparts.
- a. Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A

- b. Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
- c. A is true but R is false
- d. A is false But R is true
14. ◦ **Assertion (A)** : At the time of the framing of the Constitution of India, reservation of jobs for the Scheduled Castes was intended for a specified period.
- **Reason (R)** : Constitutional provisions in respect of reservation of jobs for the Scheduled Castes have ensured economic upliftment within the period specified.
- a. Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A
- b. Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
- c. A is true but R is false
- d. A is false But R is true
15. ◦ **Assertion (A)** : The capitalist class according to Karl Marx, exploits the labour class in the capitalist society and this paves the way for class polarization.
- **Reason (R)** : The proletarian classes in the capitalist society suffer from the alienation of labour.
- a. Both A and R are individually true and R is the correct explanation of A
- b. Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A
- c. A is true but R is false
- d. A is false But R is true