

**OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS
AS GCE
G672/01
SOCIOLOGY
Topics in Socialisation, Culture
and Identity
THURSDAY 21 MAY 2015: Morning
DURATION: 1 hour 30 minutes
plus your additional time allowance
MODIFIED ENLARGED 24pt**

Candidates answer on the Answer Booklet.

**OCR SUPPLIED MATERIALS:
12 page Answer Booklet (OCR12)
(sent with general stationery)**

**OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED:
None**

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided on the front of the answer booklet. Please write clearly and in capital letters.

Use black ink. HB pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.

Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.

Write your answer to each question on the lined pages in the answer booklet. The question numbers MUST be clearly shown.

Answer ANY TWO of the eight essay questions.

You may choose 2 questions from the same option or 1 question from each of two different options.

Each question has TWO parts.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.

The total number of marks for each question is 50.

The total number of marks for this paper is 100.

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OPTION 1

Sociology of the Family

- 1 (a) Identify and explain TWO ways that households have changed in recent years. [17]**
(b) Outline and evaluate sociological views on the contribution the family makes to society. [33]

- 2 (a) Identify and explain TWO sociological views of the relationships between children and parents. [17]**
(b) Outline and evaluate sociological views on the benefits of family diversity. [33]

OPTION 2

Sociology of Health

- 3 (a) Identify and explain TWO ways that health may be seen as culturally relative. [17]**
- (b) Outline and evaluate the view that mental illness is caused by structural factors in society. [33]**
- 4 (a) Identify and explain TWO ways health professionals work to benefit their own interests. [17]**
- (b) Outline and evaluate sociological explanations for patterns of ill health related to social class. [33]**

OPTION 3

Sociology of Religion

- 5 (a) Identify and explain TWO ways in which churches differ from other religious organisations. [17]**
- (b) Outline and evaluate the functionalist view that the role of religion in society is to promote consensus. [33]**
- 6 (a) Identify and explain TWO ways that religiosity is related to gender. [17]**
- (b) Outline and evaluate the view that the increase in religious pluralism is a sign of secularisation. [33]**

OPTION 4

Sociology of Youth

- 7 (a) Identify and explain TWO reasons why youth subcultures are important to their members. [17]**
- (b) Outline and evaluate the view that social class has the greatest impact on pupils' experience of school. [33]**
- 8 (a) Identify and explain TWO ways that youth deviance is related to gender. [17]**
- (b) Outline and evaluate functionalist explanations of the role of youth culture in society. [33]**

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