

BAS 102



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# UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

## 2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER REGULAR EXAMINATION

FOR THE BACHELOR OF ARTS IN COMMUNITY  
DEVELOPMENT

&

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COUNSELLING  
PSYCHOLOGY

COURSE CODE: BAS 102

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL SCIENCES

DATE: 20<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY, 2022

TIME: 2 PM – 5 PM

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### INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

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BAS 102  
REGULAR/MAIN EXAM

BAS 102: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL SCIENCES

STREAM: BA CD & B.Sc. CP

DURATION: 3 Hours

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

- i. Answer Question *ONE* and any other *TWO* Questions.
- ii. Do not write on the question paper.

**Question One**

- a) Using relevant examples, discuss the stages of human development. (15 Marks)
- b) Explain the controversies surrounding the emergence of social sciences. (7.5 Marks)
- c) Explain the functions of social institutions. (7.5 Marks)

**Question Two**

- a) Using examples, describe the factors that contribute to social change. (10 Marks)
- b) Discuss the methods of non-scientific method of inquiry. (10 Marks)

**Question Three**

- a) Describe any FIVE social sciences field that you may know of providing the understanding of the field. (10 Marks)
- b) Discuss the FIVE major aspects that define the Enlightenment period. (10 Marks)

**Question Four**

- a) Using examples, discuss the features of primary and secondary groups. (10 Marks)
- b) Analyze the concept of social groups stipulating their relevance in the contemporary society. (10 Marks)

**Question Five**

Using examples, explain the following concepts in social sciences:

- a) Positivism (5 Marks)
- b) Renaissance period (5 Marks)
- c) Evolutionism (5 Marks)
- d) Social Physics (5 Marks)

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