

**MASTER'S DEGREE IN
ANTHROPOLOGY**

(MAAN)

Term-End Examination

June, 2025

MANE-006 : SOCIAL STRATIFICATION

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : *There are two Sections—A and B. Attempt total **five** questions. Attempt at least **two** questions from each Section. All questions carry equal marks. The word limit for 20 marks question is **500** words and for 10 marks question it is **250** words.*

Section—A

1. Discuss structured inequalities. 20

2. Discuss race as a form of differentiation and stratification. 20
3. Critically evaluate Weber's explanation of status and honour. 20
4. What are the *three* forms of capital ? Discuss. 20
5. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 10+10
 - (a) Talcott Parson's theory of social action
 - (b) Multidimensional approach to stratification
 - (c) Classical understanding of class

Section—B

6. Examine the intersections between caste and class. 20
7. Assess Marcus Banks' approaches to understand the concept of ethnicity. 20
8. Discuss cinema as a space which creates and reinforces gender stereotypes and disparities. 20

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9. Discuss different types of Social Mobility.

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10. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 10+10

- (a) Affirmative Action
- (b) Empowering possibilities of ICTs
- (c) Anthropological studies on People's Movements

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