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**M. SC. (HOME SCIENCE-
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND
EXTENSION MANAGEMENT)
(MSCHSC)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2026

**MHC-002 : COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION AND
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : (i) Answer any *five* questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Name different geographic communities.
Describe the : 5+5
- (i) Community Engagement Continuum; and
- (ii) Linkages between extension education and community development.

- (b) Explain the social and economic structure of tribal communities. 10
- 2. Discuss the steps in community organization with suitable examples. 20
- 3. (a) “Community Organizations that are led by Non-governmental organizations, Development agencies, Companies or Individuals play a significant role in community development.” Justify the statement with the help of two case studies. 10
 - (b) Describe the wide range of skills required by community organizers for community work. 10
- 4. (a) Define community development. Explain the approaches that come under the concept of community development. 10
 - (b) Elucidate the principles of community development. 10
- 5. Explain the concept of group development. How are ‘group dynamics’ and ‘group effectiveness’ important to the facilitator in community mobilization. 20

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6. Discuss the social policies in the light of education. 20
7. (a) Write about the salient features of any *one* social welfare scheme run by the government. 10
- (b) Explain the importance of social auditing and capacity building in the management of social welfare services. 10
8. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : 4×5=20
- (a) Communities of 'need' and communities of 'practice'.
- (b) Steps in the community development process.
- (c) The Community Action Cycle.
- (d) Ladder of Inference.
- (e) Two principles of social policy.
- (f) Definitions and concept of social action.

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