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Class: 11

Sub: SOCIOLOGY

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TOPIC: CONTRIBUTION OF AUGUSTE COMTE

CHAPTER: 1

I. CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION

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1. **Positivism is best described as**

- a. A philosophy stating that scientific evidence can be used to understand the true nature of society.
- b. A philosophy that claims that those observing culture cannot stay objective.
- c. A social science that involves only fieldwork, immersing researchers in a particular culture
- d. A view supporting the idea that suicide results solely from a mental disorder and has no correlation to other factors in society

2. **What aspect of society did Comte see as evidence of a more advanced society?**

- a. Slavery
- b. The search for truth about society through scientific study
- c. A strong faith in mystical forces
- d. Ruled by the military

3. **The scientific view developed by Auguste Comte is known as**

- a. Philosophical science
- b. Positive philosophy
- c. Negative philosophy
- d. Scientific philosophy

4. **"The Law of Three Stages" is an idea developed by**

- a. Herbert Spencer
- b. Auguste Comte
- c. Karl Marx
- d. George Simmel

5. **Comte developed the Law of Three Stages in his work**

- a. Treatise on Sociology
- b. Religion on Humanity
- c. The Origin of Sociology
- d. The Course in Positive Philosophy

6. **Comte used the term Social Statics to indicate**

- a. Existing social structure
- b. Positive effects
- c. Social dynamics
- d. Social evolution

7. **The second stage in 'The Law of Three Stages' is**

- a. Theological stage
- b. Meta-physical stage
- c. Evolutionary stage
- d. Metaphysical stage

8. **The third stage in 'The Law of Three Stages' is known as**

- a. Positive stage
- b. Theological stage
- c. Evolutionary stage
- d. Metaphysical stage

9. **Comte's theory of social dynamics is founded on**

- a. Social Statics
- b. Hierarchy of Sciences
- c. The Law of Three Stages
- d. Social Physics

10. **The idea of Social dynamics propounded by Comte refers to**

- a. Sociology
- b. Social structures
- c. Social change
- d. Social thought

11. **The sociological perspective developed by Auguste Comte is known as**

- a. Constructivism
- b. Interpretivism
- c. Positivism
- d. Phenomenology

12. **Comte believed that _____ could be applied to the study of society and human behavior**

- a. Comparative method
- b. Phenomenology
- c. Longitudinal study
- d. Scientific method

13. **Which is not a part of the Law of Three Stages?**

- a. The Theological stage
- b. Metaphysical stage
- c. Metamorphic stage
- d. The Positive stage

14. **In which year Auguste Comte was born?**

- a. 1789
- b. 1798
- c. 1759
- d. 1799

15. **Comte divided the study of Sociology into two broad areas namely**

- a. Social statics and social dynamics
- b. Science and scientific method
- c. Social approach and methods
- d. Sociological study and interpretation

