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## FIRST TERM WORKSHEET NO. - 15

Class: 11

Sub: SOCIOLOGY

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TOPIC: SCIENTIFIC NATURE OF SCIENCE

CHAPTER: 1

### I. CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION

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1. Who described science as “the use of systematic methods of investigation, theoretical learning, and logical assessment of arguments to develop a body of knowledge about a particular subject matter”.  
a. MacIver                      b. Simmel                      c. Anthony Giddens                      d. Auguste Comte
2. According to Auguste Comte, the two guiding principles of sociology is  
a. Objectivity                      b. Subjectivity                      c. Ethical neutrality                      d. Both a & c
3. Which one of the following is not true about Auguste Comte?  
a. He was influenced by the method of investigation of physics and wanted to establish social laws on the lines of physics  
b. He wanted to establish causal relations between phenomena  
c. He believed that causal laws could be established through direct or indirect observation  
d. All are true
4. Identify the correct order of the steps for scientific study of sociology.  
I. Collection of data  
II. Formulating hypothesis  
III. Analysis of data  
IV. Selection of the subject matter for studying  
V. Review of literature  
VI. Stating the conclusion  
a. 4,5,2,1,3,6                      b. 2,4,6,1,3,5                      c. 5,6,1,2,4,3                      d. 1,6,2,5,3,4
5. Studying a problem objectively means  
a. Not letting individual values to guide and influence researcher's behavior  
b. Obtaining a detached and objective world view  
c. Having a preconceived idea about the subject matter of study  
d. None of these
6. Sociology cannot claim to be an exact natural science because  
a. The method followed is different  
b. Subject matters are different  
c. Both are true  
d. None
7. Point out the basic difference between sociology and natural science.  
a. Natural science – deals with material, non living things, Sociology – deals with human beings  
b. Natural science – deals with physical world, Sociology – social universe  
c. Natural science – elements of study are subjected to experimentation, Sociology – Humans cannot be subjected to experimentation  
d. All are true
8. Sociology can be said to be science of its own kind because  
a. It is sui generis in nature                      b. Cannot formulate general universal laws                      c. Both are true                      d. None are true
9. Identify the criteria based on which W.F Ogburn claims sociology as science  
a. Sociology has a reliable body of knowledge  
b. Sociology follows a scientific method in its studies and investigation  
c. It relies on verification of facts  
d. All are true
10. Hypothesis refers to  
a. A connection of loosely formulated concepts that will in turn enable the formulation of theory  
b. A prediction  
c. Establishing the truth  
d. The subject matter of study

- 11. The theorist most commonly associated with symbolic Interactionism is**  
a. Mead              b. Durkheim              c. Weber              d. Marx
- 12. According to symbolic Interactionist, human beings differ from animals because**  
a. Humans show greater affection than animals              c. Humans have the ability to take the role of the others  
b. Humans are only proactive and not reactive like animals              d. All of the above
- 13. The process of naming is important to understand symbolic Interactionism because**  
a. We can only understand things when we have a name for  
b. Words can confine us by how much we know  
c. Words have a default assumption that influences how we interpret the world  
d. All are correct
- 14. Symbolic Interactionism is based on the principles of meaning, language, thought and development of self in society.**  
a. True              b. False              c. Partly correct              d. Partly incorrect
- 15. Our behavior and attitude depend on how we perceive, define, and \_\_\_\_\_ the world.**  
a. Eliminate dysfunction in              b. Construct              c. Deal with inequality in              d. Eliminate patriarchy in

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