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සමාජ විද්‍යාව/Sociology (SOCE 102)  
Sri Lankan Society

Answer FOUR(04) questions only.  
The total number of questions in this paper is 06  
Time allowed: Three (03) Hours  
Marks will be deducted for illegible handwriting.

1. Explain how Robert Redfield's theoretical approach to peasant society be applied to understand the peasant social context in Sri Lanka.
2. Discuss recent trends in demographic changes in Sri Lanka.
3. "Extended family is an important social and economic institution in traditional Sri Lankan Society." Do you agree with this statement? Elucidate your answer.
4. 1 What do you mean by kinship? Explain with definitions.  
11 What were the main roles of kinship in traditional Sri Lanka Society?
5. Write an essay on the caste system of Sri Lankan Society.
6. Write short notes on three (3) of the following
  1. Sinhalese and Tamil kinship systems.
  11. Functions of religion.
  111. Social position of women in Sri Lanka.
  - 1v. Poverty in Sri Lanka.