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4. Chapter: 1.1 What Is Sociology?

1. 1.1 What Is Sociology? Questions

4.1.1. Which of the following best describes sociology as a subject?

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Which of the following best describes sociology as a subject?

Please choose only one answer:

- The study of individual behavior
- The study of cultures
- The study of society and social interaction
- The study of economics

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4.1.2. C. Wright Mills once said that sociologists need to develop a socio...

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C. Wright Mills once said that sociologists need to develop a sociological _____ to study how society affects individuals.

Please choose only one answer:

- culture
- imagination
- method
- tool

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4.1.3. A sociologist defines society as a group of people who reside in a ...

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A sociologist defines society as a group of people who reside in a defined area, share a culture, and who:

Please choose only one answer:

- interact
- work in the same industry
- speak different languages
- practice a recognized religion

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4.1.4. Seeing patterns means that a sociologist needs to be able to:

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Seeing patterns means that a sociologist needs to be able to:

Please choose only one answer:

- compare the behavior of individuals from different societies
- compare one society to another
- identify similarities in how social groups respond to social pressure
- compare individuals to groups

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4. Chapter: 1.2 The History of Sociology

1. 1.2 The History of Sociology Questions

4.1.1. Which of the following was a topic of study in early sociology?

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Which of the following was a topic of study in early sociology?

Please choose only one answer:

- Astrology
- Economics
- Physics
- History

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4.1.2. Which founder of sociology believed societies changed due to class ...

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Which founder of sociology believed societies changed due to class struggle?

Please choose only one answer:

- Emile Comte
- Karl Marx
- Plato
- Herbert Spencer

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4.1.3. The difference between positivism and antipositivism relates to:

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The difference between positivism and antipositivism relates to:

Please choose only one answer:

- whether individuals like or dislike their society
- whether research methods use statistical data or person-to-person research
- whether sociological studies can predict or improve society
- all of the above

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4.1.4. Which would a quantitative sociologists use to gather data?

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Which would a quantitative sociologists use to gather data?

Please choose only one answer:

- A large survey
- A literature search
- An in-depth interview
- A review of television programs

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4.1.5. Weber believed humans could not be studied purely objectively becau...

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Weber believed humans could not be studied purely objectively because they were influenced by:

Please choose only one answer:

- drugs
- their culture
- their genetic makeup
- the researcher

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4. Chapter: 1.3 Theoretical Perspectives

1. 1.3 Theoretical Perspectives Questions

4.1.1. Which of these theories is most likely to look at the social world ...

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Which of these theories is most likely to look at the social world on a micro level?

Please choose only one answer:

- Structural functionalism
- Conflict theory
- Positivism
- Symbolic interactionism

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4.1.2. Who believed that the history of society was one of class struggle?

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Who believed that the history of society was one of class struggle?

Please choose only one answer:

- Emile Durkheim
- Karl Marx
- Erving Goffmann
- George Herbert Mead

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4.1.3. Who coined the phrase symbolic interactionism?

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Who coined the phrase symbolic interactionism?

Please choose only one answer:

- Herbert Blumer
- Max Weber
- Lester F. Ward
- W.I. Thomas

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4.1.4. A symbolic interactionist may compare social interactions to:

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A symbolic interactionist may compare social interactions to:

Please choose only one answer:

- behaviors
- conflicts
- human organs
- theatrical roles

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4.1.5. Which research technique would most likely be used by a symbolic in...

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Which research technique would most likely be used by a symbolic interactionist?

Please choose only one answer:

- Surveys
- Participant observation
- Quantitative data analysis
- None of the above

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4. Chapter: 1.4 Why Study Sociology?

1. 1.4 Why Study Sociology? Questions

4.1.1. Kenneth and Mamie Clark used sociological research to show that seg...

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Kenneth and Mamie Clark used sociological research to show that segregation was:

Please choose only one answer:

- beneficial
- harmful
- illegal
- of no importance

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4.1.2. Studying Sociology helps people analyze data because they learn:

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Studying Sociology helps people analyze data because they learn:

Please choose only one answer:

- interview techniques
- to apply statistics
- to generate theories
- all of the above

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4.1.3. Berger describes sociologists as concerned with:

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Berger describes sociologists as concerned with:

Please choose only one answer:

- monumental moments in people's lives
- common everyday life events
- both a and b
- none of the above

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