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SOCIOLOGY **0495/22**

Paper 2 Family, Education and Crime **May/June 2025**

1 hour 45 minutes

You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

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INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **two** questions.
- Follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper, ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 80.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [ ].

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Answer **two** questions.

Family

1 **(a)** Define the term:

(i) 'warm bath' theory [2]

(ii) lone parent family. [2]

(b) Give **two** examples of family diversity. [2]

(c) Describe **three** ways socialisation in the family can be different for girls and boys. [6]

(d) Explain **three** limitations of the Marxist view of the family. [6]

(e) Discuss why alternatives to marriage are becoming more common.

Your answer should include:

- at least **three** developed points with evidence. [8]

(f) Evaluate the view that children are an essential part of family life.

Your answer should include:

- at least **three** arguments for and **three** arguments against
- a conclusion. [14]

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Education

2 **(a)** Define the term:

(i) value consensus [2]

(ii) co-educational school. [2]

(b) Give **two** examples of what students learn from the hidden curriculum. [2]

(c) Describe **three** ways education can cause gender inequalities. [6]

(d) Explain **three** reasons why education is **not** meritocratic for working class children. [6]

(e) Discuss why educational achievement differs globally.

Your answer should include:

- at least **three** developed points with evidence. [8]

(f) Evaluate the view that homeschooling is the best approach to education.

Your answer should include:

- at least **three** arguments for and **three** arguments against
- a conclusion. [14]

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[Turn over

Crime, deviance and social control

3 **(a)** Define the term:

(i) vigilante groups [2]

(ii) misogyny. [2]

(b) State **two** features of gang culture. [2]

(c) Describe **three** ways the police can control individuals. [6]

(d) Explain **three** limitations of the interactionist explanation of crime and deviance. [6]

(e) Discuss the view that prison prevents crime.

Your answer should include:

- at least **three** developed points with evidence. [8]

(f) Evaluate the view that gender is the most important factor in explaining why an individual commits crime.

Your answer should include:

- at least **three** arguments for and **three** arguments against
- a conclusion. [14]

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