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SOCIOLOGY **0495/23**

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) conjugal role [2]

(ii) secularisation. [2]

(b) Give **two** examples of the triple shift in the family. [2]

(c) Describe **three** functions of the family. [6]

(d) Explain **three** New Right views on family diversity. [6]

(e) Discuss the view that extended families are the best type of family.

Your answer should include:

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

(f) Evaluate the view that feminism has led to the decline of marriage.

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) linguistic factors [2]

(ii) conformity. [2]

(b) Give **two** examples of an ethnocentric curriculum. [2]

(c) Describe **three** benefits of attending private school. [6]

(d) Explain **three** limitations of the functionalist view of education. [6]

(e) Discuss how boys and girls experience school differently.

Your answer should include:

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

(f) Evaluate the view that cultural factors have the most impact on educational achievement.

Your answer should include:

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

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Crime, deviance and social control

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

(i) police targeting [2]

(ii) retribution. [2]

(b) State **two** agencies of formal social control. [2]

(c) Describe **three** examples of global crime. [6]

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

(e) Discuss the view that punishment reduces crime.

Your answer should include:

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

(f) Evaluate the view that victim surveys are the best way to measure crime.

Your answer should include:

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

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