



Year 10 Sociology – PPE

What is a PPE?

- Pre-Public Exams
- An opportunity to identify your current progress in Sociology
- An opportunity to identify what support you may need in Sociology

What is the Structure of the Sociology PPE?

- 1 Paper
- 100 Marks
- 1 Hour 45 minutes
- 2 Sections (Family & Education)
- Each Section /50
- Each Section will have one 12 mark essay (15 minutes)
- The remaining questions in each section will be short answer questions 1-4 mark

Where Can I Find Revision Resources?

- In Mx Powell-Smith's /Miss Powrie's /Mr Lewis' Google Classroom you will find...
- The Family and Education Knowledge Books
- The Family and Education Key Term Lists
- The Family and Education Key Theorist Questions
- The Family and Education Essay Plans
- The Family and Education Lesson Resources

What will help?

- Effective revision
 1. From memory – Recall: look, cover, write, check
 2. Practice Questions – Plan and write the 12 mark questions under timed conditions (get your teacher to review them)
- Use our planning and revision resources
- Self-refer to private study (In the 6th Form Study Centre P8 Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday)
- Come and see a member of staff for support

What Content is on the Sociology PPE?

Family

What is a Family?

- Define the terms 'family' and 'household'.
- Describe different types of families.

What Alternatives to Families Exist in the UK today?

- Describe alternatives to the family.
- Explain reasons for alternatives to the family.

Family Diversity.

- Describe different types of family in the UK.
- Explain the work of the **Rapoports**.

Reasons for Family Diversity.

- Explain the different reasons for family diversity in the UK.

The Nuclear Family.

- Describe the nuclear family.

Alternatives to the Family.

- Explain the alternatives to the family.

Families in a Global Context.

- Explain differences in families across the world.

Functionalism and the Family.

- Describe the functionalist perspective of the family.
- Criticise the functionalist perspective of the family.

Murdock

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Parsons

Marxism and the Family.

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Zaretsky

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Feminism and the Family.

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Delphy & Leonard

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Oakley

Education

What is socialisation, social control roles of education?

- Describe the roles that education plays in society: social control.

<p><u>What is the role and Purpose of Education?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Describe</u> the role that education plays in society: economic and selective roles.
<p><u>What is learned through formal and informal education?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Understand</u> the role of the 'hidden curriculum' in schools and colleges.
<p><u>What have been the key historical changes in Britain's education system?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Assess</u> the impact of the tripartite system. - <u>Assess</u> the impact of the comprehensive system.
<p><u>What key changes were introduced through the 1988 Education Act?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Describe</u> what is meant by 'marketization' in education. - <u>Describe</u> and <u>assess</u> the impact of the National Curriculum and testing.
<p><u>How else has marketization influenced education?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Evaluate</u> increases in freedom, choice and competition in educational provision.
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<p><u>What are academies, free schools and selection by ability?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Describe</u> some key changes in educational policy since 2010. - <u>Evaluate</u> these policies.
<p><u>How is the education system organised in contemporary Britain?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Describe</u> the general structure of education in contemporary Britain.
<p><u>Should education be provided by the state or by the independent sector?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Assess</u> the advantages and disadvantages of state and private education.
<p><u>What are Vocational education and alternative forms of provision?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Explain</u> the role of vocational education. - <u>Describe</u> and <u>assess</u> some alternative forms of educational provision.
<p><u>How does the functionalist perspective view the role of the education system?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Describe</u> the views of Durkheim on the role of education for society. - <u>Evaluate</u> Durkheim's views on the role of education.
<p><u>How does Parsons view the role of the education system?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Describe</u> Parsons' views on the role of the education system. - <u>Evaluate</u> Parsons' views.
<p><u>What is the Marxist view on the role of education for a capitalist society?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Describe</u> Bowles' and Gintis' Marxist view of education. - <u>Evaluate</u> the Marxist view of education.