# **Doing Sociology: Research Methods**

Question 1.

A guided conversation between the researcher and respondent is known as:

(a) Fieldwork

(b) Interview

(c) Questionnaire

(d) Survey

▼ Answer

Answer: (b) Interview

## Question 2.

'A comprehensive survey covering every single member of a population' is known as

(a) sample survey

(b) census

(c) random sampling

(d) genealogy

#### ▼ Answer

Answer: (b) census

## Question 3.

A comprehensive survey covering every single member of the population is known as:

- (a) Survey
- (b) Participant observation
- (c) Census
- (d) Case study

#### ▼ Answer

Answer: (c) Census

#### Question 4.

The term 'random' suggests the selection (a) without any system or design (b) proper structure (c) with large population (d) with small selection

#### Answer

Answer: (a) without any system or design

Question 5.

'Genealogy' of the community was prepared during fieldwork. The word 'genealogy' denotes:

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- (a) making a family tree
- (b) list of inherited diseases
- (c) tribal community
- (d) urban community

▼ Answer

Answer: (a) making a family tree

Question 6.

The issue which can be studied through participant observation is

- (a) market policy
- (b) infant mortality
- (c) divorce rate
- (d) the day to day life of the community

## ▼ Answer

Answer: (d) the day to day life of the community

Question 7.

The feature which is not common between questionnaire and interview is

- (a) flexibility of questions
- (b) use in a large universe
- (c) use in survey method
- (d) asking questions

▼ Answer

Answer: (b) use in a large universe

# Question 8.

In their principle of sample selection, the respondents are selected purely by chance:

- (a) Randomization
- (b) Stratification
- (c) Probability
- (d) Compartmentalization

# ▼ Answer

Answer: (a) Randomization

# Question 9.

In predicting the election results, the appropriate method of research would be

- (a) non-participant observation
- (b) participant observation
- (c) survey
- (d) case study
- ▼ Answer





Answer: (c) survey

Question 10. The book "The Golden Bough" was written by which famous anthropologist? (a) James Frazer (b) Malinowski (c) William Foot Whyte (d) Emile Durkheim

Answer

Answer: (a) James Frazer

Question 11. The introduction of equipment like recorders frequently makes the respondent (a) happy (b) comfortable (c) uneasy (d) disappointed

#### ▼ Answer

Answer: (c) uneasy

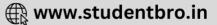
Question 12. 'Stratified Random Sample' is more (a) stratified (b) representative (c) purposive (d) none of the above

#### ▼ Answer

Answer: (b) representative

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