



Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati  
Department of Humanities and Social sciences  
M.A. in Development Studies Entrance Examination

Date: 03/06/2011

Time: 10 -11.45 AM  
Marks: 50

**Instructions to Candidates:**

1. Examination consists of two sections.
2. Section – 1 is Objective type questions for 30 marks. You should write the answers in the question paper. You should return this question paper to the invigilators at 10.45 AM.
3. Section – 2 consists of Descriptive type questions for 20 marks. You should write the answers in the space provided in the question paper, and return it to the invigilators by 11.45 AM.
4. Write your roll number on the top right side of the question paper inside the box.
5. For any rough work, you should use the last three pages of your section -2 question paper book.

**Section – 1**

(30 marks)

**Answer the following questions in the box provided after each question**

1. What is the name of the process by which we acquire a sense of identity and become members of society?
  - a. Rationalisation
  - b. Colonisation
  - c. McDonaldisation
  - d. Socialisation

2. Which of the following is not a 'research purpose'?
  - a. Triangulation
  - b. Explanation
  - c. Description
  - d. Exploration