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**MSO 304: SOCIAL DEMOGRAPHY**

Time: **3 Hours** Total Marks: **70**

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3. Population Pyramid
4. Environment and Population
5. Education and population
6. Age-sex in population

3. Answer **any four**of the following questions within 500 words:

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1. Discuss Malthusian theory in understanding the population crisis in India. Give suitable examples to illustrate your arguments.
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3. Do you think overpopulation is a problem? Give your views.
4. What are fertility responsive policies? Do you think such policies influence the demography of a nation?
5. What is public health? Discuss the role of public health in maintaining population stability. Give suitable examples.
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