SYBMM (E)

Intro to Media Studies

OCt.12

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Ti	me	: 2 Hrs.		
Q.1	a)	How have media theories evolved till date?	[10]	
	b)	Mass culture theorists have a degrading view of the masses.	[5]	
		OR		
	a)	Explain Joseph Klapper's theory of media effects. How is it applied		
		to advertising?	[10]	
	b)	Explain the concepts of 'symbol' and 'sign'.	[5]	
Q.2	a)	How does Harold Innis bring out the relationship between communication		
		technologies and rise of empires?	[8]	
	b)	Analyse the agenda-setting property of Mass Media.	[7]	
		OR		
1	a)	Compare the authoritarian and libertarian theories of media.	[8]	
,	b)	How did the limited effects paradign of Mass Media develop?	[7]	
3	a)	Explain how people use selective processes to reduce cognitive		
		dissonance.	[8]	
	b)	The concept of audience is as old as civilisation. Explain. Also		
		enumerate different types of audience.	[7]	
		OR		
	a)	Mass Media play a vital role in propagating various cultures across		
•		the world. Elaborate.	[8]	
	b)	Describe the theory of social construction of reality.	[7]	
			al.	
Q.4	a)	Compare Mass, group and crowd.	[8]	
	b)	"If all the people in India had access to TV and radio then the		
		government will be able to solve many major problems of the nation."		
		Do you agree?	[7]	
		OR		
	a)	Bring out the difference between the opinions of Marx and Lenin.	[8]	
	b)	Briefly explain the theories of British Cultural School and Frankfurt		
		School.	[7]	
