

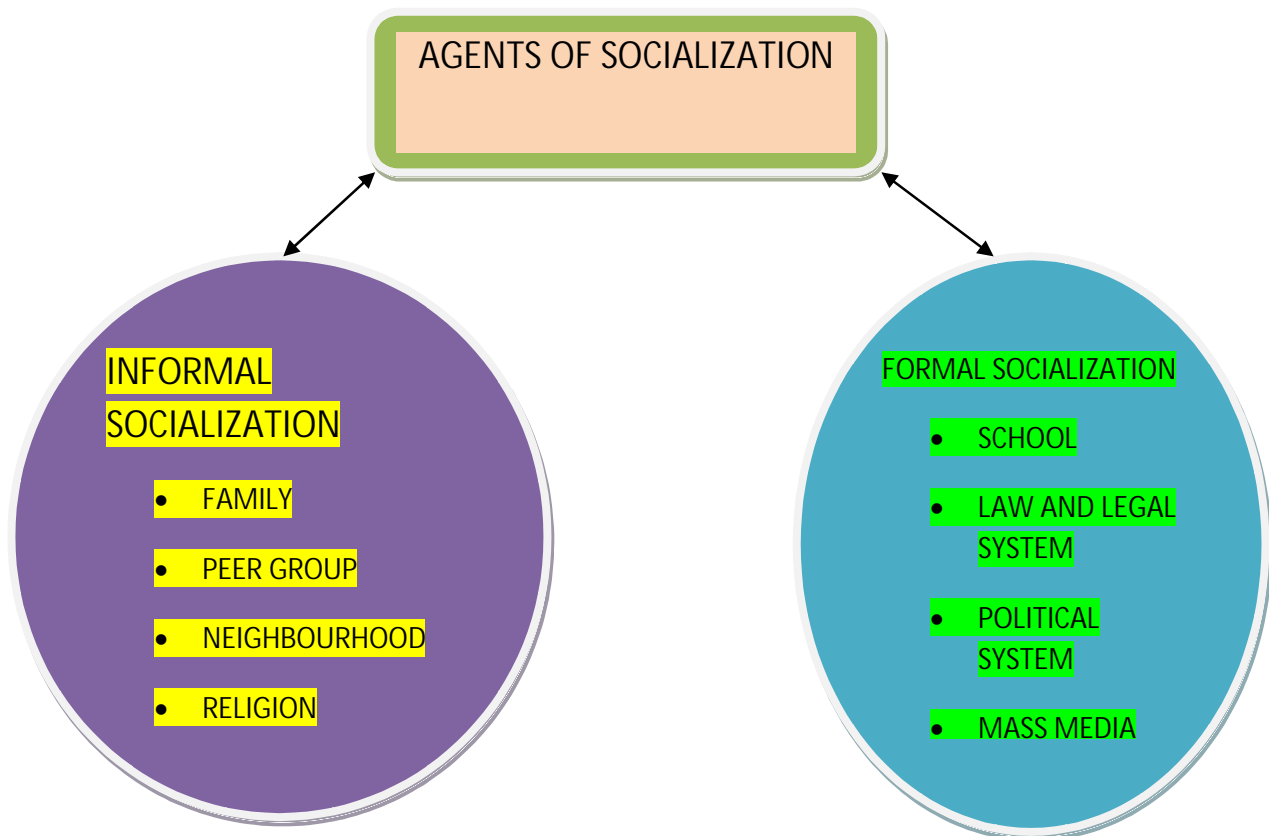
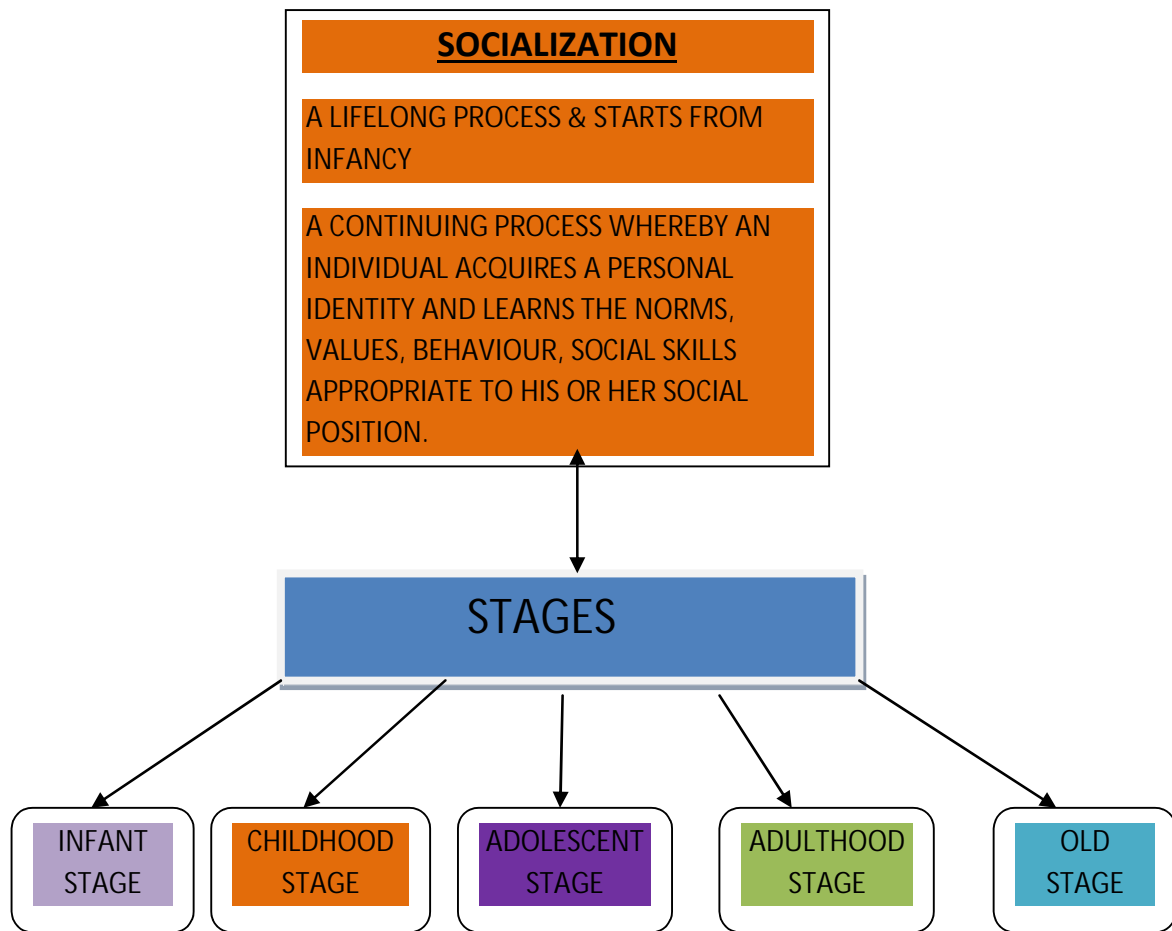
RESOURCE 18

S. No.	AREA	CONTENT
1	Topic	Cultural Change; Socialisation; Agencies of Socialisation
2	Subject	Sociology
3	Topic connected which area of subject?	<u>TERMS, CONCEPTS AND THEIR USE IN SOCIOLOGY</u>
4	Class/ Level	XI
5	Objectives	To make students understand – <ul style="list-style-type: none">• That cultures undergo change over times• That people undergo socialisation to become worthy member of society• Agencies of socialisation that carry this task out.
6	Summary	Socialisation is a lifelong process and starts at infancy. Through this process a biological being becomes a social being for without it a human being would remain uncultured. There are certain agencies of socialisation both formal and informal such as Family, School, Workplace, peer-group.
7	Key Words	Agencies, socialisation, change, culture, peer, family, media, school, family
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Description

Cultural change is a way in which societies change their pattern of culture. The impetus for change is due to several internal and external factors. Change also occurs due to certain environmental pressures that can drastically alter the life of people.

Socialisation is essential as the social system is to continue effectively and smoothly since every social system depends upon people who are motivated, prepared to perform the various roles that it encompasses. Thus, socialisation is a process through which we create 'self' and a sense of attachment to social systems through participation and interaction with others.



ACTIVITY

1. Every family follows certain specific norms which regulate the behaviour of its members.
 - a) Which norms are specific to your family and may not be applicable all families?
 - b) How do you think that grandparents play an important role in the socialisation of the young ones?
2. Peer group influences you the most in the adolescent stage. Can you think of some positive and negative peer pressures? List them out.