# What is Sociology?

Key Thinkers

Social sciences are	Definition of Sociology.	Sociological Perspectives
		Outline
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Social Institutions are		Functionalism
		Marxism
Sociological Imagination means		ĨŽ
	Social Groups	<u>s</u>
	C	Feminism
Values are	A	<u>δ</u>
	D	Interactionism
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Norms are	E	Postmodernism
	S	Postm
	Who	o is Auguste Comte?
Socialisation means	AUGUSTE	
	CUMIL	

## Functionalism

A concensus theory is	What is the Organic Analogy and who	Internal Criticisms of Functionalism	External Criticisms of Functionalism
A consensus theory is A structural theory is	used it?	Key Thinker	Later har crimaisms of Punctionalism Logical
	Three similarities between society and biological organisms.	Three Main Criticisms of Parson's Assumptions	ical C
Value Consensus means	1		607
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Anomie means	3	2	ct Perspective
	Two means of maintaining value consensus and social order		Conflict
What are Social Facts and who is the key thinker?	1		
	2	3	Action Perspective
	The Four Basic needs of society	A Manifest Function is	on Pe
Durkheim's Ideas of Society Society shapes the Individual	G	An example of a manifest function is	Acti
	A		spective
Social solidarity socialisation and anomie	1	A Latent Function is  An example of a latent function is	Postmodern Perspective
2	L		Postmo

#### Marxism

A conflict theory is	Marxist Structure	of a Capitalist society.	Evaluation of Marxism		
			fied		
Bourgeoisie means			Over Simplified		
Proletariat means			inism		
Alienation means			Economic Determinism		
	The features of Capitalist Society .	The features of Communist Society .	Econ		
False Class Consciousness means	1	1	lution		
Five Stages of society according to Marx	2	2	Lack of Revolution		
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## Neo Marxism

Humanistic Neo-Marxism	Structural Neo-Marxism	Evaluation of Neo-Marxism
Gramsci's concept of hegemony means         Voluntarism means         Ruling Class dominance is maintained by	State Apparatus         I	Humanistic Neo-Marxism
2	3	
Reasons why Ruling Class hegemony is never complete	Relative Autonomy means	
1		Structural Neo-Marxism
	Requirements for socialism to come about	Neo-
2	Humanistic Neo-Marxism Structural Neo-Marxism	ictura
Organic Intellectuals are		Stra

Feminism in general means	6 Structures of Patriarchy	Туре	Outline	Thinkers	Evaluation
	2	Liberal Feminism			
Malestream means	3	δ			
Patriarchy means	4	Radical Feminism			
	5	Radio			
Three Waves of Feminism	6	eminism			
	General Features of Feminism	Marxist Feminism			
		a			
2	2	Intersectional Feminism			
3	3	Duel systems Feminism			
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## Social Action Theory

5	Features of Social Action	in the second se		4 Types of Action
		Micro Approach means	1	
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		Verstehen means	3	
2		Summary of Social Action Theory	4	
$\vdash$				Evaluation of Weber
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4		2 levels of sociological explanation	Application	
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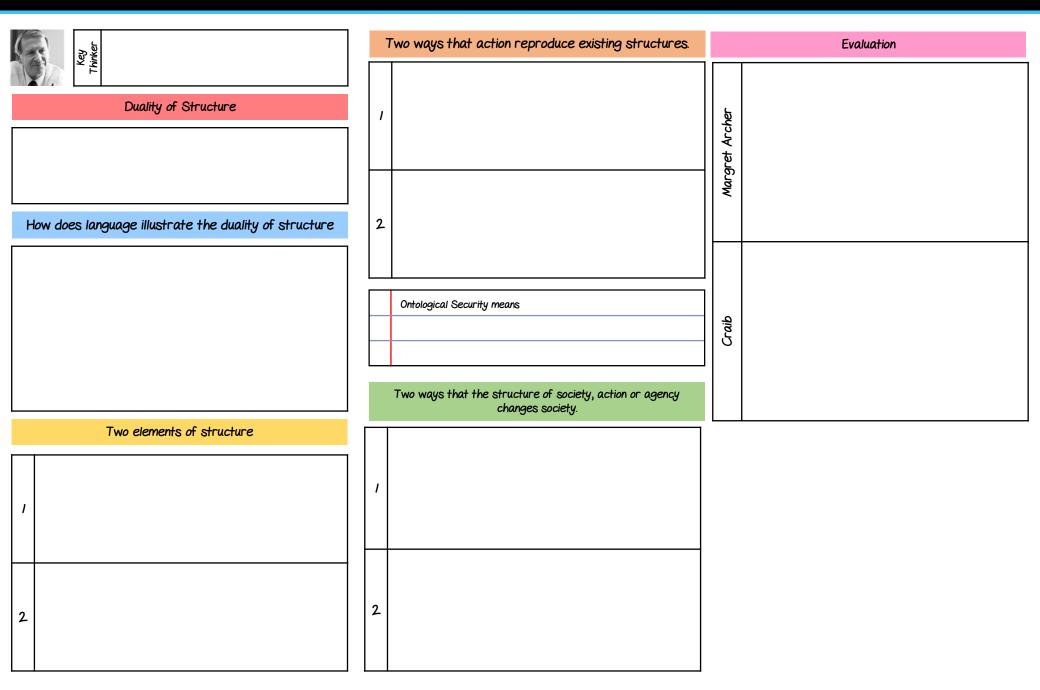
# Symbolic Interactionism

Key Thinkers	Taking on the role of the other	Lab	elling Theory		Dramaturgical	Model
	Thinker:         Taking on the role of others means	Definition of the situation		Thinker yas ya	<b>r</b> :	
	How do we take on the role of the other?			Presentation of self		
		Looking Glass Seff		Impression Management		
Symbol Versus Instinct	Key Principals of Symbolic Interactionism Thinker:	Career		Roles		
Instinct means						
	1			Evaluation		
		1	2	3	4	5
Symbol means	2					
Interpretive Phase means	3					

# Phenomenology & Ethnomethodology

	Phenomenology			Ethnomethod	ology		
	Edmund Husser1:		Harold Garfinkel				
	Alfred Schutz		Social order is created from			Ethnom	ethodology studies
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			Indexicality means			Reflexi	cality means
Typif	cations means						
				Breaching Expe	erime	nts	
Life V	Vorld means		What are they	What is their p	urpo	se?	What did Garfinkel conclude?
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Recip	e Knowledge means						
Natur	al Attitude means						
		E	EVALUATION: Carib				
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#### Structuration Theory



## Postmodernism

4 Characteristics of a Modern Society.			Postmod	dernism			Late Modernity			
,		Summary					Summary			
2		Meta Narrative mean	S	Relat	ivist Position means	ן ך ן ך	Giddens	Key Features of Late M	odernity	
							1			
3							2			
4		Lyotard and language	e Games	Baudr	illard and Simulacra	,  -	3			
	Globalisation means							Ulrich Beck: Risk Society	,	
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							Manufactured Risk			
	4 Changes of Globalisation						Individualisation			
,			Evalu	ation			inaiviaualisation			
		Philo and Miller	Best and	d Kellner	Enlightenment Project		Risk Consciousness			
2								Evaluation		
							Rustin	Hirst	Risk & the Poor	
3										
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Hypothesis means	Correlation means	Ethnographies means	Pilot Study means
Qualitative data is	Longitudinal Study means	Case Study means	
Quantitative data is	The Hypothetico-Deductive Model	Factors when choosing a t	opic
Reliability means		2	
		3	
Validity means			
Triangulation means		5	
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# Factors Influencing Method Choice

Practical	Factors	Ethical and A	Moral Factors
Access to the Participants	Type of data required	Informed Consent	Confidentiality
Personal Characteristics of the Researcher	Time Available	Covert Research / consent	Privacy
Subject Matter	Cost / Funding	Pre-emptive Consent means Deception means	Harm
Size of the sample	Research Opportunity	Gate keepers are	Legality

Mathad	Method Description		Practical		ical	Theoretical	
Mernoa	Description	+	-	+	-	+	-
Open Questionnaire							
Closed Questionnaire							
Web based Questionnaire							
Unstructured Interview							
Structured Interview							
Group Interview							
Overt Observation							
Covert Observation							
Participant Observation							
Non-Participation Observation							
Experiments - Lab							
Experiments – Field							

# Secondary Research Methods

Method	Dependention	Practical		Ethi	cal	Theoretical	
MCINU	Description	+	-	+	-	+	-
Official Statistics							
Unofficial Statistics							
Personal Documents							
Public Documents							
Historical Documents							
Prior Research							
Content Analysis							

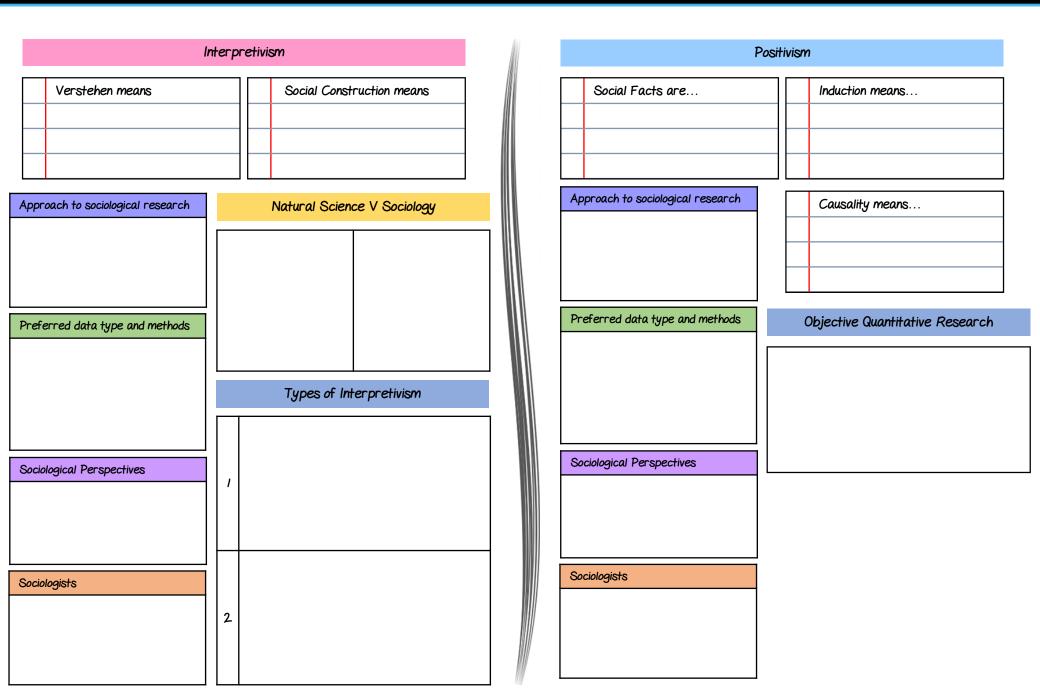
# Sampling Methods

A population is			
	Random	Stratified	Snowball
	Description	Description	Description
A research population is			
	+ -	+ -	+ -
A sample is			
Representative means		·	·
	Systematic	Quota	Opportunity
	Description	Description	Description
Generalisability means			
	+ -	+ -	+ -

# Theoretical Factors in Research

Reliability means.	Validity means.	Representativeness means.         Image: Comparison of the second secon	Generalisability means.
Factors impacting Reliability Research Method	Factors impo	acting Validity Group Dynamics	Factors impacting Representativeness and Generalisability
			Sample Size
Data type	Social Desirability	Demand Characteristics	Research Method
Participants	Dato	Туре	

#### Interpretivism Vs Positivism



# Sociology and Science

5 Con	nponents	of	a	science

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Positivists

Thinkers:

Position on Sociology as a science.

Explanation

# Falsification Thinkers: Position on Sociology as a science. Explanation

Paradigms

Thinkers:

Position on Sociology as a science.

Explanation

Realists
Thinkers:
Position on Sociology as a science.
Explanation
Interpretivists
Thinkers:

interpretivists
Thinkers:
Position on Sociology as a science.
Explanation

Values refer to	Positivists and Value Freedom			Committed Sociology		
	Thinkers:			Explanation:		
	Explanatio	on	┥┟	Goldner	Becker	
Relativism means						
				Feminists	Left Realists	
		Value Laden Sociology				
	Explanatio	pn:				
	Three areas where sociology cannot be value free.		- Weber			
	,			Explanation:		
				Areas where Sociology can be Value Free	Areas where sociology cannot be Value Free	
	2					
	3					

Social Policy means	Functionalist View	Marxist View	Feminist View
Social Problems are			
Sociological Problems are	New Rig	ht View Postmoo	dernist View

Factors affecting the influence of sociology on social policy.