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Sociology 2
Homework Assignment #1

Directions: Choose two of the following five questions to answer. Be sure to support your answer from the text rather than just opinion. Answer the questions in the space provided below and on the back.

1. What are the basic ideas of the functionalist, conflict, and interactionist perspectives?

2. What is a social problem? What are the three characteristics of a social problem as expressed in the book?

3. What is the difference between *values* and *norms?* Explain how deviance is related to norms.

4. What is the difference between a *capitalist* economic system and a *socialist?* Describe the ideas that drive both systems.

5. What is *world systems theory?* What social problems arise from the distribution of power and goods in this system?

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Answer #2