

Bedford College

Reading List

(2nd Year)

B.SC. in NURSING STUDIES - 1983-84STRUCTURE OF MODERN BRITAINGENERAL TEXTS:

- HALSEY, A.H. Change in British Society (2nd Edition)
- HALSEY, A.H. et al Trends in British Society since 1900.
- NOBLE, T. Structure and Change in Modern Britain.
(2nd Edition).
- RYDER, J. & SILVER, H. Modern English Society.
- BUTTERWORTH, D. & WEIR, D. (eds.)
The Sociology of Modern Britain.
- STEWART, A. (ed.) Contemporary Britain.

Apart from using those books or any one of them as background reading, each book has sections on each of the seminars.

CLASS AND LIFE CHANCES:

- WESTERGAARD, J. & RESLER, H.
Class in a Capitalist Society
- MARTIN, D. & CROUCH, C.
"England", in Giner, S. & Archer M.S.
Contemporary Europe: Class, Status and
Power.
- REID, I. Social Class Differences in Britain.

PROFESSIONS:

- JOHNSON, T.I. Professions and Power.
- " " The State and the Professions (peculiarities
of the British), in Giddens, A. & Mackenzie, G.
Social Class and the Division of Labour.
- DINGWALL, R. & LEWIS, (eds.)
The Sociology of the Professions:
Lawyers, Doctors and Others.
- CARPENTER, M. The New Managerialism and Professionalism in
Nursing, in: Stacey, M. et al., Health and
the Division of Labour.

- BELLABY, P. & ORIBABOR, F. The History of the Present: Contradictions and Struggle in Nursing. in: Davies, C. (ed.) Re-writing Nursing History.
- STEIN, L. The Doctor-Nurse Game, in: Dingwall, R. & McIntosh, S. (eds.), Readings in the Sociology of Nursing.

ORGANISATIONS & POWER

- ETZIONI, A. Modern Organisations.
- WORSLEY, P. Modern Sociology.
Section on Organisations, Pt.VI.
- ROSENGREEN, W. & SPENCER DE VAULT
The Sociology of Time and Space in an
Obstetric Hospital, in: Basic Readings in
Medical Sociology by Tuckett, D. & Kaufert, J.
- COSER, ROSE, LAUB Alienation and the Social Structure, in:
Basic Readings in Medical Sociology.

WORK AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

- HILL, S. Competition and Control of Work.
- EHRENREICH, B. & J. Hospital Workers: Class Conflict in the
Making. Internat. Journ. of Health
Services, Vol. 5, No. 1, (1975), pp. 43-53

FAMILY:

- HARRIS, C.C. The Family and Industrial Society.
- ZARETSKY Capitalism, the Family and Personal Life.
- YOUNG, M. & WILLMOTT, P.
The Symmetrical Family
- BARRETT, M. & McINTOSH,
The Antisocial Family.
- COSER, L. Greedy Institution.

WOMEN:

- OAKLEY, A. Subject Women: The Sociology of Housework.
- DELAMONT, S. The Sociology of Women.

- WILSON, E. Only Halfway to Paradise.
BAKER MILLER, J. Towards a New Psychology of Women.

SYMBOLS ETC.

- BERGER, P.L. & BERGER Sociology: A Biographical Approach.
Chapter 17.
DOUGLAS, M. Purity and Danger.
BOCOCK, R. Ritual in Industrial Society
WILSON, B. Religion in Secular Society.
MARTIN, B. A Sociology of Contemporary Cultural Change,
Chapter 4.

RACE & ETHNICITY:

- GEIGEN, K. "The Significance of Skin Color in Human
Relations, in, Graubard, S. (ed.),
Color and Race.
FIRTH, R. Symbols. Chapter 8 on 'Hair' and Chapter 9
on 'Greeting and Parting'.
BIRDWHISTELL, R. Kinetics and Context. Chapt.5 on 'Smiling'
and Chapt.6 on 'Gender'.

28th February : Symbols (culture/religion etc.)

- Essay - (1) The identity of individuals and social groups is mediated through cultural symbols. Discuss.
(2) Culture is inevitably political and ideological. Discuss.

13th March : Race and Ethnicity

- Essay - How do you account for the persistence of 'racial' and 'ethnic' division in modern society.