

Sociology 134, Section 17
First exam review sheet

Date:	Monday, Feb. 16
Time:	11 a.m.
Where:	127 Curtiss Hall
Format:	50 multiple-choice questions, each with five answers
Bring:	Pencils with erasers Your ISU ID number
Test material:	Chapters 1-5 in Newman Lectures through Feb. 13 Videos shown in class

Key themes of course

What is sociology?

Sociological paradox

Adlers' study of elementary school popularity

Beth Montemurro's study of bridal showers

National Health and Social Life Survey on stratification and sex

Michelle Wolkomir's study of gay Christian men

David Grazian's study of "girl hunting"

Joel Best's study of stalking as a social problem

Sociological imagination

Social and societal influence

Stanley Milgram's "Obedience to Authority"

Social order in emergency situations

Key definitions from chapter 2

Three major perspectives of sociology

Structural-functionalism

Types of functions

Durkheim's study of suicide

Conflict theory

Symbolic interactionism

Three premises

The social construction of reality

Process of attaching meaning to the physical world

Examples of socially constructed categories (color, animals, etc.)

Self-fulfilling prophecies

Pygmalion in the Classroom

Social research

Basic principles and terms

Methods of social research

Culture

Material and nonmaterial culture

James Loewen's study of historical monuments

Emotion management

Arnold Arluke's study of emotion management in an animal shelter

Socialization

Major perspectives on socialization

Role-taking, generalized other, and looking-glass self

Howard Becker's "Becoming a Marijuana User"

Gender socialization

The subtopics listed under each topic do not cover every question on the test. Be sure to be familiar with the PowerPoint slides used during lecture, videos shown in class and the textbook's photo essays, research features, micro-macro connections and key terms.