**Societies and Social Networks Notes**

Define group.

What is the largest group?

What is a society?

Hunting and gathering society

What is the major unit of organization?

What does the family provide?

What is the basic social division?

Pastoral and Horticultural Societies

What was the first social revolution?

What changes did a stable food supply create?

What did this cause?

Agricultural Societies

How would conflict theorist see this type of society?

Industrial Societies

How was social inequality affected by the Industrial Revolution?

Post-Industrial (Information) Society

What was this revolution based upon?

What is the main “product”?

What changes has this caused?

Groups within society

What is anomie?

What do groups act as….?

What is an aggregate?

What is a category?

What 5 things do our primary groups provide?

What are the three characteristics of secondary groups?

Why do they often break down into primary groups?

What is an in-group?

What is an out-group?

What are some consequences of group membership?

What are reference groups?

What are the three functions of reference groups?