



Worksheet 1: Key terms definitions

Find an accurate definition for each sociological key term and write your answer in the space provided.

Social stratification and inequality (3.1–3.2)	Definitions
Achieved status	
Ascribed status	
Culture of poverty	
Dependency culture	
Emigration	
Equal opportunities law	
Immigration	
Intersectionality	
Life chances	
Meritocracy	
Modern slavery	
Non-governmental organisations	
Redistribution of wealth	
Social mobility	
Social stratification	
The caste system	
Underclass	
Welfare state	