

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)

BA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2017
(Sixth Semester)

Branch- SOCIOLOGY

WOMEN'S STUDIES - WOMEN AND SOCIETY

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

SECTION-A (20 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks (10x2=20)

- 1 What is gender socialization?
- 2 Define Sex.
- 3 Mention subtypes of Radical Feminism.
- 4 What are the important issues to Liberal Feminists?
- 5 Name some national policies on women's education.
- 6 List out any two needs for women education.
- 7 What is aggression?
- 8 What do you mean by domestic violence?
- 9 What is dowry?
- 10 Define the concept Of women's right.

SECTION - B (25 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 5 = 25)

- 11 a Describe the objectives of gender studies.
OR
b Differentiate Women's studies and Gender studies.
- 12 a Write short note on Cultural Feminism.
OR
b Discuss the Marxist view on subordination.
- 13 a 'Education is a tool for women development' - Discuss.
OR
b Discuss infrastructural facilities available for women's education.
- 14 a Write about the theory of subculture of violence.
OR
b Discuss the implications of violence on women's health.
- 15 a Write about the economic rights of women.
OR
b List out the provisions for pregnant women in Maternity Benefit Act.

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

Answer any THREE Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (3 x 10 = 30)

- 16 Write about the gender division of labour.
- 17 Explain the role of patriarchy on women's subordination.
- 18 Enumerate the socio-economic factors affecting women's enrolment in education.
- 19 Discuss the consequences of indecent representation of women in media and suggest the remedial measures to solve the problem.
- 20 Explain the laws related to marriage.