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FOURTH SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2022

(CBCSS - UG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC19U DCHIS4 B05 - GENDER STUDIES

(English & History Double Main - Core Course)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : 2.5 Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Credit : 4

Part A (Short answer questions)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

1. What are the limitations imposed by the male dominated culture?
2. Feminist movements.
3. What do you mean by eco-feminism?
4. Social constructivism.
5. Position of women during the later vedic period.
6. Concept of purity and pollution.
7. What do you know about women from the Jatakas?
8. Status of women in Jainism.
9. Women during the colonial period.
10. What are the various agencies in India to improve the status of women?
11. What are the penalty for taking dowry?
12. Mention the penalties for the in decent representation of women in the Act of 1986.
13. What you mean by gender identity?
14. Define Queer theory.
15. Gender disguise.

(Ceiling: 25 Marks)

Part B (Paragraph questions)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

16. Distinguish between sexuality and sexism.
17. Distinguish between Black and Dalit feminism.
18. Discuss briefly about the division of labour in the pre-proto historic period.
19. Discuss the conditions of slave girls in Medieval period.
20. Write briefly about the subaltern view of women.
21. Briefly sketch the health issues of women today.
22. Discuss briefly about the Indian Penal code of 1983.
23. Summarise the functions of the organizations of the Sexual minorities.

(Ceiling: 35 Marks)

Part C (Essay questions)

Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

24. Critically review the concept of patriarchy and matriarchy.
25. Bring out the rights of inheritance in India during the medieval period.
26. Analyse the measures to protect women from domestic violence under the act of 2005.
27. Discuss your suggestions and remedies to the problems of the sexual minorities.

(2 × 10 = 20 Marks)
