

**III. Answer any five questions from the following :
5x5=25**

1. How gender is socially constructed? – discuss
2. How did Talcott Parsons characterize women role in family.
3. Women are universally inferior status to man – discuss.
4. Discuss the status of women in family & workplace in pre-industrial Europe.
5. Write note on status of women in India in vedic period.
6. Enumerate the factors of changing status of women in India during British period.
7. What is personal law? Enumerate the personal laws in India.
8. Write a note property right of women in India
9. Discuss the causes of domestic violence in India.
10. Do you think that women status in India have improved really. If not give reasons.

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Full Marks : 50

Pass Marks : 20

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

A. Answer any fifteen (15) of the following:

15x1=15

1. What is gender?
2. What is Femininity?
3. Gender based stratification in India is horizontal or vertical – answer
4. What does matriarchy mean?
5. In which country women liberation movement started first?
6. Who coined the term matriarchy?
7. Name a women philosopher in the court of Hindu king Janaka.
8. Which year was declared as International Women year by UNO?

9. In which states 'dayabhaga law' was in practice?
10. From which word did the term feminism derive?
11. Who characterised women role in family as expressive role?
12. Write the name of anthropologist who made cross cultural survey on sexual division of labour.
13. Write the name of British sociologist who supported cultural determinism of gender roles.
14. Name the country where 'debdasi' system was in vogue.
15. In which year 'sati' was banned in India.
16. Write the full form of WIA?
17. Write the name of journal Women's Indian Association?
18. Who is Annie Besant?
19. Which article of Indian constitution provides equality to women?
20. Name the book which referred women soldiers in ancient India?
21. In which year special Marriage Act was passed?
22. In which year did Indian women have right the franchise?
23. Point out the figure of women population in India according to 2011 census.
24. In which year National Commission for women was set up?
25. In which year National council for women in India was set up?

26. What is the female literacy rate in India according to 2011 census?
27. Write the name of a sociologist who is a feminist also?
28. Who is the Chairperson of national Commission for women in India?
29. Who wrote the book 'Dalit Women'?
30. In which year Sarada Act was passed in India?
31. What is 'Stridhan' ?

II. Answer any five from the following: 5x2=10

1. Point out two factors for development of sociology of women.
2. What is 'ibadat'?
3. Write the name of two Indian women who advocate for women liberation in pre-independence period.
4. Write two roles of women in HAG society.
5. Name two types of Muslim law prevalent in India.
6. How a woman can become an owner of property in India – write at least two ways.
7. Write two property rights of Christian women.
8. Write two causes of domestic violence in India.
9. Write two objectives of the reservation bill for women in India
10. Point out two characteristics of women in modern India.