



Master of Arts
M.A. in Sociology Semester I

Course Code	PA01ESOC54	Title of the Course	Gender And Society
Total Credits of the Course	05	Hours per Week	05

Course Objectives:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. To introduce the students to the regarding role of biology and culture in the determining Gender roles.2. To orient the students to the theories of regarding Gender.3. To orient the students to the feminist thought and feminism.
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Course Content		
Unit	Description	Weightage*(%)
1.	Meaning, Scope, Nature of Gender and Society - Concept of Gender - Gender Vs Biology - Gender based Socialization - Sexual division of Labor	20
2.	Theories regarding Gender - Biological theory - Psychological theory - Socialist theory - Reaction of Gender theories	20
3.	Emergence of Feminist thought and Feminism - Liberal Feminism - Radical Feminism - Socialist Feminism - Marxism Feminism - Spiritualities Feminism - Psychological Feminism - Existential Feminism - Post modern Feminism	20





4.	Development Policy and its impacts - Women Development Programme - Impact of Development Programmes on Women Status - Impact of Globalisation and Privatization on Women Status	20
5	Gender Issues in Indian Society - Gender based violence - Women Political Participation - Health related problem of women - Education related problem of women	20

Teaching-Learning Methodology	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- To deliver lecture on the topic- Discussion on the topic- Indicate the present and future importance of the topic- To give synopsis of the topic- To give list of the reference book- To assign research project related to the subject- To assign assignment and tutorial to the subject- Special discussion and additional classes are requested topic by student and additional lecture will be taken in needed.- Students will be guided for research for research project- Audio / Video lectures will be used.- Remedial class will be taken
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Evaluation Pattern		
Sr. No.	Details of the Evaluation	Weightage
1.	Internal Written / Practical Examination (As per CBCS R.6.8.3)	15%
2.	Internal Continuous Assessment in the form of Practical, Viva-voce, Quizzes, Seminars, Assignments, Attendance (As per CBCS R.6.8.3)	15%
3.	University Examination	70%





Course Outcomes: Having completed this course, the learner will be able to

1.	Students will be able to understand the theories of Gender.
2.	Students will explain the influence of Socialization and Gender roles in India.
3.	Students will understand the Feminist thoughts and Feminism.
4.	Students will be aware the Gender related problem in India.
5.	Students will be able to understand the Sociological Perspectives of Gender.

Suggested References:

Sr. No.	References
1.	Alterkar A.S. (1983): The Position of women in Hindu Civilization. Delhi Motilal Banarasi, class second, editor fifth print
2.	Ashokkumar and Harish: Women, Power, Status of women in India.
3.	Desai Neer and Krishnaraj (1987) Women and Society in India, Delhi, Ajanta.
4.	Amy M. Black Stone (2003), Gender And Society.
5.	Ann Oqkley (2015), Sex, Gender and Society.
6.	Dr. Ila M. Macwan (2015), Gender and Society, Brick Publication (Gujarati)
7.	Jilla A. Fisher (2011), Gender and the Science of Difference.
8.	Joseph F. Healey, Diversity and Society: Race, Ethnicity and Gender.
9.	Kala Rani (1976), Role Conflict in Working Women.
10.	K. H. Vankatryappa, Feminine Role 1986.
11.	Marjore Agosin (2003), Women, Gender and human rights – A global perspectives.
12.	Micheal Kimmel, The Gender and Society.





13.	R.W. and Sames (2005), Gender & Society
14.	Wee Vicienne (1998), Rrade Liberalization and women: An Overview Singapore
15.	Ila Macwan (2015), Gender And Society (Guj.) Brick Publication.

On-line resources to be used if available as reference material

On-line Resources of Gender And Society

1. Lumen Introduction to Sociology Gender, Sex & Secularity
2. <http://openstaxcollege.org/1/2ekinsey>
3. <http://www.campbell.kibler.com|stereo.pdf>.

