

Course Code: BGS 003

Course Title: Socio-political Dimensions of Gender and Science

Assignment No: AST/TMA/BGS003-2024

Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Assignment with plagiarized material will not be accepted for evaluation.

(10 marks for each answer)

Part I: Attempt any ten of the following questions. Word limit for writing each answer will be minimum 300 and maximum 500 words. Each answer carries equal marks.

10×10= 100 marks

1. Define science literacy.
2. Discuss gender as an occupational barrier in science.
3. What is meant by gender stereotyping in science? Explain.
4. Write a brief history of Indian planning from a gender lens.
5. Explain the components of Knowledge Involvement in Research Advancement through Nurturing-KIRAN programme.
6. Describe Athena SWAN Charter as a programme for increasing gender inclusivity in science.
7. Define gender budgeting.
8. Identify the barriers to women entrepreneurship in the small-scale industries.
9. Describe the advantages of manufacturing sector in India.
10. What is meant by commercialisation of surrogacy? Explain.
11. Discuss any two international initiatives towards promoting women in science.
12. Write a brief essay on women's access to science education.
13. Discuss the indicators of Global Gender Gap Index.
14. What is understood as Nature/Nurture debates? Explain.
15. Define inter-sectionality in relation science.