

MASTERS IN ANTHROPOLOGY (MAAN)

Term-End Examination

December, 2016

MANE-004 : GENDER AND SOCIETY

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. The word limit for each answer of the 20 marks questions is 500 words, for 10 marks questions is 250 and for 5 marks questions is 125 words. Attempt at least two questions from each section.

SECTION - A

1. How is Patriarchy understood in anthropological literature ? Trace its origin through available theories. 20
2. What are the major theories of gender ? Discuss the similarities and differences observed among them. 20
3. How does socialization of gender occur ? Discuss two agents of socialization in detail. 20
4. What is the role of gender in kinship ? Elucidate your answer with gender roles practiced in patrilineal and matrilineal societies. 20

5. Write short notes on **any four** of the following : 5x4
- (a) Concept of gender
 - (b) Black feminism
 - (c) Judith Butler
 - (d) Role of family in socialization
 - (e) Status of Indian tribal women

SECTION - B

6. Critically discuss the politics of gender discrimination in work spaces in India. 20
7. Examine the intersection between gender and ethnicity and how are stereotypes created due to it. 20
8. Elucidate the reasons for women's marginal role in the media industry. 20
9. Describe and differentiate between **any two** of the following : 10+10
- (a) Concept of Sex and Gender
 - (b) Paid and Unpaid Labour
 - (c) Gender from the perspective of caste and class.
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