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**MPYE-015**

**M. A. (PHILOSOPHY) (MAPY)**

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2020**

**MPYE-015 : GANDHIAN PHILOSOPHY**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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**Note :** *Answer all the **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Answers to question no. 1 and 2 should be in about **500** words each.*

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1. Explain the important aspects of Sarvodaya in Gandhian thought. 20

*Or*

Discuss the care of Gandhi's religious experience and examine the factors that contributed to his religious experience.

2. Examine the contributions of Gandhi as a social reformer with special reference to the problem of untouchability and empowerment of women. 20

*Or*

Critically analyse the concept of God and Truth in Gandhian thought.

3. Answer any **two** of the following in about **250** words each :
- (a) What were the criticisms raised by Gandhi against Western Civilization and Modernity ? 10
  - (b) Explain the various techniques of Satyagraha employed by Gandhi. 10
  - (c) Examine the role of faith in Gandhian thought. 10
  - (d) Reflect on the factors that contributed to the making of Mahatma. 10
4. Answer any **four** of the following in about **150** words each :
- (a) Analyse briefly Gandhi's views on secularism. 5
  - (b) What is relevance of the concept of non-violence in Gandhian thought ? 5
  - (c) How did Gandhi distinguish between Absolute Truth and Relative Truth ? 5

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- (d) Discuss the philosophy of man according to Gandhi. 5
- (e) Explain briefly the principles of religious harmony from the Gandhian viewpoint. 5
- (f) What is the significance of Gandhian concept of Swaraj ? 5
5. Write short notes on any *five* of the following in about **100** words each :
- (a) Interpretation of Purushartas by Gandhi 4
- (b) Peace education 4
- (c) Varna system 4
- (d) Criticism of Gandhian concept of Satyagraha 4
- (e) Phoenix settlement 4
- (f) Non-possession 4
- (g) Character, according to Gandhi 4
- (h) Bread labour 4