

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN FOLKLORE
AND CULTURE STUDIES**

Term-End Examination

June, 2013

**MFC-004 : TRIBES OF INDIA, IDENTITY,
CULTURE AND LORE**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : All the questions are compulsory and carry equal marks, unless otherwise instructed.

1. Discuss the lifestyles and subsistence pattern of tribes in India. 20

OR

Give brief introduction of some important tribes of India and describe their habits of seasonal migration.

2. "Tribe is a colonial construction". Do you agree? Give examples in support of your argument. 20

OR

Who are the Nomads? Discuss the present status of Nomadic tribes of India.

3. Examine the relation between forests and the tribes and explain how tribes use forest products for their livelihood. 20

OR

Discuss the relation between 'tribe' politics and development.

4. Discuss the origin and myths of Gond tribe. 20

OR

Describe social and cultural life of the Garo tribe in detail.

5. Write short notes on *any two* of the following within 250 words : 10x2=20

- (a) Banjara Tribe
 - (b) Forest laws of India
 - (c) Nomadic Tribes
 - (d) The Santhal
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