

POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN FOLKLORE
AND CULTURE STUDIES

Term-End Examination

June, 2016

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

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

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

1. "Tribe is a colonial construction." Discuss. 20

OR

Explain the types of cultivation methods practiced by various tribes in the country. Describe each method with examples.

2. Write in detail the present status of the nomadic tribes of India. 20

OR

What are the characteristic features of the hunting gathering tribes of India ?

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

OR

What is seasonal migration ? List out some nomadic tribes of India and their habits of seasonal migration.

4. Discuss the characteristics of Nomads and their food habits. 20

OR

Mention social and cultural life of the Garo tribes in detail.

5. Write short notes on **any two** of the following : **10x2=20**
- (a) Jhum cultivation
 - (b) Chakmas
 - (c) Status of the Nomads during colonial rule
 - (d) Forest Rights of the tribal
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