

MASTER'S DEGREE IN SOCIAL WORK (MSW)

Term-End Examination

June, 2015

MSWE-041 : UNDERSTANDING THE TRIBALS

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

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- Note :**
- (i) *Answer all the five questions.*
 - (ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*
 - (iii) *Answers to questions 1 and 2 should not exceed 500 words each.*
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1. Discuss the factors influencing Health and Nutrition of the Tribals. **20**
- OR**
- What is Draft National Policy ? Explain. **20**
2. Explain the health strategies to be followed to promote health among the tribal population. **20**
- OR**
- Discuss the steps taken by the government to empower the tribals. **20**
3. Answer any two of the following in about 250 words each :
- (a) Discuss the main characteristics of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989. **10**
 - (b) What was the policy of integration in post-independence period ? Explain. **10**
 - (c) Write about the tribal policies during pre-independence period. **10**
 - (d) What are the arguments against tribes to be referred as Indigenous people ? **10**

4. Answer **any four** of the following in about **150** words each :
- (a) Discuss the policy of assimilation with regards to the tribal population. 5
 - (b) Are there any educational hurdles faced by the tribals ? Elucidate. 5
 - (c) Explain the disempowerment process of tribals in India. 5
 - (d) Elucidate on the relationship between the United Nation and Indigenous People. 5
 - (e) Explain briefly the main features of Forest Dwelling Scheduled Tribes (FDSTs). 5
 - (f) What do you understand by contemporary debates and the policy of neglect ? 5
5. Write short notes on **any five** of the following in about **100** words each :
- (a) Anthropological perspectives in tribal studies 4
 - (b) Diet and nutritional status of the tribals 4
 - (c) Positive discrimination 4
 - (d) Present status of STs in India 4
 - (e) Tribal Sub-Plan (TSP) 4
 - (f) Functions of Tribal Research Institutes 4
 - (g) Characteristics of indigenous people 4
 - (h) Political reservation given to scheduled tribes 4
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