

MASTER'S DEGREE IN SOCIAL WORK (MSW)

Term-End Examination

June, 2015

MSWE-042 : TRIBALS IN INDIA

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : (i) *Answer all the five questions.*

(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*

(iii) *Answer to question 1 and 2 should not exceed 500 words each.*

1. What do you know about the tribes of Puducherry ? Discuss the life style of any one tribe. 20

OR

Describe the social hierarchy of tribes in Tamil Nadu. 20

2. Explain the types of tribal language found in India. Discuss any two tribal languages. 20

OR

Who are the Shompens ? Write about their social organisation. 20

3. Answer any two of the following in about 250 words each :

(a) Describe the life situation of Sentinelese. 10

(b) What is the status of women in the south of India vis-a-vis the women in the north-east ? 10

- (c) Has there been any change among the Andaman and Nicobar tribes, after contact with the 'outsiders' ? Explain. 10
- (d) Discuss the role of Christian Missionaries in the advancement of the tribes. 10
4. Answer **any four** of the following in about **150** words each :
- (a) Write about the practices pertaining to marriage, divorce and re-marriage among the tribes of Chattisgarh. 5
- (b) Discuss the occupation and culture of tribals in Gujarat. 5
- (c) Describe any one important tribe found in Jharkhand. 5
- (d) Does India has any dominant tribe ? Discuss. 5
- (e) Who are the Bhils ? Explain their culture and religion. 5
- (f) Write about the culture and beliefs of any one tribe of Lakshadweep. 5
5. Write short notes on **any five** of the following in about **100** words each :
- (a) Common characteristic of a tribe. 4
- (b) Religious beliefs of Chakma tribes of Mizoram. 4
- (c) Nepali tribe of Sikkim. 4
- (d) Demographic profile of the tribes in West Bengal as per census 2001. 4
- (e) List the major tribes of Bihar. 4
- (f) Economic organization of Konda Reddis of Andhra Pradesh. 4
- (g) Cultural elements of tribals in Kerala. 4
- (h) Tribe (any one) found in Himachal Pradesh. 4