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2021
B.A./B.Sc. (Hons.) Fifth Semester
Political Science
Paper [Opt. (iii)]: Women and Political Process

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 90

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. I which is compulsory and selecting one question from each Unit.

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I. Attempt any nine of the following:-

- a) What is Patriarchy and how it affects women?
- b) How do you define Socialist Feminism?
- c) Identify two liberal feminists and their major works.
- d) How do you define Personal is political?
- e) What was the slogan of French Revolution?
- f) When women in India did get Right to Vote?
- g) Name two women leaders in the Indian National Movement.
- h) What are the demographic indicators of women's status?
- i) Write a note on "Enfranchisement of Women".
- j) Evaluate the importance of Seventy Third Amendment Act.
- k) Write a note on the position of women in the Vedic Period.
- l) Write a note on the property rights of women in India.
- m) Discuss the role of education in empowering women.
- n) Write a note on Inter Parliamentary Union.
- o) Which is first major Feminist Text?

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UNIT – I

- II. Define Feminism. Critically analyze the liberal feminists strand with reference to the views of Mary Wolstonecraft. (18)
- III. Differentiate between Liberal and Marxists perspectives of Feminism. (18)

UNIT – II

- IV. Write a detailed note on the role of women in the Civil Rights Movement in the West. (18)
- V. Write a note on the contribution of women in the Indian National movement. (18)

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UNIT – III

- VI. Discuss the major issues confronted by women in the decade of 70's and 80's. (18)
- VII. Discuss the significant changes brought about in India in property rights of women. (18)

UNIT – IV

- VIII. How 73rd and 74th Amendments have brought about revolutionary changes in the lives of women. (18)
- IX. Write a detailed essay on the women's movement against Dowry in India. (18)

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