

**BA POLITICAL SCIENCE
THIRD SEMESTER
SOCIOLOGY OF GENDER
BSO-303 (GENERIC ELECTIVE)
[USE OMR SHEET FOR OBJECTIVE PART]**

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Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Time: 30 mins.

(Objective)

Marks: 20

Choose the correct answer from the following:

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1. The first wave of feminism took place in.....
 - a. the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries
 - b. Late 20th century
 - c. 21st century
 - d. none
2. What is patriarchy?
Patriarchy is a social system in which
 - a. positions of dominance and privilege are primarily held by men
 - b. positions of dominance and privilege are primarily held by women
 - c. Only a
 - d. Both a and b
3. refers to a group of people sharing the same social, economic, or occupational status
 - a. Caste
 - b. Class
 - c. Religion
 - d. nation
4. Homosexuality was legalized in India by repealing Section 377 in-----
 - a. 2000
 - b. 2008
 - c. 2013
 - d. 2018
5. Which of the following is the cause for gender inequality?
 - a. Poverty
 - b. Illiteracy
 - c. Patriarchy
 - d. All of the above
6. A person's sexual and emotional attraction to people of the same gender is called
 - a. Heterosexuality
 - b. Homosexuality
 - c. Transgender
 - d. Bi-sexuality
7. LGBT identities gained importance in various circles after.....
 - a. First wave feminism
 - b. Second wave feminism
 - c. Third wave feminism
 - d. Fourth wave feminism
8. International Women's Day is celebrated on
 - a. February 14
 - b. March 8
 - c. May 12
 - d. October 24
9. The first wave of women's movement stood mainly for
 - a. Right to education
 - b. Abolition of Child Marriage
 - c. Right to Vote
 - d. Right to Equality

10. Ignoring or failing to address the gender dimensions is called---
- Gender discrimination
 - Gender Blind
 - Patriarchy
 - Gender Oppression
11. What is sexual harassment?
Sexual harassment includes unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical harassment of a sexual nature in the workplace or learning environment
- Both a and b
 - Welcome sexual advances
 - None
 - None
12. What is the sociological definition of gender?
- The characteristics, behaviours and norms that society ascribes to a person of one sex or the other.
 - Whether a person is biologically and anatomically male or female or transgender.
 - Whether a person considers himself/herself to be male or female.
 - The behaviours and characteristics that are produced by a person that is anatomically male or anatomically female.
13. Caste is a form of social stratification characterized by.....
- endogamy
 - hereditary transmission of a style of life which often includes an occupation
 - ritual status in a hierarchy
 - All of the above
14. The third wave of feminism emerged in.....
- Mid-1990s
 - Early 20th century
 - 21st century
 - All of the above
15. Sex, in its broadest sense, refers to
- It refers to the socio-cultural definition of man and woman
 - The term sex refers to the distinction between the biological male and female.
 - Both a and b
 - none
16. Gender, in broadest sense, refers to
- It refers to the socio-cultural definition of man and woman
 - the way societies distinguish men and women and assign them social roles
 - Both a and b
 - none
17. Which of the following institution is responsible for production of gender inequality
- Education
 - Media
 - Economy
 - Culture
18. Family infuses gendering through
- Cultural symbols
 - Language
 - Norms
 - All of the above
19. Personal sense of one's own gender is called
- sex
 - Pansexual
 - gender identity
 - Bisexual

20. Why are sex role stereotypes negative for women?

- a. They require women to display aggression
- b. They justify the promotion of women
- c. They justify discrimination and domination of women.
- d. None

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(Descriptive)

Time : 2 hrs. 30 mins.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

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| 1. What is Feminism? Briefly discuss about the types of feminism. | 5+5=10 |
| 2. Define Gender. Elaborate the differences between Gender and Sex. | 2+8=10 |
| 3. How Caste and Gender are interrelated. Describe with your view points. | 10 |
| 4. Explain the concept of patriarchy with examples. | 10 |
| 5. Discuss the different agents of gendered socialisation | 10 |
| 6. Write a short note on Sociology of Gender & Its importance in social arena. | 10 |
| 7. Discuss in detail the different areas where women are victims of subordination | 10 |
| 8. Explain the relationship between family, work and gender. | 5+5=10 |

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