

3/MDC-211 Syllabus-2023

2025

(Nov-Dec)

FYUP : 3rd Semester Examination

MULTIDISCIPLINARY COURSE

(Gender Studies)

MDC-211

Marks : 56

Time : 2 hours 30 mins

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

PART—A

(Short answer-type questions)

Answer any *four* questions : $4 \times 4 = 16$

1. Explain the origin of women studies.
2. What does the 'paradigm shift' from women studies to gender studies mainly emphasize?
3. What does the '+' in LGBT+ represent in the context of gender studies?
4. Explain the concept of 'gender'.

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5. Explain matriliney by giving at least one suitable example.
6. Briefly discuss one major form of gender discrimination found within families.

PART—B

(Descriptive answer-type questions)

Answer any *four* questions :

10×4=40

7. Discuss the origin and growth of gender studies.
8. Explain sexual harassment in workplaces.
9. Explain the difference between sex and gender in academic and social debates.
10. Explain the importance of gender sensitization in educational institutions.
11. Compare and contrast patriarchy and matriliney with reference to family structures and inheritance.
12. Discuss the role of religious institutions in creating gender-sensitive environment.

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