

SIXTH SEMESTER U.G. (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION
MARCH 2024

Reg. No.....

History

HIS 6B 13/HIS 4B 20—GENDER STUDIES
(2019 Admission onwards)

Two Hours and a Half

Maximum : 80 Marks

*Answer can be written either in ENGLISH or MALAYALAM.
Only one language should be used throughout the Answer script.*

Section A (Short Answer Type)

Answer the questions in two or three sentences.

Each questions carries 2 marks.

(Ceiling 25 marks).

The Second Sex.

LeelaDube.

Dalit feminism.

Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act 2005.

Indian Penal Code.

Gender Identity.

Third gender.

Coming Out.

Queerythm.

SGMFK.

Sex.

Women literacy in India.

Altekar.

Women in Buddhism.

Women life in Mughal harem.

Turn

Section B (Paragraph Type)

Answer the questions in 100 words.

Each question carries 5 marks.

(Ceiling 35 marks).

16. Write a note on Gender Performativity Theory.
17. How far colonial rule of laws helped to the improvement of women.
18. Examine the salient features of the Indecent Representation of Women [Prohibition] Act 1986.
19. Write a note on Dowry Prohibition Act of 1961.
20. Examine the activities of the organizations of sexual minorities.
21. Explain the Queer Theory.
22. Describe the status of women in early Indian societies.
23. Critically examine the rights of women in marriage and inheritance during the medieval period.

Section C [Essays]

*Answer any **two** of the following questions.*

Each question carries 10 marks

24. Gender as a social construction'. Examine.
25. Evaluate the contribution of Uma Chakravathy exposed to the origin Brahmanical patriarchy.
26. Discuss the active participation of women in politics during the present time.
27. Examine the women involvement in technology and tool making in the pre-proto historical period.

(2 × 10 = 20 marks)