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Fourth Semester M.Sc. Degree Examination, March 2021

Home Science

X B : FAMILY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

HS 244 B — WOMEN'S STUDIES

(2018 Admission onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

PART – I

All questions carry equal marks. No answer should exceed **4** pages.

1. (a) Trace the concept and significance of women's studies. Justify women's studies as an academic discipline.

OR

- (b) Elaborate on the status of women in India highlighting the changing role in the new millennium.

2. (a) Discuss in detail on the portrayal of women in mass media and the problems related to the same.

OR

- (b) Explain in detail on the role of women in micro enterprises and entrepreneurship. Justify with suitable examples.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)

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PART – II

All questions carry equal marks. No answer should exceed **2** pages.

3. (a) Explain the impact of globalization on women's employment.

OR

- (b) Explain in detail on the need for legal literacy for women. Brief on the laws relating to abortion.

4. (a) Discuss the programmes and initiatives put forward by the national and state commissions for women for developing the women folk.

OR

- (b) Elaborate on the laws pertaining to marriage and divorce.

(2 × 10 = 20 Marks)

PART – III

Write **any five** of the following each not exceeding **1** page.

5. (a) Write a note on Indecent representation of Women Act 1986.
- (b) Discuss in brief on the programmes undertaken to alleviate poverty among women.
- (c) Write short notes on maternal and reproductive health issues.
- (d) Explain what is gender bias.
- (e) Brief on the pre independent movement taken up by women.
- (f) Explain the services offered for women in organized sectors.
- (g) Write a note on unmarried mothers.

(5 × 5 = 25 Marks)

