

**BA LLB
THIRD SEMESTER
SOCIOLOGY OF GENDER
BLB – 303**

[USE OMR SHEET FOR OBJECTIVE PART]

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Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Time: 30 min.

[Objective]

Marks: 20

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1 × 20 = 20

1. The normative ideal of dominant masculinity is called...
 - a. Emphasized Masculinity
 - b. Western Masculinity
 - c. Dominant Masculinity
 - d. Hegemonic Masculinity
2. refers to a group of people sharing the same social, economic, or occupational status
 - a. Caste
 - b. Class
 - c. Religion
 - d. nation
3. is a range of socio-political movements and ideologies that aim to define and establish the political, economic, personal, and social equality of the sexes.
 - a. naxalism
 - b. Feminism
 - c. Both a and b
 - d. none
4. Feminism is both a movement and
 - a. an approach to social and intellectual issues
 - b. of particular interest to all women
 - c. a style of scientific investigation
 - d. a historical moment that has been superseded by other concerns
5. Feminism is concerned with identifying and remedying harm against and disadvantage
 - a. to women in business
 - b. to women in academia
 - c. to women in the sciences
 - d. arising from biases against women
6. Feminists argue that, among other things, prejudices against women lead to.....
 - a. much-needed discussions about the role of women in society
 - b. widespread discrediting of women's ideas and experience
 - c. policies that enforce equity
 - d. an unbalanced life
7. Some feminists argue that women are denied some characteristic essential to full personhood, thereby making them
 - a. equivalent to men
 - b. less than human
 - c. superior to men
 - d. a different sort of human than men
8. Simone de Beauvoir's central question is,.....
 - a. What is gender
 - b. What is equality
 - c. What is woman
 - d. What is Other

9. Feminist movements have campaigned and continue to campaign for.....
- women's rights
 - right to vote
 - Both a and b
 - none
10. Feminists have also worked to ensure access to.....
- contraception
 - legal abortions
 - Both a and b
 - none
11. The first wave of feminism took place in.....
- the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries
 - Late 20th century
 - 21st century
 - none
12. The second wave feminism movement took place in.....
- the 1960s and 1970s
 - Early 20th century
 - 21st century
 - none
13. Caste is a form of social stratification characterised 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. Sexuality refers to.....
- the characteristics of a person that might make you physically or sexually attracted to them.
 - Sex appeal
 - Both
 - none
16. Biologists and sociologists often contradict each other on the issue of
- sex and gender correlation.
 - power and gender correlation
 - Both a and b
 - none
17. What is patriarchy?
- Patriarchy is a social system in which positions of dominance and privilege are primarily held by men
 - Patriarchy is a social system in which positions of dominance and privilege are primarily held by women
 - Only a
 - Both a and b
18. Sex, in its broadest sense, refers to
- biological and physiological differences between men and women.
 - The term sex refers to the distinction between the biological male and female.
 - Both a and b
 - none

19. Gender, in broadest sense, refers to
- a. It refers to the socio-cultural definition of man and woman
 - b. the way societies distinguish men and women and assign them social roles
 - c. Both a and b
 - d. none
20. 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
- a. Welcome sexual advances
 - b. Welcome sexual advances
 - c. Both a and b
 - d. none

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(Descriptive)

Time : 2 hrs. 30 min.

Marks : 50

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

1. Explain the concept sex and gender. Do you agree with the feminist view that they are social constructions? Give reasons for your answer. 10
2. Explain the concept of patriarchy with examples. 10
3. Discuss Gender Socialization and what are the possible steps which can be taken to bring a equilibrium according to you? 10
4. Discuss meaning of Sexual Harassment. 10
5. Discuss how media is influencing the gender roles 10
6. Highlight the role of Social Reformers in to bring changes in women's lives 10
7. What is feminism? Explain 10
8. Explain the relationship between family, work and gender. 10

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