

**2025**

**( CBCS )**

**( 6th Semester )**

**EDUCATION**

**Paper : EDN DSE-3A**

**( Gender and Education )**

**Full Marks : 75**

**Pass Marks : 40%**

**Time : 3 hours**

**( PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE )**

**( Marks : 50 )**

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

- 1. (a) What is gender? Discuss the difference  
between gender and sex.** **4+6=10**

**Or**

- (b) Explain the concept of gender  
sensitization.** **10**

2. (a) Discuss gender socialization.

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Or

(b) Bring out the different points of gender biases in the family and schools.  $5+5=10$

3. (a) Discuss gender disparity in education. 10

Or

(b) Explain educational goals from gender perspectives.

4. (a) Discuss gender gap in the political sphere and employment area.  $5+5=10$

Or

(b) Discuss the gender gap in the economic sphere and health care.  $5+5=10$

5. (a) Discuss women's rights and its obstacles in India.  $5+5=10$

Or

(b) Write different constitutional provisions relating to women in India. 10

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( PART : A—OBJECTIVE )

( Marks : 25 )

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A. Choose the correct answer and put a tick (✓) mark against it :  $1 \times 15 = 15$

1. Gender refers to the \_\_\_\_\_ constructed roles and identities of girls and boys, men, women, and gender verse of peoples.

(a) socially ( )

(b) biologically ( )

(c) mentally ( )

(d) spiritually ( )

2. Sex refers to a set of biological attributes in human and

- (a) insects ( )
- (b) animals ( )
- (c) birds ( )
- (d) plants ( )

3. Gender sensitization means teaching people about the different

- (a) human beings ( )
- (b) men ( )
- (c) genders ( )
- (d) women ( )

4. One of the advantages of gender sensitization is that it is an aid in reducing violence and crime against

- (a) boys ( )
- (b) girls ( )
- (c) animals ( )
- (d) transgenders ( )

5. Gender socialization is the process of learning how to behave in accordance with gender expectations of one's

- (a) culture ( )
- (b) religion ( )
- (c) tribe ( )
- (d) caste ( )

6. The primary influence on gender socialization is of

- (a) parents ( )
- (b) media ( )
- (c) schools ( )
- (d) workplaces ( )

7. According to gender biases report, many girls fail to enroll at

- (a) primary stage ( )
- (b) elementary stage ( )
- (c) higher secondary stage ( )
- (d) university stage ( )

8. Addressing disparities requires a collective approach considering cultural, economic, and infrastructural

- (a) materials ( )
- (b) knowledge ( )
- (c) challenges ( )
- (d) wisdom ( )

9. Educational goals from gender perspective mean boys and girls are exposed to the same

- (a) curricula ( )
- (b) books ( )
- (c) class ( )
- (d) institution ( )

10. Gender gap in political area is concerned with how people's gender structures their participation in and experience of

- (a) social events ( )
- (b) cultural events ( )
- (c) religious events ( )
- (d) political events ( )

11. The current global labour force participation rate for women is just

- (a) 47% ( )
- (b) 48% ( )
- (c) 49% ( )
- (d) 50% ( )

12. Heavily male-dominated industries are finance, insurance, science, and

- (a) electricity ( )
- (b) technology ( )
- (c) market ( )
- (d) workshop ( )

13. When economists speak of the gender gap, they usually refer to systematic differences in the outcomes that men and women achieve in the

- (a) factory ( )
- (b) industry ( )
- (c) market ( )
- (d) workshop ( )

14. Women in India face multifaceted challenges including gender disparities in

- (a) health care ( )
- (b) prostitution ( )
- (c) domestic issues ( )
- (d) child marriage ( )

15. Men and women to have equal rights and opportunities in the political, economic, and social spheres is provided by the Article \_\_\_\_ of the Indian Constitution.

- (a) 12 ( )
- (b) 13 ( )
- (c) 14 ( )
- (d) 15 ( )

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**B. Write short notes on any five of the following :**

$$2 \times 5 = 10$$

1. Difference between gender and sex

( 7 )

**2. Gender biases in the school**

( 8 )

3. Gender gap in employment area

( 9 )

4. Gender gap in economic area

( 10 )

5. Women empowerment

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( 11 )

6. Need of gender education

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7. Gender justice

( 13 )

8. Educational goals from women's perspective

9. Educational goals from men's perspective

10. Article 45 of the Indian Constitution about free  
and compulsory education

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