

63/1 (SEM-5) PSC DSE 502 (DSE 2)

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(Held in 2022)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Paper : DSE-2

(Women and Politics)

Full Marks : 80

Time : 3 hours

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

1. Choose the correct answer : **1×6=6**

(a) Patriarchy literally means

- (i) rule of the father
- (ii) rule of the mother
- (iii) rule of the son
- (iv) rule of the daughter

(b) Which Article of the Indian Constitution gives women equal rights?

- (i) Article 13
- (ii) Article 14
- (iii) Article 15
- (iv) Article 19

- (c) Who among the following raised the slogan—"The personal is political"?
- (i) Carol Hanisch
 - (ii) J. S. Mill
 - (iii) Simone de Beauvoir
 - (iv) Mary Wollstonecraft
- (d) The National Policy on Empowerment of Women was adopted on
- (i) 20th March, 2001
 - (ii) 13th March, 2010
 - (iii) 12th April, 2005
 - (iv) 19th April, 2011
- (e) Betty Friedan was associated with
- (i) eco-feminism
 - (ii) radical feminism
 - (iii) black feminism
 - (iv) liberal feminism
- (f) The joint family among Nayars is known as
- (i) Kpob
 - (ii) Dayabhaga
 - (iii) Tarwad
 - (iv) Mitakshara

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2. Answer the following questions : $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (a) What is radical feminism?
- (b) Write two characteristics of family.
- (c) What is NCWI?
- (d) Define Community and State.
- (e) What do you mean by patriarchy?

3. Write short notes on (any six) : $5 \times 6 = 30$

- (a) Reproductive and care work
- (b) Difference between sex and gender
- (c) Liberal feminism
- (d) Women's role in the family
- (e) Joint family
- (f) Property rights of the Indian women
- (g) Violence against women
- (h) Visible and invisible work
- (i) Impact of patriarchy on men

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(Turn Over)

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

10×2=20

(a) Define feminism. Discuss its major waves. 3+7=10

(b) Examine the factors responsible for disintegration of family.

(c) What is domestic violence against women? Analyze the forms of domestic violence against women. 4+6=10

5. Answer any *one* of the following questions : 14

(a) "Patriarchy is a system of social structures and practices, in which men dominate, oppress and exploit women." (Sylvia Walby). Comment.

(b) What do you understand by Women's Movement? Examine the major issues of Contemporary Women's Movement in India. 4+10=14
