

**CENTRE FOR HUMAN EXCELLENCE
JAMAL MOHAMED COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)
TIRUCHIRAPPALLI- 620 020**

Semester	Code	Course	Title of the course	Hours	Credits	Max. Marks	Internal Marks	External Marks
IV / VI	20BCN4AE3 / 20UCN6AE3	Ability Enhancement Course-III	Gender Studies	1	1	100	100	-

Course Outcomes (COs):

On successful completion of the course, the learners will be able to:

CO1: Understand the concept of gender, sex and social construction

CO2: Report gender inequality in family and society

CO3: Discuss the various forms of discrimination of women

CO4: Comprehend women's rights in India

CO5: Analyse issues concerning gender inequality; eliminate crime against women and children.

Unit –I

3 hours

Gender

Gender meaning, concept and relevance, differences between gender and sex, social construction of family and masculinity, biological determinism of gender.

Unit - II

3 hours

Evolution of Gender Awareness

Gender inequality in family, society, labor market - organized, unorganized; Feminist thought, understanding the role of gender; women's movement in Europe, USA and pre & post independent India.

Unit - III

3 hours

International Conventions and Covenants

UN conventions, covenants on all the forms of discriminations of women (CEDAW), social right, political right, economical right.

Unit - IV

3 hours

Women's rights in India

Enactment of laws regarding gender discrimination- abolition of sati, abolition of child marriage, enactment of widow remarriage, women's rights in Indian constitution, anti dowry, PNDT, Domestic works, POSCO, abortion act.

Unit - V

3 hours

Analysis of Gender Inequality

Gender inequality at home and neighborhood, work place. Crime against women and children, issues related to women-sexual harassment, female infanticide, Eve teasing, dowry, child trafficking, human trafficking, forced marriage, domestic violence.

References:

1. Sujata Sen, Gender Studies - Pearson Education, First edition, 2012.
2. N. Manimekalai and S. Suba, Gender Studies, Publication Division, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli, 2011,

Web References:

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Activity: I

- Documentary / Poster presentation
- Elocution- (Speech on gender discrimination for 3 to 5 minutes)
- Case Studies / Highlighting day-to-day issues
- Debating / Report Submission – Gender inequality

Activity: II

- Quiz / MCQ on Gender studies.

Activity: III

- Album making– regarding gender related issues

Activity: IV

- Essay writing / Assignment

EVALUATION COMPONENT:

Component I : (25 marks)

Documentary (or) Poster Presentation (or) Elocution - 25 Marks

Component II: (25 marks)

Quiz (or) MCQ -25 marks

Component III: (25 marks)

Album Making (or) Case study on a topic (or) Field Visit - 25 marks

Component IV: (25 marks)

Essay Writing (or) Assignment (Minimum 10 pages) - 25 marks

TOTAL: 100 marks