

**BA (Hons.) Examination- 2024**  
**Minor Subject for NEP (Theory)**  
**Semester- I**  
**Subject: Women's Studies**  
**Paper: Fundamentals of Women's Studies**  
**Paper Code: MNWS01**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Total Marks: 80**

**Questions are of value as indicated on the margin**

**Answer any four questions:**

1. Are sex and gender same? Give reasons. Discuss the concept of sex roles and gender roles with examples. .6+14
2. What are the essential attributes of the discipline of Women's Studies? Trace the historical context of the discipline with special reference to the Towards Equality Report. 8+12
3. How would you define gender inequality? What are the important causes for gender inequality in India? 5+15
4. Define patriarchy. Discuss with examples how patriarchy is reflected in our everyday lives. 5+15
5. Define violence against women. Discuss how women face violence throughout their lives in India. 5+15
6. Give an account of the history of women's movement in Independent India. 20