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# Sixth Semester B.A. Degree Examination, March 2021

# First Degree Programme under CBCSS

**Political Science** 

Core Course XIV

PS 1644 : NEW SOCIAL MOVEMENTS

(2018 Admission Regular)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

#### PART - A

Answer all questions. Each answer shall not exceed **one** or two sentences. Each answer carries **1** mark.

- 1. Standing Protest of Adivasis.
- 2. Patriarchy.
- 3. Dalit Feminism.
- 4. Non-Governmental Organizations.
- Human Rights Movements
- 6. Anna Hazare.
- 7. Neoliberalism.
- Silent Valley Agitation.

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- 9. Resource Mobilization Theory.
- Reformatory Social Movements.

### PART - B

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$ 

Answer any **eight** questions. Each answer shall not exceed one paragraph. Each answer carries **2** marks.

- Bring out the features of Old Social Movements.
- 12. What are the characteristics of identity based New Social Movements?
- 13. Discuss the role of New Social Movements in promoting Democracy.
- 14. Write a note on Muthanga Land Struggle.
- 15. What do you mean by Gender Equality?
- 16. Discuss the nature of violence against women in India.
- 17. Examine the reasons for the emergence of Civil society as a new actor.
- 18. How Civil Society movements can promote good governance?
- 19. What is the Post modern conception on New Social Movements?
- 20. Write a note on LGBTQ.
- 21. Explain the ideological and political orientations of Liberal Feminism.
- 22. What are the problems of Transgender people in Kerala?
- 23. Examine the nature and functions of Non-Governmental Organizations.
- 24. Identify the nature of Environmental problems in Kerala.
- 25. Examine the central concerns of anti-POSCO agitations.
- 26. Evaluate the various dimensions of the Dalit struggles for social inclusion.

 $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$ 

### PART - C

Answer any six questions. Each answer shall not exceed 120 words. Each answer carries 4 marks.

- 27. Discuss the Marxist approaches to New Social Movements.
- 28. Explain Jurgen Habermas's conceptualization of New Social Movements.
- 29. Discuss the Gramscian understanding of Civil Society.
- 30. Examine the features of Civil Society Movements in Kerala.
- 31. Explain the reasons for the emergence of Dalit and Tribal land struggles in Kerala.
- 32. Analyze the major socio-political issues affecting the life and dignity of women in India.
- 33. Why Dalit Feminist concerns are different from the mainstream feminism?
- 34. Bring out the contributions of Chipko Movement and Narmada Bachavo Andolan.
- 35. Assess the changing role of State and Civil Society in the contemporary times.
- 36. Trace the emergence anti-Nuclear agitations in Koodankulam.
- 37. Bring out the central aspects of Back Feminism.
- 38. Evaluate the nature of gender discriminations prevailing in Kerala.

## PART – D

 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$ 

Answer any two questions. Essay. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 39. Explain the various theories regarding the origins of New Social Movements.
- Bring out the structural and cultural questions affecting the life and dignity of LGBTQ.

- 41. Assess the nature of Dalit and Adivasi new social movements in contemporary Kerala.
- 42. Analyze the objectives of anti-corruption struggles led by Anna Hazare.
- 43. Examine the different perspectives and theories on State and Civil Society.
- 44. Explain the social and political consequences of Neoliberal globalization.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$