

**B.A. IIIrd year**  
**Generic Elective**  
**CODE : BHS- G 601**  
**Some perspectives on Women's Right in India.**

**Semester - VI**  
**Max. marks -70**  
**Time - 3 Hours**

**Note:-** the question paper shall consist of three sections (Sec.-A, Sec.-B and Sec.-C). Sec.-A shall contain 10 objective type questions of one mark each and student shall be required to attempt all questions. Sec.-B shall contain 10 short answer type questions of four marks each and student shall be required to attempt any five questions. Sec.-C shall contain 8 descriptive type questions of ten marks each and student shall be required to attempt any four questions. Questions shall be uniformly distributed from the entire syllabus. The previous year paper/model paper can be used as a guideline and the following syllabus should be strictly followed while setting the question paper.

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| <b>Unit I.</b>   | <b>Definition of Human Right</b>                              | <b>(14 Lect.)</b> |
|                  | a. UN conventions & Indian context                            |                   |
| <b>Unit II.</b>  | <b>Indian Constitution &amp; women's Rights</b>               | <b>(13 Lect.)</b> |
| <b>Unit III.</b> | <b>Preventive Acts</b>  | <b>(17Lect.)</b>  |
|                  | a) Minimum wage Act 1948                                      |                   |
|                  | b) Family court Act 1986                                      |                   |
|                  | c) Dowry prohibition Act 1961                                 |                   |
|                  | d) Immoral Traffic prevention Act 1986                        |                   |
|                  | e) Domestic violence Act                                      |                   |
|                  | f) PNDT Act 1994  |                   |
| <b>Unit IV.</b>  | <b>Issues of violence against women and remedial measures</b> | <b>(16 Lect.)</b> |
| <b>Unit V.</b>   | <b>Present status.</b>  | <b>(15 Lect.)</b> |
|                  | a) Issues of enabling & empowering modalities.                |                   |

**References:**

1. Bina Agarwal, field of Her Own, New Delhi, Kali for women,
2. Uravshi Butalla & T sarkar, ed, Women & Hindu Rights, New Delhi, Kali for Women 1996,
3. Zoya Hasan, ed, Forging Identities: Gender, Communities & Patriarhies, EPW, December,1995