

CSM : 16

PHILOSOPHY

PAPER - II

Time Allowed : 3 hours

Full Marks : 100

Marks for each question is indicated against it.

Attempt any 5 (five) questions taking not more than 3 (three) questions from each Part.

PART - A

1. What do you mean by Social Ideals? Do you agree that liberty and equality are complementary ideals? (15+5=20)
2. Critically evaluate the nature and function of Parliamentary Democracy. (20)
3. Define the concept of multiculturalism. Do you think it is possible to inter-relate with secularism? (10+10=20)
4. Critically examine the gender issues in the present day context. Can the Homosexuality be justified in the modern philosophical context? (10+10=20)

PART - B

5. State and elucidate the cosmological argument for the existence of God. (20)
6. "Reason cannot bring us to truth in religion; we have to fall back on revelation". Elaborate the statement in the light of religious context. (20)
7. What is mysticism? Explain the significance of mystical experience in philosophy of religion. (20)
8. Define religious tolerance. Is there religious tolerance in India's pluralistic society?(10+10=20)

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