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**M.A. IN WOMEN'S AND GENDER
STUDIES (MAWGS)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2025

MWG-005 : RESEARCH METHODS

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Attempt any **four** of the following questions. All questions carry equal marks. Answer each question in not more than **1500** each.

1. Discuss the relationship between language, literature and culture with the help of contemporary theories. 25
2. (a) Explain the importance of library and online resources for research. 15

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- (b) How are macrodatasets helpful in carrying out research in women's and gender studies ? Explain. 10
3. Explain the basic steps of classical scientific method. How have feminist scholars critique this method ? Explain. 25
4. Explain, what is research ethics ? How are research ethics important to be adhered to while carrying research on gender issues ? Discuss. 25
5. Choose topics from the field of women's and gender studies for carrying out qualitative and quantitative studies. Discuss tools of data collection that you would employ to collect the field data in both types of research study. 25
6. What is understood by feminist historiography ? How have feminist historian challenged the writing of human history ? Explain by giving suitable examples. 25
7. What is sexism in language and research ? Explain with the help of examples. 25

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