

Assignments for TEE December 2026 and for TEE June 2027
(MAPY Second Year)

MPYE-012: TRIBAL PHILOSOPHY

Note:

- i) Answer all **five** questions.
- ii) All five questions carry equal marks.
- iii) The answer of Questions No. 1 and 2 should be in about **500** words each.

1. Answer any **one** of the following: 20

a) Define Tribe. Describe the main features of Tribal World-View.

OR

b) Write an essay on the moral issues involved in the idea of Development and Displacement.

2. Answer any **one** of the following: 20

a) What are the constituents of Tribal Identity? Discuss.

OR

b) Highlight the main characteristics of Tribal Art and explain its significance in Tribal life.

3. Answer any **two** questions in about **250** words each. 2×10=20

- a) What are the consequences of migration? Discuss.
- b) Write a note on the idea of Birth and Initiation in the Santal Tribe.
- c) Discuss the social implications of belief in Ancestor Spirits.
- d) Explain the significance of Sacred Tribal Values in Tribal society.

4. Answer any **four** questions in about **150** words each. 4×5=20

a) What are the main features of the Bhagat Movement?

- b) Write a note on the Santal account of heavenly bodies.
- c) How does Korostelina define Identity?
- d) How do Tribals resolve their community problems?
- e) What is the meaning of rediscovering the Sacred Space?
- f) What are the effects produced by Singbonga on Roa?

5. Write short notes on any **five** in about **100** words each.

5×4=20

- a) Totemism
- b) Storytelling
- c) Symbolism
- d) The Kharwar Movement
- e) Sarhul
- f) Parom Disum
- g) Har Juwat
- h) Ji