

Assignment for TEE December 2025 and June 2026
BPYC-103
Indian Philosophy: Classical and Contemporary

Note:

- 1. Give Answer of all five questions.**
- 2. All five questions carry equal marks**
- 3. Answer to question no. 1 and 2 should be in about 400 words each.**

1. Write a brief essay outlining the key differences between Nāstika and Āstika Darśana. 20

Or

Write an essay on the Jaina theory of syādvada and Anekāntavāda. 20

2. What is perception? Explain Nyaya's theory of Perception. 20

Or

Explain Avidya and Māyā in Advaita Vedanta. 20

3. Answer any **two** of the following questions in about **200 words** each. 2*10= 20

- a) Explain the philosophy of Śaivism. How it is different from Vaiṣṇavism? 10
- b) Explain the Samkhya theory of evolution. 10
- c) Write a short note on the philosophy of Bhakti Movement in India. 10
- d) What is the Gandhian concept of non-violent state? 10

4. Answer any **four** of the following questions in about **150 words** each. 4*5= 20

- a) Explain Swami Vivekananda's view on Freedom and Karma. 5
- b) Explain Sri Aurobindo's concept of 'Superman.' 5
- c) Write a short note on Nehru's concept of democratic socialism. 5
- d) Elaborate Ambedkar's social Philosophy. 5
- e) What is the notion of God according to Tagore? 5

- f) Explain briefly that Amartya Sen's Ethics is one that accepts freedom, tolerance and democracy.

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5. Write short notes on any **five** of the following in about **100 words** each. 5*4= 20

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| a) <i>Sacchidānanda</i> | 4 |
| b) Sufism | 4 |
| c) Two kinds of reality according to Mādhava | 4 |
| d) <i>Pratyaksha</i> according to Baudhha Darśana | 4 |
| e) Integral Humanism | 4 |
| f) Khyativāda | 4 |
| g) Reform Movement | 4 |
| h) <i>Sūnyatā</i> | 4 |