

M. A. (PHILOSOPHY) (MAPY)

Term-End Examination

June, 2025

MPYE-015 : GANDHIAN PHILOSOPHY

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : (i) Answer all the **five** questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

(iii) Answer to question nos. 1 and 2
should be in about **500** words each.

1. Write an essay on the Gandhian concept of
God. 20

Or

What is the Gandhian idea of non-violence ?

How is the idea of non-violence related to
the idea of Satyagraha ? 20

2. Describe and evaluate the Gandhian idea of human nature. 20

Or

Discuss the philosophical foundations of the idea of Sarvodaya. 20

3. Answer any *two* of the following questions in about **250** words each :

(a) How does Gandhi relate morality and religion ? 10

(b) How are the ideas of Swaraj and Swadeshi inter-related in Gandhian philosophy ? 10

(c) Evaluate Gandhian idea of Varnashram. 10

(d) Write a note on the role of reason in Gandhian philosophy. 10

4. Answer any *four* of the following questions in about **150** words each :

(a) Do you agree that “Morality is the central idea in Gandhian philosophy” ?
Substantiate your answer. 5

(b) Write a note on the idea of Purusharthas. 5

(c) What is the significance of Gandhian philosophy in women empowerment ? 5

(d) Write a short note on the role of faith in Gandhian philosophy. 5

(e) What do you understand by the idea of Ramrajya in Gandhian philosophy ? 5

(f) How does Gandhi criticize the idea of modernity ? 5

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

(a) Trusteeship 4

(b) Hind Swaraj	4
(c) Nishkama Karma	4
(d) Brahmacharya	4
(e) Idea of Tolerance	4
(f) Gram Swaraj	4
(g) Importance of fasting in Gandhian Philosophy	4
(h) Religious Harmony	4

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