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MFC-004

**P.G. DIPLOMA IN FOLKLORE AND
CULTURE STUDIES (PGDFCS)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2026

**MFC-004 : TRIBES OF INDIA : IDENTITY,
CULTURE AND LORE**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : *All questions carry equal marks unless
otherwise instructed.*

1. Write a note on the tribes of India who are traditional singers, dancers, bards, acrobats and snake charmers. 20

Or

Write a note on different types of tribes and their livelihood.

2. What are the classificatory systems of the tribes based on territory and geography ? 20

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Or

Discuss the migration of tribes in India with suitable examples.

3. Write a note on nomadic tribes of India with examples from both North and South India.

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Or

What are the economic and cultural strategies of survival of Indian tribes ?

4. Explain in detail the relationship between Tribes and Ethnicity. 20

Or

Write a note on Myths as etiological tales.

5. Write on any *two* of the following : 2×10=20
- (a) Define autonomy and agency.
 - (b) Name two tribes who agitated for separate statehood.
 - (c) Characteristic feature of hunting-gathering tribes.
 - (d) Cultivating tribes.

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