

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

Term-End Examination

June, 2026

**MWG-004 : GENDERED BODIES AND
SEXUALITIES**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : (i) Attempt any **four** questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. How does one explain the concept of 'gendered bodies' in relation to women's work ?
Explain by giving suitable examples. 25
2. How can the concept of 'body politics' be utilised to explore the representation of female and male bodies differently in the area of performance ? Discuss. 25

3. “Women’s access to reproductive technologies is a matter of choice.” Critically analyse this statement in the context of India. 25
4. Write an essay on “Androgyny and its socio-cultural representations in India”. 25
5. Discuss the interface between eugenics, gender and race with relevant examples. 25
6. Write an essay on Disability, Sexuality and Motherhood. 25
7. Write short notes on any *five* of the following :
5×5=25
 - (a) Human Trafficking
 - (b) Body as a Machine
 - (c) Gender Structure
 - (d) Alienation
 - (e) Maternal Representation
 - (f) Feminist Theology

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