

# Topic:

Gender equality is a myth!

## Outline

### 1 Introduction

Thesis statement: Gender equality is a myth due to certain reasons.

Governments have taken some prudent measures to ensure gender equality.

There are also some facts that show gender equality is a reality. Therefore, gender equality can be ensured by following suggestions.

### 2 Concept of gender equality

### 3- How gender equality is a myth

- a) Lack of political representation
- b) Less or no participation in policymaking process
- c) Lower participation in electoral process
- d) Lamentable economic participation
- e) Institutional gender-based violence
- f) Lack of literacy rate
- g) unequal distribution of inheritance
- h) Early and forced marriage
- i) increasing practices of honour killing

1) Flaws in judicial system

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2) Bad health condition of women

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1) Social media harassment and black-mailing

2) Acid throwing practices

3) Patriarchal mindset in society

4. Prudent measures (and efforts) taken by governments for gender equality

a) Constitution grants equality in Pakistan. Art 25

b) Inheritance abused under laws

c) Adverse provisions of Hudud laws repealed

d) Laws on cybercrimes and harassments formulated

e) Promotion of women participation in international forums

f) Social protection: article 38 of constitution

g) Introduction of first woman bank

h) Legislative initiatives on barbaric anti-women customs

i) Allocations of quotas in representative bodies

j) Separate educational institutions established

k) Encouragement supports

5- How gender equality is reality

a) Gender equality in west

b) Article 25(2) constitution of Pakistan 1973 ensure equality

c) women as leader/head of government  
in Asia

6- Suggestions to reduce gender inequality

a) women participation in international  
forums

b) Achieving targeted SDGs

c) To make society women friendly

d) institutional gender-based violence  
should <sup>be</sup> reduced.

e) promotion of education for women

f) constructive role of social media

g) participation in sports in international  
level.

h) Existing laws should <sup>be</sup> implemented

i) to promote political representation

7 Conclusion

Is there need to discuss effects of ~~gender~~  
gender equality as myth?