

Discuss in detail the multidisciplinary nature of gender studies.

### — Multidisciplinary —

The process of crossing the boundary of one's own discipline and work sequentially and collectively to address a common problem.

by the researcher of multiple disciplines. is called multidisciplinary

### — Multidisciplinary nature of gender studies —

Multidisciplinary nature of gender studies means that gender studies contains the study of multiple subjects. There are different subjects with which gender studies is

linked. The roots of gender studies is found in economics, anthropology, sociology, political science, and others. Let us

discuss the multidisciplinary nature of gender studies in detail.

### — Anthropology —

Anthropology is a scientific study of human, their

development  
body, their history and behavior.  
Anthropology is linked with  
gender studies. Because the roots  
of gender studies are also  
found in anthropology. Just like  
the behavior of humans result  
in inequality between male and  
female. The history of humans  
prove that males always  
dominated females. So, in this  
way gender studies is linked  
with anthropology.

### (Sociology)

Sociology is the systematic  
study of society and social  
structure. The gender studies is  
also linked with sociology.  
Because the socially constructed  
rules and norms stressed  
upon males to prove  
their dominance over females  
of the society. We all  
know that gender is  
socially constructed. These are

the stereotypes of the society which make/stress man to behave like a dominant and strong person of society. In this way, society plays its role to differentiate and prioritize ~~the~~ human on the basis of their gender. That's why the roots of gender studies are also found in sociology.

### (Biology)

Biology is the scientific study of humans and their body. It deals with the body parts of humans. Gender is basically based on biology. As we know, the biological difference between men and women is term as sex. Although, gender is socially constructed. But the biological difference made a man as male and

a woman as female. Through this biological difference, gender is linked with biology.

### Economics

Economics is a branch of social science that deals with the production of goods, their distribution and capital. It also linked with gender studies.

In gender studies, the theory of Karl Marx mainly focuses on the economic differences between male and female. Basically, in this male dominating society all the goods, services and capital are handled by men.

In this way, female suffer from this problem because of their gender. That's why, economics is also rooted in gender studies and on the basis of gender, females are suffering

from economical issues. Even that in this patriarchal society, the head of the house is a ~~considered~~ man not a woman and the house-hold worker is woman.

### Political Science

Political science is a branch of social science which deals with political systems, voting system, and the system of government. Gender studies also focus on the ~~substance~~<sup>voting</sup> rights of women. In the history, firstly the voting rights were given only to white men and then only to men. not to women. After the revolution, when the world needed workers and capital, then women were allowed to work and voting rights were given to women also. There is

mainly the gender-based difference on which women were not allowed to give votes. This difference divide our society on the basis of their gender.

### Conclusion

So, in a nutshell, we say that gender studies is a multidisciplinary nature discipline. Because it is rooted in other disciplines such as anthropology, sociology, biology, political science and others. In this way, the difference of in the society is deep rooted from multiple branches of disciplines which divides our society on the behalf of their gender. That's why it is very important factor to study gender studies to remove differences from society.