



FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION - 2016  
FOR RECRUITMENT TO POSTS IN BS-17  
UNDER THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Roll Number

**GENDER STUDIES**

<b>TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS</b>	<b>PART-I (MCQS)</b>	<b>MAXIMUM MARKS = 20</b>
<b>PART-I(MCQS): MAXIMUM 30 MINUTES</b>	<b>PART-II</b>	<b>MAXIMUM MARKS = 80</b>
<b>NOTE: (i) Part-II is to be attempted on the separate Answer Book.</b>		
<b>(ii) Attempt ONLY FOUR questions from PART-II. ALL questions carry EQUAL marks.</b>		
<b>(iii) All the parts (if any) of each Question must be attempted at one place instead of at different places.</b>		
<b>(iv) Candidate must write Q. No. in the Answer Book in accordance with Q. No. in the Q.Paper.</b>		
<b>(v) No Page/Space be left blank between the answers. All the blank pages of Answer Book must be crossed.</b>		
<b>(vi) Extra attempt of any question or any part of the attempted question will not be considered.</b>		

**PART-II**

- Q. No. 2.** Write a note on the status of women's studies in Pakistan and give your views on the autonomy/integration debate in Women's Studies. **(20)**
- Q. No. 3.** What are the sites and forms of violence against women in Pakistan and how in your view this menace can be eliminated from our society? **(20)**
- Q. No. 4.** What are the pros and cons of gender quota in politics? Give your views on the impact of gender quota in politics in Pakistan. **(20)**
- Q. No. 5.** Write a note on women's movement in Pakistan. What are its strength and weaknesses? **(20)**
- Q. No. 6.** What are the theories of social construction of gender? **(20)**
- Q. No. 7.** What is feminism? In what way Radical feminism is different from Socialist Feminism? **(20)**
- Q. No. 8.** Critically review the Gender and Development Approaches on the following: **(20)**  
(i) Women in Development (WID)  
(ii) Women and Development (WAD)  
(iii) Gender and Development (GAD).

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