

5- Role of women in political and economic progress.

(1) Introduction

Thesis statement:

Women play a crucial role in political and economic progress of any country. However, socio-cultural challenges faced by women hampers the development of the nation. This can be addressed by ensuring equality, inclusive environment and effective policy making.

(2) Role of women in Political progress

- 2.1 - Strengthens democracy
- 2.2 - Inclusive government resulting equality.
- 2.3 - Ensures equal and effective voting turnout.
- 2.4 - Legitimate and effective decision making
- 2.5 - Fair implementation of women friendly policies.

(3) Role of women in economic progress.

- 3.1 - Women contribution to labour market ensures economic progress
- 3.2 - Increased revenue by including women taxpayers.

3.3 - Women as entrepreneurs ensures economic development.

3.4 - Reduce poverty and unemployment

3.5 - Business women contributes in economic progress.

(4) Challenges faced by women hampering political and economic progress resulting gender inequality.

4.1 - Gender pay gap

4.2 - Work place harassment

4.3 - Socio-cultural barriers and patriarchal society.

4.4 - Lack of access to quality education and health

4.5 - Economic constraints.

4.6 - Stereotyping women

(5) Recommendations to ensure women representation in political and economic sectors to achieve sustainable development.

(5.1) Reducing income gaps

5.2 - Eliminating workplace harassment by strict policies.

(5.3) Ensuring safe and secure work spaces by mandatory systems.

- 5.4 - Introducing human development programs
- 5.5 - Ensuring equal access to education
- 5.6 - Promoting women involvement in every sector for sustainable progress.

(6) Conclusion.

The role of women is crucial in social, political and economic progress of any country. Women's involvement in political sector ensures inclusivity and strengthen democracy. Similarly, women representation in labor markets promotes economic stability. Women tax payers can also help broadening tax nets. However, women face significant challenges resulting gender inequality. Gender pay gap, workplace harassment and lack of basic resources undermines nation's progress. Moreover, socio-cultural barriers prevents women to participate in public spheres. To address these by, ensuring equal access to education, promoting inclusive and safe environment and skill development programs, is vital to ensure sustainable development and gender just society, which ultimately leads to socio-economic progress.