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## Certificate Course in “Women Law and Gender Justice”

Program	Subject	Year	Semester
Certificate Course	Women Law and Gender Justice	6 <sup>th</sup> Months	1
Course Code	Course Title		Course Type
CWS 101	Women Law and Gender Justice		Core
Credit	Hours Per Week (L-T-P)		
	L	T	P
5	5	1	0
Maximum Marks	CIA	ESE	
100	20	80	

### Learning Objective (LO):

The Certificate Course on *Women, Law, and Gender Justice* is a six-month program designed to provide an academic understanding of legal issues concerning women and gender justice. It aims to develop a strong foundation in the legal aspects related to women's rights and gender justice by offering a comprehensive study of laws, policies, and legal frameworks. The course trains students on gender-related legal issues, ensuring they can apply their knowledge in real-life scenarios.

### Course Outcomes (CO):

CO No.	Expected Course Outcomes At the end of the course, the students will be able to :	CL
1	Understand fundamental legal principles related to women's rights and gender justice.	Ap
2	Analyze gender-related legal issues and propose logical legal solutions.	Ap
3	Develop proficiency in legal research, writing, and advocacy.	U
4	Promote gender equity through informed academic and professional engagement.	An
5	Apply legal knowledge in careers and policymaking to address gender biases effectively.	U

CL: Cognitive Levels (**R**-Remember; **U**-Understanding; **Ap**-Apply; **An** Analyze; **E** - Evaluate; **C**-Create).

### CO-PO/PSO Mapping for the course :

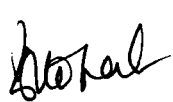

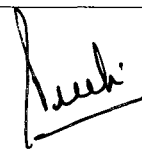
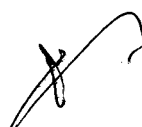

CO \ PO	POs											PSO				
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	1	2	3	4	5
CO1	3	2	3	3	3	3	2	3	3	2	-	3	3	3	2	2
CO2	3	2	3	2	2	2	3	3	3	2	-	3	3	2	2	2
CO3	3	2	3	3	2	3	2	2	3	2	-	3	2	3	2	2



CO4	2	3	2	3	2	2	3	2	2	3	-	2	2	3	2	2
CO5	3	2	2	2	2	3	3	2	2	3	-	2	3	3	2	2
"3"-Strong; "2"-Moderate; "1"- Low; "-No Correlation																

### Detailed Syllabus:

Course Title & Code	Women Law and Gender Justice	
Unit No.	Topics	No. of Lectures
I	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Basic concept : Sex, Gender, Femininity, Masculinity, Androgyny, Sexually, Discrimination and Women Empowerment.</li> <li>Feminism : Concept and Meaning, Feminism in India, Development and Feminist Development theory.</li> <li>Constitution of India and the Gender question : Fundamentals rights, Directive Principles of state policy and Fundamental duties.</li> </ul>	15
II	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Women Human Right : Historical background, UN Conference and Convention on women Need and Principles of Women's Rights. Natural rights of a girl child.</li> <li>Law : Concept and Importance. Judicial System RTI,PIL,Legal Aid for women in India Family Court.</li> </ul>	15
III	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Law for women in India : Marriage laws : Special marriage Act, 1954, Muslim Personal Law (shari) application Act., 1937, Prohibition of Child Marriage act, 2006.</li> <li>Divorce Law : Judicial Separation, Divorce and Maintenance (Hindu and Muslim) OPC section 125.</li> </ul>	15
IV	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Property Right and Women : Right to succession and inheritance (Hindu and Muslim Law).</li> <li>Medical Termination of Pregnancy Act.1971, PCPNDT Act, 2000, Prevention of Sexual Harassment of Women in Work place.The indecent – representation of women (Prohibition) Act, 1986, Domestic Violence Act, 2005.</li> <li>Anti Rap Law ( latest criminal amendment act 2012)</li> <li>Adoption laws in India.</li> <li>Surrogacy laws in India.</li> <li>Status of single female parent at the time of adoption.</li> <li>Succession Act. etc</li> </ul>	15
V	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>National and State Commission of Women : Role &amp; Responsibilities.</li> <li>Women's contribution in Policy Making and Leadership in Women.</li> <li>Understanding women's issues in Panchyati Raj</li> <li>Gender budgeting.</li> </ul>	10

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