



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 600 034

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – ECONOMICS

SECOND SEMESTER – APRIL 2025

UEC2MC03 – GENDER ECONOMICS



Date: 09-05-2025

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00 AM - 12:00 PM

SECTION A - K1 & K2 (CO1)

Q.No	Levels	Answer ALL the Questions	(10 x 2 = 20)
1	K1	What is gender mainstreaming?	
2		Define Gender empowerment.	
3		List out the major forms of gender bias in economic theories.	
4		Recall the term gender budgeting.	
5		Explain the concept of patriarchy.	
6	K2	Identify any two factors contributing to the gender wage gap in the labour market.	
7		Write a short note on “Feminization of poverty”.	
8		Highlight the interdependence of gender and environmental issues.	
9		How do cultural norms impact gender mainstreaming efforts?	
10		Identify the different types of gender bias in economic decision-making.	

SECTION B – K3 & K4 (CO2)

		Answer ALL the Questions	(4 x 10 = 40)
11	K3	Explain the Women in Development (WID) approach. [OR]	
12		Examine the major social problems related to marriage and family in India?	
13		Evaluate the key features of Gender and Development (GAD) approach? [OR]	
14		How do Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) address gender issues?	
15	K4	Design a policy to address the problems on gender-based violence in India. [OR]	
16		Explain the challenges faced by women in the service sector.	
17		Critically analyse economic discrimination faced by Transgender community and policy changes needed for the same. [OR]	
18		Compare and contrast neoclassical economics with feminist economics.	

SECTION C – K5 & K6 (CO3)

		Answer ALL the Questions	(2 x 20 = 40)
19	K5	Discuss the role of women participation in the labour market. [OR]	
20		Apply the Human Development Index (HDI) framework to assess gender disparities.	
21	K6	Discuss the impact of gender budgeting in India’s economic policies. [OR]	
22		“Women’s work is often considered invisible in economic statistics”. Comment.	
