**B.A. PROGRAMME**

**SEMESTER VI**

**GE - HUMAN RIGHTS, GENDER AND ENVIRONMENT**

1. “Human rights movements have their roots in social movements.” Critically analyse the statement.
2. Do you believe that globalisation has led to increasing disparities amongst the different sections of the society in India? Give reasons.
3. Elucidate the historical significance of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.
4. What do you understand by patriarchy? Critically explain the role of ideological and structural factors in maintaining patriarchy in the Indian society.
5. “Industrial pollution is a major cause of environmental degradation in India.” Discuss.
6. Critically examine the interconnectedness of class, gender, caste and ethnicity in the context of social equality in India.
7. How far do you agree with the statement that human rights are universal in nature and scope?
8. Illustrate the reasons for the violation of human rights of minorities and socially-economically downgraded sections in India.
9. Critically discuss the impact of globalisation on the lives of women in India.
10. How far do you agree with the statement that the Constitution of India upholds the tenets of Human Rights through various provisions enumerated in it?
11. Discuss women empowerment in India? How have Panchayati Raj institutions economically empowered rural women in India?
12. Critically examine the different forms of ideological mobilization of the women's movement in India.
13. Critically evaluate the environment movements in India with special reference to Chipko Movement.
14. How far has the law entitled “The Protection of Women against Domestic Violence Act, 2005” empowered women?
15. Highlight various key issues raised by any *two* environmental movements in India.