# S.S. JAIN SUBODH P.G. COLLEGE, JAIPUR

# VALUE-ADDED COURSE

# COURSE TITLE: ROLE OF WOMEN IN NATIONAL MOVEMENT

NODAL DEPARTMENT: ENGLISH

COURSE CODE: 23VAC\_6402T

### MARKING SCHEME

Tutorial	Time	Course	Total	End Semester	Assignment	Minimum
(Hours)	Allowed ESE (Hrs)	Credits	Marks	Exam (Max. Marks)		Marks
30	2	2	50	35	15	20

#### COURSE OBJECTIVES:

- To understand the historical context of women's involvement in the Indian National Movement.
- 2. To analyze the contributions of key female figures and their influence on the movement.

## **COURSE CONTENTS:**

## **Historical Context and Early Contributions**

Introduction to Women's Role in the Indian National Movement: Overview of the Indian National Movement and its key phases, Importance of women's participation in social and political reforms.

Early Women Leaders and Reformers: Contributions of early women leaders like Sarojini Naidu, Annie Besant, and Kamala Nehru, their roles in shaping nationalist discourse and mobilising support.

Participation in Social Reforms and Movements: Women's involvement in social reform movements (e.g., abolition of Sati, education reforms), Impact on societal norms and gender perceptions during the late 19th and early 20th centuries.

(15 Hours)

# Women in the Freedom Struggle

Women in Mass Movements: Role of women in mass movements like the Non-Cooperation Movement and Civil Disobedience Movement, Examples of women leaders and their contributions (e.g., Aruna Asaf Ali, Kasturba Gandhi).

Challenges and Contributions: Challenges faced by women in the freedom struggle (gender discrimination, societal expectations), Their contributions to the political and underground movements.

Legacy and Impact: Legacy of women's participation in the national movement, Impact on post-independence India: women's rights, political participation, and societal change.

(15 Hours)

## SUGGESTED READINGS:

#### Books:

- Women and the Indian National Movement by Sumit Sarkar
- Indian Women and the National Movement by Usha Thakkar

#### **Documentaries:**

"Daughters of Mother India," "Women of India: Sarojini Naidu."

#### **COURSE OUTCOMES:**

After the successful completion of the course, the learners will be able to

- 1. Enhancement of the comprehensive skills
- 2. Develop basic Knowledge of History and Literature
- 3. Improve awareness about different women freedom fighters.
- 4. Expansion of IQ and EQ Levels

(Prof. K. B. Sharma)

Head of the Department

Principal