

**INDIAN INSTITUTE OF SPACE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**  
**THIRUVANANTHAPURAM 695 547**  
**End Semester Examination – December 2022**  
**HS212 – Introduction to Social Science and Ethics**

**Time: 1.30 pm to 4.30 pm**

**Max. Marks: 50**

**I. Answer in one word (Each Question carries one mark)**

1. Studies have shown that in some tribal cultures, sex is considered as normal as birth and death and even little children have first-hand information about sexual practices. While it is not considered legal or common practice in many parts of the world, researchers believe that an individual's norms and actions should be understood by others in terms of that individual's own cultural context. This concept is referred to as:
2. Who observed the longest fast in the history of India?
3. First wave of Feminism was a fight against the idealistic construct of .....
4. The concept of Good governance was initially expressed in the year .....and in a .....publication.
5. John travels to a new country. While in line at the train station, other people stand very close to him--way closer than he is used to back home. John immediately feels anxious and uncomfortable. The disorientation a person may feel when experiencing an unfamiliar way of life or changes in social environments is referred to as:
6. Design of environments and processes in a way accessible for all is called \_\_\_\_\_
7. A person who has both the biological characteristics of male and female at birth is \_\_\_\_\_
8. "The world is not to be divided into sheep and goats ... The living world is a continuum in each and every one of its aspects." This is an argument made by \_\_\_\_\_
9. Visual Pleasure and Narrative Cinema is written by \_\_\_\_\_
10. The first International Men's Day was observed in ----- by -----

**II. Write Short Notes on ANY FOUR of the following. (Each question carries 5 marks)**

1. AFSPA
2. Explain anticipatory socialization with examples
3. Different type of civil society with examples
4. When someone says that women are wonderful or women need to be protected, how do you respond? Explain the argument based on Ambivalent Sexism Theory
5. What is the relation between Disability and Poverty?
6. What is minority stress and how does it affect persons in LGBTQI community?



**III. Answer ANY TWO of the following (Each Question carries 10 marks)**

1. Explain the different branches of Social Sciences?
  2. Explain the significance of sex education in Indian School Curriculum
  3. Right based approaches are better than Charity based approaches in assisting persons with disabilities. Comment.
  4. *Taken Out of School and Married or Taken out of Schools and in Work in Unhealthy conditions or Abused and thus taken out of schools*– Critically examine these three issues faced by children of our country
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