Paper 23: Social Exclusion: Theory and Practice

Students who have opted for ‘Paper 23: Social Exclusion: Theory and Practice’ are required to write a paper based on the readings listed below with suitable examples, not exceeding 5000 words.

Qn. Explain the politics of body with reference to any one of the following:
   a) The State and Gendered Rights
   b) Caste Stigma and the Politics of Sanitation
   c) Biopower (Foucauldian Body) and the Female Purity

Readings to be used:
   1. Silencing Caste, Sanitising Oppression
   2. Transgender identity, sexual versus gender ‘rights’ and the tools of the Indian state
   3. Socio-Cultural Aspects of Menstruation in an Urban Slum in Delhi, India
   4. Disability, Intersectionality and Deprivation: An Excluded Agenda
   5. The Foucauldian Body and the Exclusion of Experience

Please note:
1. It is not part of the internals.
2. It is part of the continuous teaching/learning process in the lieu of as part of the extended holidays due to Covid 19.
3. As per the DU circular 12th March 2020 Point number 1 & 2, it is mandatory for us to provide material and do the necessary teaching learning process. This exercise is part of that process.