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91598 Demonstrate understanding of how ideologies shape society

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Demonstrate understanding of how ideologies shape society.	Demonstrate in-depth understanding of how ideologies shape society.	Demonstrate comprehensive understanding of how ideologies shape society.

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PART A

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Begin your answer here. (Refer to Part A of the task, on page 2).

Ideology (1)

Traditional Hinduism

Ideology (2)

Feminism

Social process (1)

Globalisation

Social process (2)

Activism

Traditional Hinduism is a religion and ideology which permeates every aspect of Indian society with 80.5% of the Indian population being Hindu. Dharma is a code of conduct which Hindus have an expectation to follow to ensure they have good karma and a beneficent reincarnation. Some Hindu individuals maintain strong beliefs about Hindu customs, such as the tradition of Dowry, the importance of sons and keeping women in the home. A Hindu text it says "A woman is never fit for ~~its~~ independence" (Scripture: Manusmriti 9.3). These scriptures promote the degrading of women and has caused India to be the 14th most dangerous country to be a woman. Women are seen as liabilities ~~in tradition~~ due to

the dowry their family has to pay when they get married. ^{Around} 450,000 female foetuses are aborted in India each year by those who do not want to pay dowry for their daughter and sons are considered much more valuable than daughters.

Feminism is an ideology that aims for economical, political, social rights and equality for women. Feminism works to bring women out of submission and inequality due to being female. Since ~~India~~ India gained independence in 1947, women became more vocal about their rights. Women established groups to advocate for their rights, such as The Self-Employed Women's Association in 1972 and the Centre for Women's Development Studies. Female literacy has ~~also~~ increased from ~~23%~~ 23% in 1981 to 65% in 2014 due to feminist ideas encouraging the empowerment of women through education. However, women still face a lot of discrimination and inequality in India. As of 2012, there was an uproar of protest

after the gang rape and murder in New Delhi of Medical Student, Jyoti Singh. This event highlighted the evergrowing dangers for women in India and people were demanding change in how authorities deal with crimes against women. Feminism is being held back by Traditional Hinduism which believes women should be submissive and stay in the home.

The social process of Globalisation has been an influence on many Indian women as it has exposed them to external ideas that are not affected by Traditional Hinduism. 715 shopping malls were built in India in 2013 as there is demand for more diverse, non-traditional clothing for women. This allows women to exercise their right to make choices of over their body as well. as encouraging consumerism which encourages aiming for higher paying middle class jobs. Internet access has increased from 5.5 million per Indian users to nearly 250 million

Indian users which is exposing Indians to external ideas about women and ~~more~~ more Indians can see how women in other countries are treated. The internet expose, particularly young Indians to more western ideas about women, which in turn ~~is~~ and equality.

The social process of Activism has been an influence as ~~more~~ Indians are ~~demanding~~ demonstrating their democratic rights to demand equal human rights. There was an uproar of protest after Jyoti Singh's rape ⁱⁿ 2012 and 80,000 submissions were made towards reviewing laws around rape and the protection of women. A bill in March 2013 passed to enforce harsher punishments for rapists, following these protests. As well as \$290 million NZD being spent ~~to~~ by the ~~of~~ Indian government to improve safety for women. Activism has allowed Indians to demand fair and ~~rig~~ equal standards and opportunity for women, and has

changed the way authorities respond to women's issue with increase importance on being fair and equal.

One change that has taken place due to feminism is the changing of law and policy within Indian government in order to change women's role in India. 46% of Indian girls marry before the age of 18, so the government put a policy in place where parents will receive \$400 USD if their daughter remains unmarried at 18. This is a significant incentive for many lower-caste families to stop the child marriage tradition. Also, the Dowry Prohibition Act is to prevent the 'bartering' of daughters. The Indian government and more Indian citizens are seeing increased importance for fairness and equality for women, through the intergration of western ideas about women into India as well as demand for further industrialisation

PART B

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The reason why Traditional Hinduism has ~~influenced~~ ^{shaped} Indian society is because it is so entrenched in society and as it has been practiced in India for 1750 years and 80.5% of the Indian population is Hindu. Dharma is a code of conduct which Hindus have an expectation to follow and if they don't follow it they may get bad karma and go backward in their reincarnation. So when the Dharma says "If he is beating, she should not react" (Scripture: Padma Purana) this ~~is~~ influence ~~is~~ people to believe women have less say than men and should be submissive. People who don't follow Hindu principles are seen as ~~too~~ foolish so people are expected to believe in a particular way in accordance to the Dharma. 1000 honor killing ^{against women} occur every year ~~in~~ India. Honor killing or Honor killings are a way a family will 'cleanse' their honor when a family member hasn't followed family wishes. This could include dating someone of a lower caste or giving birth to a daughter. When the Dharma is not followed it is seen as shameful and some families are willing to kill their own daughter to get rid of the family's shame.

The reason why feminism has shaped Indian society is because the onset of educating and liberating some Indian women has been a catalyst for leading millions of women into education and paid work, more women than ever are getting authoritative roles which is changing women's role in society. The Prohibition of Sex Selection Act 1994 is one way Indian government is trying to turn around the 'unwanted' view of women and encourage more progressive attitudes. Individualist ideas have emerged from feminism and is the driver for such objectionable views by many young Indian women. Individualism is the idea that we are not submissive to our authorities, whether that be our ~~parent~~ parents, husband, holy leader or government etc. Many more Indians are saying no to conservative ideas about women and demanding a change for a more fair and equal environment for women in India.

PART C

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Traditional Hinduism has had the greatest impact on Indian society and will continue to do so well into the future. ~~with~~ Although feminism is creeping in out of economic demand and the intergration of western ideas. 42% of India's university student are female, ~~the government is~~ ~~encouraging more women to become~~ educated and join the workforce because India wants to take over China as the next Industrial Superpower as the Chinese economy drops it is predicted that ~~the~~ India's GDP would increase by ~~27~~ 27% if there were the same amount of female workers to male workers. However, Traditional Hinduism is in India for the long run, with 57% of adolescent Indian boys (aged 15-19) believing wife-beating is justified. These misogynistic ideas about women are so ~~ie~~ entrenched into Indian culture from ~~child~~ childhood through tradition, politics and societal norms. ~~Some Indian states~~ ~~have~~ Tradition with dowry and

Child marriage is too 'normal' in some groups in India that it will be impossible to weed out completely. Traditional Hindus will continue to shame women who delay or decide not to get married, and some of Indian states have 100 female to 130 males, which enforces the Hindu idea of a woman needing to be a mother and wife. * Traditional Hinduism is particularly entrenched in rural Indian areas where ~~cons~~

* To reestablish the 1:1 gender ratio

In the future, a ~~re~~ reinterpretation of Hindu texts will likely occur among younger, urban Indians who will wish their to keep their faith, just interpret ^{at the Phras} in a way that means the misogynistic texts do not prevent them from educating their daughters and having the benefits of two incomes in a household. This is similar to the reinterpretation of the Bible, with a change from very conservative views about women to a more modern, flexible view about women's place in society. Consumerist ideas will ~~excer~~ excellerate this process. ~~The~~ Hindus will need to

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Annie Raja, The Secretary of the National Federation of Indian Women, believes women are not being allowed their ~~constitution~~ constitutional right to be equal. Raja believes women should be free to be independent and make their own choices without being ~~shy~~ shamed by Traditional Hindu Men. Raja values the rights and independence of women and their right to be equal. Raja has a feminist ideology where she believes in the economic, political, social rights and equality for women and the protection of ~~of~~ these rights under governmental law and law enforcement.

Another change that has taken place due to ~~Femin~~ Traditional Hinduism is the retaliation from Traditional Hindus where they go purposely attack women

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physically, sexually and politically to try suppress feminism. The amount of reported assaults on women in India has increased from 195,800 cases in ~~2008~~ 2008 to 244,000 in 2012 by those who do not respect a woman's right to be independent. Traditional Hindus do not agree with the feminist ~~and~~ movement where women want to be independent and make choices for themselves as this is not in accordance to the traditional views about women in the Dharmas. ~~and so~~

Mukesh Singh, the man who drove the bus while his friends gang raped Jyoti Singh ~~aboard~~ on board, believes a woman deserves to be harmed if she does not conform to the traditional Hindu role for women. He believes a woman who goes out without her husband or male family member is openly

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inviting men to take advantage of her. He ~~detests~~ values the traditional Hindu role for women and the scriptures in the Dharma. Singh has a Traditional Hindu ideology as he believes in the literal interpretation of the ~~to~~ Dharma Dharma and believes the Dharma should be obeyed by everyone and therefore women should be obedient and submissive to men.

Another change that has taken place due to Globalization is ~~the~~ international pressure via the internet and international media which highlights the inequalities for women in India. This not only puts shame on India but also shows Indians the disparities for women in India. News Websites such as Al Jazeera share articles such as "Female Foeticide", "India's 'kicking bomb'" and "Censoring India's Daughter" is

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reinterpret their misogynistic texts in the Dharma to progress into a more industrialised economy as India needs more than just half its population to be educated and in paid work, with a functioning free market with women producing goods and services as well as women purchasing goods and services with their own money from their careers.

Also, politics in India will ~~need~~ likely change to accommodate female voters, India's last election only had 1% less female voters to male voters, so the government/party in power will need to make conditions better for women to some degree to gain votes. Despite the current party be a Hindu Nationalist party called the Bharatiya Janata Party, lead by Traditional Hindu, Narendra Modi. Party's will need votes from women to get into power. ~~How~~ Ultimately, traditional Hinduism will stay in India but so will feminism. More women will become educated and get paid work but working women will still be the ones who cook, clean and look after their husband and children due to the entrenched Hindu idea of a women's role.

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"Unconscionable" to a massive international audience which in turn causes shame on India to do something about the crimes against women.

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E7	<p>The extent to which both ideologies – feminism and traditional Hinduism – have shaped Indian society are explained with some detail, although more detail could have been included. A summary of which ideology has shaped the society the most has been presented with a constructive argument. Future reflection of the ideologies on society has been included in detail, and shows high-level thinking.</p>	