



**UNIT-IV: Social Inequalities and Education-I**  
**(The Scheduled Castes and Other Backward Classes, Problems of Tribal's**  
**In India)**

1. Social inequality: The indifferent treatment or discrimination of a group, community, class, individual, etc., towards another group or individual.
2. Prejudice: It refers to the pre-conceived attitude or opinion of the members of one group towards the other group.
3. Social exclusive: It refers to the ways in which individuals or groups are made to cut-off or leave from a society.
4. Untouchability : It was a practice wherein the lower caste people of the society were considered as impure and were forbidden to touch or be touched by any member of the higher caste.
5. Hariyan : A term used by Mahatama Gandhi for Dalits which literally means children of God.
6. Reservation: It is a government policy wherein a certain percentage of jobs or seats in schools, colleges, etc. are kept for people belonging to lower or backward class.

