

CRD

Certificate in Rural Development (CRD)

Assignments

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MRD-201, MRD-202, MRD-203 Schedule of Assignment July 2025

Assignments	Last date for submission of Assignments	Assignment has to be sent.
a.) Compulsory Syllabus	For July 2025 30 September 2025	Submit it to the coordinator of your study centre.
MRD-201/AST/TMA-1/2025		
MRD-202/AST/TMA-1/2025		
MRD-203/AST/TMA-1/2025		

As explained in the Programme Guide you will have to do one assignment in each course of 6 credits. Last date of submission for all the assignments is mentioned above but we advise you to do them one by one along with your study of course and submit them so that you may get back the marks and comments of the counsellor with evaluated assignment. With a proper planning you will be able to do them within the stipulated period. Please do not wait for the last date to submit all the assignments.

Note- The assignment must be submitted in handwritten form only

IMPORTANT-PLEASE ALSO READ CAREFULLY INFORMATION REGARDING ASSIGNMENTS FROM PROGRAMME GUIDE AND VISIT IGNOU WEBSITE TIME TO TIME FOR ASSIGNMENTS DATES AND NEW UPDATE

ASSIGNMENT-3

RURAL DEVELOPMENT- PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT

Course Code: MRD-203

Course Title: Rural Development Planning and Management

Assignment No.: MRD-203/AST/TMA-3/2026

Note: The assignment has three sections. It contains questions, which require long, medium and short answers. A long answer should not exceed 700 words. Medium answers should not exceed 400 words each. Short answers should not exceed 100 words each.

Long Answer Questions

Maximum Marks: 20 each

Attempt any Two of the following:

1. Discuss in detail about the five-year plans for agriculture and rural development in India.
2. What is the process of planning? Discuss the national and state machinery.
3. Explain in detail the management and implementation of rural development projects.

Medium Answer Questions

Maximum Marks: 15 each

Attempt any two of the following:

1. What is Village Level Planning? Explain the process of village level planning.
2. How do voluntary efforts and people's participation help in rural development?
3. What is Social Action? What are some examples of social action in India?

Short Answer Questions

Maximum Marks: 06 each

Attempt any Five of the following:

1. Factors Determining People's Participation
2. CAPART
3. Gram Sabha
4. Planning Commission
5. Block Level Planning
6. National Rural Health Mission
7. Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana
8. Project Management Information System