

**Indira Gandhi National Open University  
School of Education**

**Master of Arts (Education) - MAEDU  
First Year  
Assignments- January & July 2026**

**MES-015 OPERATIONAL DIMENSIONS OF EDUCATION**

**Answer the following questions in about 500 words each:**

1. Describe the development of higher education including the functions of the University Grants Commission (UGC) during the Post-independence period.
2. What is meant by organizational effectiveness? Discuss, briefly, the role of teachers in fostering organizational effectiveness.
3. What is meant by Programmed Learning? Prepare ten frames of Programmed Learning Materials (PLMs) on a topic of your choice at the school level using linear programming style. Describe the stages you followed while developing PLM frames.