MASTER OF ARTS IN DISTANCE EDUCATION (MADE)

Term-End Examination December, 2024

MDE-412: INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Weightage: 75%

Note: (i) Attempt all the three questions.

- (ii) All questions carry equal weightage.
- 1. Answer any *one* of the following questions in about **1200** words:
 - (a) Explain the major principles of constructivism. Discuss the implications of constructivist school of thought for designing instruction in ODL.

Or

(b) Discuss the main components of multiple intelligence theory. Explain the implications of multiple intelligence theory for designing course materials of open and distance learning.

- 2. Answer any *four* of the following questions in about **300** words each:
 - (a) Differentiate between formative and summative assessment giving examples from ODL.
 - (b) Discuss the significance of access devices in self-learning materials of open and distance learning.
 - (c) Describe the role of an instructional designer in the context of distance learning.
 - (d) What are the main principles of Pavlov's classical conditioning theory?
 - (e) Discuss the skills required by a learner for active participation in an online discussion group.
 - (f) Describe the main features of Carl Rogers' approach to teaching and learning in the context of distance learning.

- 3. Answer any *one* of the following questions in about **1200** words:
 - (a) Discuss the need and importance of learning resources in open and distance learning. Describe any *two* learning resources and explain how they can help to make learning more effective.

Or

(b) Describe the role of e-learning in open and distance learning. Discuss the steps to be taken for designing e-learning courses.