POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN PRE-PRIMARY EDUCATION (PGDPPED)

Term-End Examination

December, 2024

MES-083 : PRINCIPLES OF CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Weightage: 70%

Note: All questions are compulsory. All questions carry equal weightage.

Answer the following question in about
600 words:

Describe the objectives of in-service education programme for pre-school teachers. Discuss the various modes of in-service education programmes for improving the quality of pre-school teachers.

Or

Explain various objectives of Parent-Teacher Association. Discuss how PTA can play a significant role in proper development of children at pre-school stage.

2. Answer the following question in about **600** words:

Discuss the significance of play-based pedagogy for pre-school education. Suggest *two* free play and *two* guided activities for children along with their objectives.

Or

Explain the importance of value education. Discuss the core values which are appropriate to be inculcated at pre-school level.

- 3. Answer any *four* of the following questions in about **150** words each:
 - (a) Explain various developmental needs of children at pre-school stage.
 - (b) Suggest certain measures to provide conducive environment for children at home.
 - (c) Explain the importance of developing social competencies among pre-school children.

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- (d) Describe the *four* areas needed to be strengthened to build foundation of children at pre-school level.
- (e) Explain a plan for a day (time table) at preschool.
- (f) Discuss strategies which stimulate preschool children's involvement in teachinglearning activities.
- 4. Answer the following question in about **600** words:

Discuss the common behavioural problems among pre-school learners and their probable causes along with the suggestions to improve.