

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
PRE-PRIMARY EDUCATION
(PGDPPED)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2026

**MES-082 : HUMAN DEVELOPMENT DURING
EARLY CHILDHOOD**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

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

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

Discuss the various characteristics of motor development at pre-school stage and its educational implications.

Or

Explain the concept of 'Developmental Readiness'. Discuss the factors that determine readiness of a child that a pre-school teacher should keep in mind.

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

Describe the principal modes of learning with suitable examples.

Or

Elaborate the various behavioural patterns in social situations during early childhood.

3. Write short notes on any ***four*** of the following in about **150** words each :

- (a) Explain the characteristics of childhood emotions.
- (b) Discuss the parent-child relationships during late childhood.
- (c) Explain the major areas of individual differences.

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- (d) Explain the various types of exceptional learners.
 - (e) Discuss the various developmental tasks of children at pre-school stage.
 - (f) Describe various qualitative methods of child study.
4. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

Describe the Multiple Intelligence Theory and its implications for pre-school teachers.

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