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**M. SC. (HOME SCIENCE—
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND
EXTENSION MANAGEMENT)
(MSCHSC)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2026

**MHC-005 : COMMUNITY SCIENCES AND
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT : EMERGING
ISSUES**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : (i) Attempt any **five** questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. (a) Explain the meaning and concept of Early Childhood Care and Education.

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- (b) Explain the concept of community nutrition and its relation to health. Further, explain the meaning of community health. 10
- 2. (a) Describe the livelihood challenges faced by Indian artesains. 10
- (b) Write about any *four* embroidered/printed Indian textiles. 10
- 3. Elaborate on the gender-responsive climate policies and strategies. 20
- 4. (a) Define skill development. Explain the different skill development processes and methods. 10
- (b) Describe two government schemes/programmes on skill development. 10
- 5. Describe the traits of a successful entrepreneur. Further, explain the importance and types of business plans. 20
- 6. (a) Describe the benefits of sustainable product design. 10
- (b) Why is green technology necessary ? Explain the pillars of green technology. 10

7. (a) Discuss the role of VOs and NGOs in the development sector. 10
- (b) Explain the strategies for capacity building. 10
8. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : 4×5=20
- (a) Two government programmes on child health/nutrition/disability in India
- (b) Role of consumers in preserving Indian traditional textiles
- (c) Necessary measures to increase female labour force participation
- (d) Nutrition security at individual and household levels
- (e) Promoting micro-credit
- (f) Types of social entrepreneurs
- (g) Fund raising
- (h) Roles and responsibilities of different stakeholders in development

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