## **BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (B. Ed.)**

## Term-End Examination December, 2023

**BES-144: PEDAGOGY OF ENGLISH** 

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Weightage: 70%

**Note**: (i) All questions are compulsory.

- (ii) All questions carry equal weightage.
- 1. Answer the following question in about **600** words:

Which are the main methods of teaching English? Describe any *two* methods and justify their importance in teaching of English.

Or

List the categories of cognitive styles. According to your experience of teaching English, what are the cognitive styles which best bring about second language learning? Give examples to illustrate your answer. [2] BES-144

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

What are the important features of learning to write? What activities can be undertaken by a teacher to motivate children to write.

## Or

Discuss the place of English language in the school curriculum in India in the light of recommendations of different Commissions and Committees on Education.

- 3. Answer any *four* of the following questions in about **150** words each:
  - (a) How is 'linguistic competence' different from 'communicative competence'? Explain with the help of an example.
  - (b) In what way does listening contribute to an individual's linguistic competence?
  - (c) What is the main emphasis of the social constructivists approach and how does it differ from other constructivists?
  - (d) How would you organise a discussion at the end of reading a text?

- (e) What are the three aspects, which govern what we say? Give an example of an utterance to explain your point.
- (f) What are the considerations to be taken care to make a learner an independent and efficient reader?
- 4. Answer the following question in about **600** words:

What is multilingualism? What are the opportunities and the challenges in dealing with multilingualism in an English classroom? Explain with the help of examples.