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Certificate Programme in Peace Studies and Conflict Management (CPSCM)

Assignments

July 2024 and January 2025 Sessions



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Dear learner,

As explained in the Programme Guide, you will have to do a Tutor MarkedAssignment for each course for the Certificate Programme. This booklet contains the assignments of three courses of Certificate Programme in Peace Studies and Conflict Management (CPSCM).

You need to submit all the assignments within the stipulated time for being eligible to appear in the term-end examination. Before you attempt the assignments, please read the instructions carefully provided in the Programme Guide.

It is important that you write the answers in your own words. Your answers should be within the approximate range of the word-limit set for a particular section. Remember, writing answers to assignment questions will improve your writing skills and prepare you for the term-end examination.

All assignments, including these, have to be **submitted to the Coordinator of your Study Centre**. Remember to obtain a receipt from the Study Centre for the assignments submitted and retain it. If possible, keep a Xerox copy of the assignments with you.

The Study Centre will have to return the assignments to you after they are evaluated. Please insist on this. The Study Centre will note down the marked awarded for each assignment and forward them to the Student Evaluation Division (SED) at IGNOU, New Delhi.

Submission:

The completed assignments should be submitted as per the following schedule

Last date of Submission	Whom to submit
September 30, 2024 for July 2024 Session March 31, 2025 for January 2025 Session	The Coordinator of the Study Centre allotted to you

INTRODUCTION TO PEACE AND CONFLICT MANAGEMENT (BGP-001) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: BGP-001 Assignment Code: BGP-001/Asst/TMA/2024-25 Marks: 100

Answer five questions in all, selecting at least two questions from each section. Each question is to be answered in about 500 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. What is Sustainable Peace Building? Explain.
- 2. Write a note on peace for society.
- 3. Critically examine the structural challenges to peace building.
- 4. Discuss the life cycle of a conflict.
- 5. Describe the various sources of conflict.

SECTION-II

Write a short note on each part of the following questions in about 250 words:

- 6. a) Functions/objectives of conflict
 - b) Social Identity Theory
- 7. a) Role of Civil Society
 - b) Conflict Resolution
- 8. a) Critique of participant government
 - b) Media in post -conflict society
- 9. a) Role of the UN in world peace
 - b) Terrorism and Counter -Terrorism
- 10. a) Land reforms
 - b) Necessity of inter-religious dialogue

INDIAN PERSPECTIVES ON PEACE AND CONFLICT (BGP-002) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: BGP-002 Assignment Code: BGP-002/

Asst/TMA/2024-25 Marks: 100

Answer five questions in all, selecting at least two questions from each section. Each question is to be answered in about 500 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Discuss either the Jain or Buddhist perspective on peace.
- 2. Write a note on the inter-connection between peace and other social movements.
- 3. Write a note on Casteism and caste conflicts.
- 4. Describe the joint family in India.
- 5. Elaborate upon integrity in India.

SECTION-II

Write a short note on each part of the following questions in about 250 words.

- 6. a) Rural -urban divide in India
 - b) Measuring quality of life
- 7. a) Dependence on natural resources
 - b) Resolution of Conflicts
- 8. a) Meaning and scope of rule of law
 - b) Reasons for the use of moral persuasion
- 9. a) Growth of international institutions
 - b) Inter -state Conflicts
- 10. a) Ethnic Conflicts in India
 - b) Extremism

CONFLICT AND PEACE: GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE (BGP-003) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: BGP-003 Assignment Code: BGP-003/ Asst/TMA/2024-25

Marks: 100

Answer five questions in all, selecting at least two questions from each section. Each question is to be answered in about 500 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Explain the changing nature of conflicts.
- 2. Analyse Hybrid Warfare.
- 3. Examine non-violent initiatives in conflict resolution.
- 4. Write a note on globalization and integration of functions.
- 5. Describe the indicator of climate change.

SECTION-II

Write a short note on each part of the following questions in about 250 words:

- 6. a) Factors leading to resources conflicts
 - b) Characteristics of Terrorism
- 7. a) Reprisal
 - b) Pacifism
- 8. a) Features of peacekeeping
 - b) Genesis of the idea of human security
- 9. a) India- Bangladesh border problem
 - b) Origin of the idea of borders
- 10. a) River Water sharing in India
 - b) Concept of Ethnicity