

Ph.D. (EDUCATION)

Term-End Examination

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RES-002 : RESEARCH METHODOLOGY II

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 :

Explain 'Content Analysis' approach in qualitative research. Discuss various steps in carrying out content analysis.

OR

Discuss how longitudinal studies may be designed in qualitative research. Substantiate your answer with suitable examples.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Explain the concept of mixed methods research. How will you use the feminist approach while conducting mixed methods research ?

OR

What are the primary sources of data collection in qualitative research ? How is participant observation different from non-participant observation ? Discuss.

3. Answer any *four* of the following questions in about 150 words each :

- (a) What do you understand by Phenomenology ?
- (b) Explain the nature and need of narrative research.
- (c) State the characteristics of case study research.
- (d) Explain the Ethnographic research process.
- (e) How will you conduct a literature review for your qualitative study ?
- (f) Explain historical analysis.

4. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Prepare a plan for conducting a qualitative research study by clearly indicating all the steps involved in the process.
