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

Term-End Examination

December, 2018

**MES-081 : INTRODUCTION TO PRESCHOOL
EDUCATION**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

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

Critically evaluate the nature of preschool education curriculum.

OR

Discuss the role of preschool education in a democratic society. Elaborate the various competencies required by the citizens of a democratic society.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Critically evaluate the problems of preschool education in India.

OR

Discuss the purpose of assessing learning at preschool stage.

3. Answer any four of the following in about 150 words each.
- (a) Discuss the functions of preschool education.
 - (b) Suggest measures for strengthening preschool education.
 - (c) Explain the categories of life skill education.
 - (d) 'Preschool is a link between family and external world'. Explain.
 - (e) Elaborate the objectives of ECCE in India.
 - (f) Suggest and explain any two activities which can develop social competencies in preschool learners.
4. Answer the following in about 600 words.
Develop an educational plan for implementing Vygotsky's theory of learning in preschools.
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