

**CERTIFICATE IN ELEMENTARY  
TEACHER EDUCATION (CETE)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2012**

**MESE-011 : TEACHING OF SOCIAL STUDIES**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Weightage : 100%*

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- Note :** (i) *All questions are compulsory.*  
(ii) *All questions are of equal weightage.*
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Attempt question no. 1 and 2 in about **600 words** each.

1. What do you understand by 'instructional input'?  
Discuss in detail the phases of lecture method.

**OR**

Why is it important to prepare a lesson plan for teaching ? Develop a lesson plan for teaching Social Science to Class VII students.

2. What do you understand by 'Blue print' of a question paper? Explain with examples how would you measure students' knowledge, understanding and application of concepts ?

**OR**

Why do we teach Social Science in schools ? Explain with the help of examples from the Indus Valley Civilisation which components of a civilisation need to be taught in primary classes.

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

- (a) What areas are covered under the concept of liberty ?
- (b) Mention the six principal organs of United Nations and discuss the role and functions of any one of them.
- (c) Explain how the tilt of the earth's axis and revolution affects the seasons ?
- (d) Describe an activity pertinent to teaching about a river and its tributaries.
- (e) Differentiate between formative and summative evaluation.
- (f) Explain with examples the importance of comprehensive and continuous evaluation in Social Studies.
- (g) What do physical and political maps represent ? Explain with illustrations.
- (h) Name and explain the factors influencing the alternative approaches of organising the Social studies curriculum.

4. Attempt the following question in about *600 words*.

Protection of wild life and Conservation of forests are of utmost importance. How did you teach these concern of our society and what activities did you suggest to conserve forests and protect wild life ?