

MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION)

Term-End Examination

June, 2014

**MES-112 : DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OF
SELF-LEARNING PRINT MATERIAL**

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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 question in about 600 words.

Explain the importance of assessment and feedback in distance education. Justify different forms of assessment used in distance education.

OR

How will you evaluate the difficulty level of language used in self - learning materials ? Discuss with the help of examples.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

How does a distance education editor differ from other editors ? Discuss the editorial functions in the development of distance learning materials.

OR

Critically discuss problems faced by an editor of distance learning materials.

3. Answer any **four** of the following questions in about **150** words each.
- (a) Describe the major aspects of Bruner's theory of instruction.
 - (b) Discuss educational implications of Mathematical theory of communication.
 - (c) Describe features which make self-learning materials more accessible.
 - (d) Why is there a need for self-learning materials in distance education ? Discuss.
 - (e) What does quality mean in distance education ? Discuss any four elements of quality assurance as stated by Green and Harvey (1993).
 - (f) Discuss the educational implications of Gagne's theory of learning.

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

Write a self-learning unit of your choice from your subject. Your unit should contain the following components :

- Title
 - Unit structure
 - Objectives
 - Sections and Subsections
 - SAQS/Check your progress questions
 - Summary
 - CYP : Possible answers
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