

MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION)

Term-End Examination

June, 2017

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MES-011 : UNDERSTANDING EDUCATION

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

Note : (i) All questions are compulsory.

(ii) All questions carry equal weightage.

1. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

What is Education ? Differentiate the concept from other similar concepts, viz. schooling, indoctrination, training and literacy.

OR

Discuss the concepts of a system and a society. Justify how education can be considered as a sub-system of society.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Discuss the objectives and role of any three institutions set up by the Central Government to ensure quality and standards in education.

OR

Discuss the attempts made by the Government of India for universalizing elementary education including those involving international cooperations.

3. Write short notes on **any four** of the following in about **150** words each :

- (a) Dependence of education on political decision making.
- (b) The four pillars of education as enunciated in Delors commission report.
- (c) Mind as a Tabula Rasa Vs. mind as a flowering seed
- (d) Process of educational policy formulation.
- (e) Education as an operational aspect of society.
- (f) NGO's and the Primary education.

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

As a Principal of a secondary school explain the different activities, that you would suggest to be organised to inculcate and strengthen the spirit of human rights and ethical development of your students.
