# **MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION)**

### **Term-End Examination**

June, 2017

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

Time: 3 hours

Maximum Weightage: 70%

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

Describe the taxonomy of learning outcomes. Explain how it is useful in designing and development of self-learning materials.

#### OR

Discuss different kinds of self-learning texts with emphasis on their relative significance in distance education.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

> Explain the process of course preparation by highlighting different stages of course planning, course development and course production.

#### OR

Discuss the benchmarks and mechanisms for quality assurance in self-learning materials.

- 3. Answer any four of the following questions in about 150 words each.
  - (a) Design and development of online learning materials.
  - (b) Describe key components of a self-learning unit.
  - (c) What are the types and functions of access devices?
  - (d) What are the operations involved in course maintenance ?
  - (e) Explain the relationship between advanced technologies and pedagogical perspectives.
  - (f) Discuss briefly different forms of assessment in distance education.
- **4.** Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Discuss the functions of an editor of distance education course materials. Explain with examples how you would perform such functions if you are assigned with the task of editing these materials.