

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN  
EDUCATIONAL MANAGEMENT AND  
ADMINISTRATION (PGDEMA)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2022**

**MES-048 : ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Weightage : 70%*

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**Note :** *All questions are **compulsory**. All questions carry equal weightage.*

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1. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Compare Alternative Education Curriculum with Mainstream Curriculum especially at the Elementary level.

**OR**

Discuss the meaning and characteristics of Alternative Education.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Discuss various types of Alternative Education Programmes being implemented in different countries.

**OR**

Discuss the role of any two Alternative Education initiatives under Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) programme.

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

- (a) Discuss the main features of 'Escuelas Nuevas' schools.
- (b) Mention the contribution of Gijubhai Badheka in the field of Alternative Education.
- (c) Write a short note on the significance of skill development opportunity based on Modular Employable Skills (MES).
- (d) Explain the advantages of Magnet schools over Regular schools.
- (e) Describe the main features of Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) in the context of Alternative Education.
- (f) Compare the similarities between EFA goals and MDG goals.

4. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Critically examine the issues pertaining to the implementation of the RTE Act, 2009. What are the cases and conditions which make Alternative Education a viable option for 'Out of School' students ?

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