P.G. DIPLOMA (PGDEDS)/M.A. (MAEDS) IN EXTENSION AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

Term-End Examination

June, 2022

MEDS-006: RESEARCH METHODS IN EXTENSION AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: Answer any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. What are the different components of social science research? Discuss in detail about its objectives and hypothesis.

 5+15=20
- **2.** Discuss different methods used for appraisal of existing situation by a development researcher.
- **3.** What is meant by validity of a measuring instrument? Discuss the approaches to validation of a measuring instrument. 5+15=20

- **4.** Write short notes on the following : 10+10=20
 - (a) Monitoring and Evaluation of Development Research Project
 - (b) Importance of Research Design
- **5.** What is Sampling? Discuss different types of non-probability sampling. 5+15=20
- **6.** What are the main components of a research report? Discuss with examples. 5+15=20
- **7.** Differentiate between the following: 10+10=20
 - (a) Conventional research and Development research
 - (b) Dependent and Independent variables
- 8. What are the different methods of quantitative data collection? Discuss the interview schedule method of data collection in detail. 5+15=20