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**MES-081**

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN  
PRE-PRIMARY EDUCATION  
(PGDPPED)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2023**

**MES-081 : INTRODUCTION TO PRESCHOOL  
EDUCATION**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Weightage : 70%*

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**Note :** (i) *All questions are compulsory.*

(ii) *All questions carry equal weightage.*

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

Discuss the role of preschool education for improving social competencies in children.

Support your answer with suitable examples.

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*Or*

Discuss the role of family, school and community in the development of a child.

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

Describe the curriculum framework of a teacher education programme for preschool teachers. Describe the major inputs for a preschool teacher education curriculum.

*Or*

Discuss the need for learner assessment at preschool level. Explain which aspects need to be assessed and why.

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

- (a) How do identify a child with poor communication skills ?
- (b) Explain the viewpoint of Froebel about preschool education.
- (c) Explain the need to strengthen preschool education.

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- (d) How culture can be conserved through education ?
  - (e) Describe the main characteristics of first two stages of cognitive development as described by Piaget.
  - (f) Explain any *two* initiatives for the development of early childhood care in India.
4. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

Identify the democratic values which you want to inculcate among preschool learners. Develop a detailed plan to include these values.