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**MEDS-003**

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

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2023**

**MEDS-003 : PROBLEMS AND ISSUES IN  
DEVELOPMENT**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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

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1. What is poverty ? Give reasons for it. What are the remedies of poverty ? 5+15
2. Explain the role of agriculture in development. Describe *five* major issues in agriculture development. 10+10

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3. Why is infrastructure important for development ? Explain some important sub-sectors of infrastructure development. 10+10
4. Explain benefits of education in development. What are various issues and challenges for development of education ? 10+10
5. Describe various threats to bio-diversity. What steps needed to be taken for conservation of bio-diversity ? 10+10
6. What is sustainable development ? Explain various components of sustainable development. 5+15
7. What is Right to Information Act ? Explain the role of PIOs in RTI Act. 10+10
8. Write short notes on the following : 10+10
  - (a) Primary health care
  - (b) Participatory governance

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