

DIPLOMA IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION  
(D.EL.Ed.)

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Term-End Examination

June, 2015

BES-020 : TEACHING OF ENGLISH

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

Note : (i) All questions are compulsory.

(ii) All questions carry equal weightage.

1. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Discuss the difficulties learners of English as second language face in learning English vocabulary.

OR

What is early literacy ? How does early literacy influence second language learning ?

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Explain the role of literature in language acquisition. Discuss the different techniques for teaching fiction.

OR

Discuss the different stages in a listening lesson  
Give examples.

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

- (a) Explain the balanced activities approach to teaching speaking.
- (b) What do you understand by top-down approach to reading ?
- (c) How will you use collaborative games to teach grammar ? Illustrate.
- (d) Describe the procedures for material adaptation.
- (e) Describe the holistic method of evaluating written work.
- (f) Explain metre in poetry.

4. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Describe the characteristics of a constructivist learning environment. Design a classroom activity using the discourse perspective for your learners.

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