

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

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2011**

**MES-048 : ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum weightage : 70%*

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

*(ii) All questions carry equal weightage.*

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Answer the following question in about 600 words.

1. Discuss historical development of Alternative Education in India in pre-independence era.

**OR**

With the help of suitable examples, discuss any one model of Alternative Education.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Discuss the Millenium Development Goals (MDGs) in the context of Alternative Education with examples.

**OR**

Discuss the contribution of any two pioneers in the field of Alternative Education from International arena.

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

- (a) Explain any two major Alternative Education initiatives in Public - Private partnership mode in India.
- (b) Explain the scheme of Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS).
- (c) Describe any two goals established in the Dakar Framework for Action, to achieve Education for All.
- (d) Discuss the relevance of District Primary Education Programme (DPEP) in Alternative Education.
- (e) Explain the need for Alternative Access Programmes.
- (f) Describe main features of Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) in the context of Alternative Education.

4. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Critically discuss the following in Alternative Education System :

- (a) Conception of a learner
- (b) The role of teachers
- (c) Educational Institutions.