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POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN SCHOOL LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT (PGDSLM)

Term-End Examination

June, 2010

MES-004 : HEAD TEACHERS AS SCHOOL LEADERS

Time: 3 hours Maximum Weightage: 70%

Note: (i) All questions are compulsory.

(ii) All questions carry equal Marks.

1. Answer the following question in about 600 words:

What is 'Management Cycle' ? How will you use it for managing your school ?

OR

What is alignment? How can a head teacher align different aspects of a school to achieve the goals of the school?

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words:

What are the characteristics of effective schools? What is the role of head teacher for making schools effective?

OR

What are the essentials of effective communication? Distinguish between communication and negotiation.

- 3. Answer *any four* of the following questions in about 150 words each:
 - (a) How can a head teacher help the teachers to cope up with their moral dilemmas and beliefs?
 - (b) What are the different types of meeting conducted by the head teacher? Give examples to substantiate your answer.
 - (c) What are the differences between inter-personal and intrapersonal conflict?
 - (d) What are the components of decision-making process?
 - (e) How can a head teacher build a shared vision for the school?
 - (f) As a head teacher how will you know that your colleagues are carrying out the responsibilities you have delegated to them?
- 4. Answer the following question in about 600 words:

Discuss the socio-economic factors impacting the school. Discuss any two measures that your school has undertaken in order to prepare itself for the social changes.