

ASSIGNMENTS

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Please Note:

- a) Students are advised to select the assignments from the **Specialized Area** they have opted for.
- b) The Assignment Responses (ARs) may be submitted by hand or sent by registered post to the Programme – in – Charge of your Programme Study Centre.
- c) You should retain a copy of all the assignments in your own interest

SPECIALIZED AREA: HIGHER EDUCATION

MES – 101: HIGHER EDUCATION: ITS CONTEXT AND LINKAGES

Assignment: 01

- a) Autonomy and accountability are two sides of the same coin. Justify the statement in the context of the university system. (500 Words)
- b) Explain the concept of globalisation. Discuss how it has impacted higher education system in India. (500 Words)
- c) Write a critique on the role of teachers' organisations in contributing to professionalism and social change. (500 Words)

MES – 102: INSTRUCTION IN HIGHER EDUCATION

Assignment: 01

- a) Explain the concept of teacher competence. Discuss various teacher competencies that a teacher at higher education level needs to acquire in order to perform his/her professional functions effectively (500 words)

- b) Select a unit from the subject of your choice at college level. Prepare a detailed unit plan on the same unit. (500 words)
- c) Suppose you are asked to prepare the question paper for the forthcoming Annual Examination in the subject of your choice at the college level. Describe the steps that you would follow while preparing the question paper. (500 words)

MES: 103 HIGHER EDUCATION: THE PSYCHO-SOCIAL CONTEXT

Assignment: 01

- a) Describe the various constituents of personality. (500 words)
- b) Describe the principles of developing professional relationship among college teachers. (500 words)
- c) Mention the college related concerns of youth. Discuss the teacher – student relationship you would like to adopt at the college level to foster a ‘learning environment’. (500 words)

MES-104: PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Assignment: 01

- a) Discuss, with an example, how effective management of human resources contributes to the building of a higher education institution. (500 words)
- b) Explain the meaning and importance of classroom climate. Elaborate on the measures you will take to create a conducive classroom climate for first year students. (500 words)
- c) Select a topic from the subject of your choice at college level. Discuss various inputs that you will choose for development of instructional strategy for the same topic. (500 words)