ASSIGNMENT BOOKLET

SECRETARIAL PRACTICE COURSE (BSSI-013)

Diploma in Modern Office Practice Programme (DMOP)

For January 2025 session

For July 2025 session



School of Vocational Education and Training Indira Gandhi National Open University Maidan Garhi, New Delhi-110 068 Dear Student,

This booklet contains the assignments for the **Course BSSI 013** of DMOP program. Before attempting the assignments, please carefully read the instructions given below. Each course has one assignment, which is based on course materials of these courses. **You are also required to write your responses in your own words and hand-writing only and no typed or printed assignments will be accepted.** Further, you may note that in case your assignment response(s) happens to be a copy of assignment response sheet submitted by another student, your assignment may be summarily rejected and/or your marks may be made null and void. Therefore, you are strongly advised not to allow any other student to copy it. The last date of submission of assignment is given against each assignment. You are advised not to wait for the last dateto submit your assignments. Therefore, you may note that the assignment answer sheets received after the due date will be summarily rejected and no communication will be entertained in this regard.

You have to submit/send your assignment answer sheets to the Coordinator/ Programme In-charge of your Study Centre/ Programme Centre, as the case may be so as to reach there on or before the due date. In case there is no Study Centre, assignments to be either scanned & submitted to the Programme Coordinator at SOVET, Block-15 E, (FF), New Academic Building, IGNOU, Maidan Garhi, NewDelhi-110068 or emailed at dmopsovet@ignou.ac.in

Instructions for Formatting Your Assignments

On the top of the first page of your Tutor Marked Assignment (TMA)answer sheet, please write the details exactly in the following format:

Enrollment No:	Date:
Course Code:	Course Title:
Name:	Address & Mobile:
Signature:	

- Please follow the above format strictly to facilitate evaluation and avoid delay
- Use only full size writing paper/ A4 size (not of very thin variety) for writing your answers
- Leave 3cm margin on the left, top and bottom of your answer sheet.
- Your answer should be precise and to the point. While solving problems, clearly indicate the question number along with the part being solved. Recheck your work before submitting it.

Answer sheet received after the due date shall not be accepted. We strongly feel that you should retain a copy of your assignment answer sheet duly acknowledged by the office of the Coordinator/ Programme In-charge of your Study Centre/ Programme Study Centre to avoid any unforeseen situation.

Wishing you all good luck!

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TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT (TMA) SECRETARIAL PRACTICE COURSE (BSSI-013)

Maximum Marks: 50 Assignment Code: BSSI013TMA/2025

Weightage: 30%

Note: This assignment covers **Course BSSI -013**. Attempt questions as per instructions provided.

Marks assigned to the questions has been shown in the bracket.

Answer any FIVE questions. All questions carry equal marks

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Q1.	What are the functions which a Personal Secretary has to perform?		
Q2.	Explain the Interactive Model of Communication?		
Q3.	What is meant by Public Relations? Why is it important?		
Q4.	What do you mean by Itinerary? Discuss the points to be considered while preparing the same.		
Q5.	The Secretary has to work out the pre-requisites for a meeting. Explain his/her Duties before the meeting	(10)	
Q6.	Write short notes on any two of the following:	(5+5)	
	i. Notice ii. Agenda iii. Minutes iv. Statutory Reports		
Q7.	Explain Human Beings as one of the sources of Information?	(10)	
Q8.	What is Bank Reconciliation Statement? List out the causes of difference in	(10)	
	Cash book and Pass book		
Last Date for Submission of Assignment (Pass Marks 50%)			
For January 2025 Session Learner30 th September 2025, For Appearing in Dec 2025 TEE			
For July 2025 Session Learner 31 st March 2026, For Appearing in June 2026 TEE			

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