

MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION)

Term-End Examination

December, 2014

**MES-112 : DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OF
SELF-LEARNING PRINT MATERIAL**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

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- Note :** (i) *All questions are compulsory.*
(ii) *All questions are of equal weightage.*
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1. Answer the following question in about **600** words.

Discuss the implications of theories of learning for designing a course in distance education.

OR

Explain the systems approach to course planning in distance education.

2. Answer the following question in about **600** words.

Explain the concept of management of text preparation. Discuss the process of writing and editing of self-learning print materials.

OR

Discuss the need and importance of course revision in distance education. Explain various means of collecting information for revising a course.

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

- (a) What are the basic conditions of learning ?
- (b) Explain the process of communication.
- (c) Discuss various benchmarks of quality assurance in self- learning materials.
- (d) What are the criteria for ordering the content of distance education materials ?
- (e) Discuss the guidelines for designing and development of online materials.
- (f) What is interactivity ? How do you make self-learning materials interactive ?

4. Answer the following question in about **600** words.

Suppose you are assigned the task of editing of distance education materials as a part of their development. Explain, with suitable examples, the roles and functions you perform as an editor in accomplishing the task.
