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MES-048

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

Term-End Examination

December, 2021

MES-048 : ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

Note : *All questions are compulsory. All questions carry equal weightage.*

1. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

Discuss the contributions of any *two* pioneers from India in the field of alternative education.

Or

Differentiate between alternative access programmes and alternative curriculum provisions with an example each.

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

Discuss the role of different evaluation strategies to be employed in alternative education programmes.

Or

What are the main recommendations of NPE (1986) on non-formal education (NFE) ? Discuss steps taken to implement NFE scheme in the country.

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) Briefly explain the concept of 'Nai Talim'.

(c) Explain the mission of a charter school in providing education to children.

(d) How is alternative education different from formal system of education ?

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(e) Discuss the relevance of Accelerated Learning Programme.

(f) Describe the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) in the context of Alternative Education.

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

Critically examine the role of any educational institution from your state in the field of alternative education.