

**Ph. D. IN VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND  
TRAINING (PHDVET)**

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2022**

**RVE-003 : RESEARCH ISSUES IN VOCATIONAL  
EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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**Note :** *Attempt any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks.*

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1. "Soft skills, employability and education are the need of the 21<sup>st</sup> century." Discuss this statement in light of enhanced employability prospects. 20
  
2. (a) What do you mean by Competency-Based Curriculum ? Explain its three components, with the help of examples.  
(b) What is NSQF ? Highlight its significance along with objectives of NSQF. 10+10=20
  
3. (a) Who is an Apprentice ? 4×5=20  
(b) How can one become an Apprentice ?  
(c) What is Apprenticeship training ?  
(d) What are the benefits of Apprenticeship training ?

4. 'Your attitude at work can impact your career as well as your general outlook on life.' How can one develop a positive attitude at the workplace ? Discuss. 20
5. What is RPL ? How does it benefit the workforce and industry ? Highlight the Government initiatives with reference to RPL. 20
6. Analyse a case study on Vocational Skill Interventions for Dropout Reduction and Employability and give your comments and recommendations. 20
7. Discuss the features and challenges of ICT's application in Vocational Education with suitable examples. 20
8. (a) What do you understand by Credit Accumulation ? Explain its components.
- (b) As per SAMVAY (Self-Assessment Matrix for Vocational Advancement of Youth), what is meant by :
- (i) Credit,
  - (ii) Knowledge,
  - (iii) Skills,
  - (iv) Competence,
  - (v) Qualification ? 10+10=20
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