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MES-081

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN PRE-
PRIMARY EDUCATION (PGDPPED)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2023

**MES-081 : INTRODUCTION TO PRESCHOOL
EDUCATION**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

Note : (i) *All questions are compulsory.*

(ii) *All questions carry equal weightage.*

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

Discuss the aims of preschool education. How does preschool education contribute towards national development ?

Or

Explain various views of knowledge construction. Give examples how you will use it in your classroom.

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

Critically analyze the problems of preschool education in India. Suggest some ways to overcome the same.

Or

Discuss briefly the contribution of any *two* philosophers towards education of preschool children. Also explain the education implications of any *one* philosophy.

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

- (a) Explain the importance of four pillars of education in the context of preschool education.
- (b) How is education related to the social progress of an individual ?
- (c) Describe need for regular assessment in pre-schools.
- (d) Explain the role of play in developing social skills.
- (e) Highlight the need for critical pedagogy at the preschool level.
- (f) Describe essential attributes of a preschool teacher.

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

Develop a comprehensive plan for assessing the overall development of a preschool learner.