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MES-081

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN PRE-  
PRIMARY EDUCATION**

**(PGDPPED)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2019**

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

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Weightage : 70%*

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

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

Discuss the importance of preschool education for developing social competencies. Support your answer with suitable examples.

*Or*

Discuss, how the challenges to education in India are also pertinent for preschool education.

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

Explain the significance of preschool education. Highlight the role of preschool education in a democratic society.

*Or*

Discuss the recommendations of various education commissions regarding Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE) and the provisions for ECCE in various five year plans.

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

- (a) Need for critical pedagogy at preschool.
- (b) Contributions of Maria Montessori towards preschool education.
- (c) Four pillars of education as given by Delors and its relevance to preschool education.
- (d) Implications of Naturalism for preschool education.

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(e) Roles and responsibilities of a preschool teacher.

(f) Preschool education in U.S.A.

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

Develop an assessment plan for improvement of learning in preschools.