

**MASTER OF ARTS (DEVELOPMENT STUDIES)/
P.G. DIPLOMA IN DEVELOPMENT STUDIES
(MADVS/PGDDVS)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2022

**MDV-106 : RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN
DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

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

1. What is development research ? What are the different methods of development research ? Discuss focus group discussion method in detail. 4+4+12
2. What is the importance of formulating objectives in conducting research ? Discuss the criteria for judging the objectives. 8+12
3. Describe the importance of pre-test or pilot study. What aspects of research methodology can be evaluated during pre-testing ? 8+12

4. What is measurement ? Discuss the different postulates of measurement. *8+12*
5. Define reliability. Describe different methods of determining reliability. *5+15*
6. What is primary data ? What are the various types of quantitative primary data-gathering tools ? Discuss in detail, questionnaire method of primary data collection. *4+4+12*
7. Explain various measures of central tendency with the help of examples. *20*
8. Write short notes on the following : *10+10*
- (a) Type I and Type II Errors
- (b) Correlation Analysis
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