

**CERTIFICATE IN ELEMENTARY
TEACHER EDUCATION (CETE)**

**Term-End Examination
June, 2010**

MESE-011 : TEACHING OF SOCIAL STUDIES

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Weightage : 100%

Note : All questions are compulsory. All questions are of equal weightage.

1. Attempt the following question in about 600 words :

What is the difference between teacher - directed and learner - directed instruction ? Discuss in detail the different individualised instructional techniques employed in teaching social studies.

OR

What are the expected learning outcomes of teaching social studies in elementary schools ? Discuss the role played by teachers in achieving the goals of teaching social studies in elementary schools.

2. Attempt the following question in about 600 words :

Why is evaluation considered as an integral part of the educational process ? Discuss the different aspects of evaluation in social studies.

OR

Discuss the instructional strategies you would adopt to teach the topic 'The earth - our planet'.

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

- (a) Explain discussion as a technique of group – directed instruction.
- (b) Differentiate between symposium and panel discussion.
- (c) Discuss the integrated approach to organising social studies curriculum.
- (d) Differentiate between teacher made test and standardized test.
- (e) Discuss the importance of preparing a blue print of a question paper.

4. Attempt the following question in about 600 words :

Develop a lesson plan on any topic in social studies using demonstration as the teaching method.