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(3rd Semester)

EDUCATION

(Honours)

Paper No. : EDN-303

**(Structure and Issues of Contemporary
Education in India)**

Full Marks : 70
Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. (a) Explain the concept of Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE). Discuss the relevance of early childhood care and education in the context of Universalization of Elementary Education (UEE). 4+10=14

Or

- (b) Discuss the role of District Primary Education Programme (DPEP) to improve the quality of elementary education. 14

2. (a) Highlight the aims and objectives of elementary education. Explain the strategies to promote UEE through Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA). 5+9=14

Or

- (b) What is RTE? Discuss the role of RTE Act, 2009 in promotion of universalization of elementary education. 4+10=14

3. (a) What do you understand by vocationalization of secondary education? Explain the need of 'vocationalization' at secondary stage. 4+10=14

Or

- (b) What is universalization of secondary education? Discuss the role of Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) for universalization of secondary education. 4+10=14

4. (a) State the aims and objectives of higher education. Discuss the various types of universities. 4+10=14

Or

- (b) Highlight the role of National Accreditation and Assessment Council (NAAC) for quality assurance in higher education. 14

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5. (a) Explain the functions of NCERT and NCTE. 7+7=14

Or

- (b) Discuss the powers and functions of UGC. 14
