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Ph.D. PRELIMINARY QUALIFYING EXAMINATION, JULY 2020

Education

Paper II—ENHANCING MATHEMATICS LEARNING

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 70 Marks

Section A

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 1. Explain value inculcation and its objectives. Describe in detail John Dewey's valuation theory.
- 2. Write a short note on logical reasoning. Explain the types and components of logical reasoning.
- 3. What are mathematical beliefs? Explain the nature and structure of belief system.
- 4. What do you mean by achievement test? Describe the process of construction and standardization of an achievement test.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Section B

Answer any eight questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 5. Describe briefly the process of reflective thinking.
- 6. Write a short note on the factors of mathematical problem solving.
- 7. Describe the elements of critical thinking.
- 8. What is an Inventory? Explain its uses.
- 9. Write a short note on attitude and its components.
- 10. Write the principles of value formation.
- 11. What is critical thinking? Describe its elements.
- 12. How will you construct a Likert scale?
- 13. What is mathematical anxiety?
- 14. How can we enhance creativity among students?
- 15. Describe briefly Reflective Enquiry Model.
- 16. What is motivation? Explain the types of motivation.

 $(8 \times 5 = 40 \text{ marks})$